

Bus Fare To Kentucky
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INTRO

C# G# C# G# F# G# C# G#

C# G# C# G#
I know I m just a country girl I hadn t seen much of the world
F# G# C# G#
Today my bus pulled out of old Kentucky
C# G# C# G#
My daddy waved and mama cried and I felt all choked up inside
F# G# C#
Cause I was leavin everyone that loved me.

G# G#
The first I saw of city ways went against how I was raised
F# C#
This country girl was really out of place
G# G#
And I was set to go back home but I was broke and all alone
F# C#
And I couldn t find another friendly face.

F Bbm
But I didn t have the bus fare to Kentucky
G# C#
Or this city would have seen the last of me
F Bbm
I didn t have the bus fare to Kentucky
Eb G#
And that old Grey Dog won t let me ride for free.

C# G# C# G#

C# G# C# G#
I met a boy from Tennessee and I guess he reminded me
F# G# C# G#
Of someone that I knew in old Kentucky
C# G# C# G#
It was good to have a friend and it was good to laugh with him

F# **G#** **C#**
And it was good to hear him say he loved me.

G# **G#**
I never thought he d do me wrong so I gladly went along
F# **C#**
I loved him more than any man I ve known
G# **G#**
And after he had all his fun he told me that our love was done
F# **C#**
And then he left this country girl alone.

F **Bbm**
But I didn t have the bus fare to Kentucky
G# **C#**
Or this city would have seen the last of me
F **Bbm**
I didn t have the bus fare to Kentucky
Eb **G#**
And that old Grey Dog won t let me ride for free.

G#
I can t afford to go first class so I ll make it the best I can
G#
Anything to get my feet on that good Kentucky land
G#
My thumb is in the air and my suitcase by my side
G#
Won t somebody give this poor old country girl a ride.

C# **F#**
Kentucky I m a comin home I ll never leave you anymore
G# **C#**
Kentucky I don t know why I ever strayed
C# **F#**
Kentucky your bluegrass bridges and your valleys call to me
G# **C#**
Kentucky I m comin home to stay
C# **F#**
Kentucky I m a comin home I ll never leave you anymore...