

# ***Jailhouse Blues - Ronnie Bowman***

Bluegrass Classic, Key of **A** My Key: \_\_\_\_

**INTRO:** **1** , **1** , **4** , **1** , **1** , **1 4** , **1 5** , **1**

Well it **1** all, got started one Friday night  
When the **4** 'shine was flowin' **1** free  
I **1** started a fight, and took a man's **4** life  
And they **1** hung, those **5** shackles on **1** me

## **CHORUS:**

Now I **4** spend all day, on this **1** old rockpile  
**1** Dream, in' of you all **5** night  
I got the **1** jailhouse blues, thinkin' of **4** you  
For I **1** know, I'm **5** here for **1** life

## **INSTRUMENTAL:** Same as **INTRO**

Now the **1** judge said Son, you broke the law  
And **4** now, you must pay the **1** price  
When the **1** sentence came down, he gave me **4** life  
On this **1** soul breakin' **5** county rock **1** pile

## **CHORUS / INSTRUMENTAL**

Now I'm **1** stuck in prison, with no way out  
And I **4** know, I will never be **1** free  
But I **1** pray to God, that He free my **4** soul  
And **1** send his **5** angels for **1** me

## **CHORUS / INSTRUMENTAL**

I got the **1** jailhouse blues, thinkin' of **4** you  
For I **1** know, I'm **5** here for **1** life

1 = A
4 = D
5 = E