

San Francisco Bay Blues

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I got the [G] blues when my baby left me
[C] by the San Francisco [G] Bay [G7]
The [C] ocean liner's goin' so far [G] away [G7]
I didn't [C] mean to treat her so bad,
she was the [G] best girl I ever [E7] had
[A7] She said goodbye, Made me cry,
[D7-alt] I think I'm gonna lay down and die

I [G] ain't got a nickel and I [C] ain't got a lousy [G] dime [G7]
She [C] don't come back, think I'm going to lose my [B7] mind
[C] If she ever gets back to stay, it's going to
[G] be another brand new [E7] day
[A7] Walking with my baby down
[D7-alt] by the San Francisco [G] Bay [D7-alt]

[G] Sitting down [C] looking from my [G] back door,
Wondering which [C] way to [G] go
[C] Woman I'm so crazy about, she don't love me no [G] more
[C] Think I'll catch me a freight train, [G] cause I'm feeling [E7] blue
[A7] Ride all the way to the end of the line, [D7-alt] thinking only of you

[G] Meanwhile [C] livin' in the [G] city, just about to [C] go [G] insane
[C] Thought I heard my baby, lord, [E7] the way she used to call my name
[C] If I ever get her back to stay, it's going to
[G] be another brand new [E7] day
[A] Walking with my baby down [D7-alt] by the San Francisco [G] Bay,
hey [E7] hey

[A7] Walking with my baby down [D7] by the San Francisco [G] Bay
[B7] [E7] Yeah [A7] walking with my baby down [D7-alt] by the San
Francisco [G] Bay