

King Of The Road
The Proclaimers

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The Proclaimers version may use different chords but then you might want to
transpose it for your voice anyway.

Here we go (taken from a greatest hits collection):

KING OF THE ROAD
(Roger Miller)

Bb **Eb** **F** **Bb**
Trailer for sale or rent, rooms to let, fifty cents,
 Eb **F**
No phone, no pool, no pets, I ain t got no cigarettes, ah but
Bb **Eb** **F** **Bb**
Two hours of pushing broom buys an eight by twelve fourbit room,
 Eb **F** **Bb**
I m a man of means by no means, King of the Road

Bb **Eb** **F** **Bb**
Third box car midnight train, destination Bangor, Maine,
 Eb **F** **Bb**
Old worn out suit and shoes, I don t pay no union dues, I smoke
 Eb **F** **Bb**
Old stogies I have found, short, but not too big around,
 Eb **F** **Bb**
I m a man of means by no means, King of the Road

B **E**
I know every engineer on every train,
F# **B**
All of the children and all of their names
 E
And every handout in every town
 F#
And ev ry lock that ain t locked when

No one s around I sing ...

B **E** **F#** **B**
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 E **F#**
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B **E** **F#** **B**
Two hours of pushing broom buys a eight by twelve fourbit room,
 E **F#** **B**
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rep. last verse