

# Old Time Preacher Man - Blue Moon Rising

Bluegrass Contemporary,  $\frac{2}{4}$  Time, Key of **G** My Key: \_\_\_\_

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

He was 1 just an old time 5 preacher 1 man, bib 5 overalls was all he 4 wore,  
He'd 1 preach the Word and 5 work the 1 land,  
Had a 5 backbone like a 4 two by 1 four,  
He could 1 barely even 5 write his 1 name,  
But he 5 knew the Good Book front to 4 back,  
No 1 earthly riches 5 could he 1 claim,  
He-lived 5 in an old tar 4 paper 1 shack,

## CHORUS:

I've 5 studied all he 1 taught me, even 4 since I was a 5 kid  
I 5 followed in his 1 footsteps watchin' 4 everything he 5 did  
1 Now I do my 4 best to make the 1 whole world under- 6m stand, (STOP)  
All the 1 lessons 4 that I've 1 learned, from the 5 old time preacher 1 man

**INSTRUMENTAL:** 5\*, 1, 1, 5, 5\*, 4, 4, 1, 5\*, 1, 1, 5, 4\*, 1, 1  
5, 1, 4, 5, 5, 1, 4, 5  
1, 4, 1, 6m, 6m, 1 4, 1, 5, 1, 1

I was 1 just a young boy 5 seven- 1 teen,  
When 5 revival came to my home 4 town,  
Every 1 word he spoke was 5 meant for 1 me,  
And I 5 felt the power of 4 God come 1 down,  
He was 1 there the day my 5 Mama 1 died,  
I didn't 5 know what I was gonna 4 do, I 1 felt so empty 5 down in- 1 side,  
But he 5 knew the words to 4 help me 1 through,  
He said just 2m hold, on tight to 4 Jesus, trust in 1 Him, and never 5 stray,  
Stay up 2m on, the straight and 4 narrow, you'll see 1 her, again some- 5 day,

## INSTRUMENTAL: Same as INTRO

Those 1 days are gone and 5 won't re- 1 turn,  
There's 5 troubled times through- 1 out the 6m land,  
There's a 1 lot of things we 5 all could 1 learn,  
5 From an old time 4 preacher 1 man,

## CHORUS

**OUTRO:** 5\*, 1, 1, 5, 5\*, 4, 4, 2m 3m, 4 5, 1