

You Tried to Ruin My Name - Wilma Lee Cooper

Bluegrass Classic, $\frac{2}{4}$ Time, Key of **F** My Key: ____

INTRO: **1** , **1** , **4** , **4** , **1** , **1** , **1** , ***1 5** , **1** , **1** ****=extra beat***

CHORUS: You should **1** go and hang your head in shame
The **4** way you tried to ruin my name
You **1** even tried, to put the blame on me
when all along 'twas **5** you,
Who was **1** breakin' every sacred vow
You **4** didn't worry where or how
I- **1** hope that you are payin', for the way
you left me crying **5** here alone and **1** blue,

With your **1** fast talk and your smile so sweet
I **4** let you sweep me off my feet
1 Thought my life would be complete
to have you for my very **5** own,
Like a **1** sailboat with no wind around
I **4** had no power, to-turn you down
You **1** had your way with me 'til you grew tired
and went your way and **5** left me here a- **1** lone,

CHORUS

INSTRUMENTAL: **1** , **1** , **4** , **4** , **1** , **1** , **1** , ***1 5** , **5**
1 , **1** , **4** , **4** , **1** , **1** , **1** , ***1 5** , **1** , **1**

What a **1** shame the way you made me fall
I **4** gave my heart, my soul my all
In **1** answer to your lovesick call in hope someday I'd be your **5** wife,
But the **1** only thing you gave to me, was **4** bitter tears, and misery
I **1** may be wrong, but it-seems to me that you should pay
for what you've done 'cause **5** you have ruined my **1** life,

CHORUS

OUTRO: **1 5** , **1** , **1**

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| 1 = F |
| 4 = B ^b |
| 5 = C |