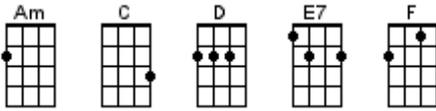


# House Of The Rising Sun - Traditional folk song



**STRUM:** ↓ phase ↑↓↑

**INTRO:** / 1 2 / 1 2

It's [Am] been the [C] ruin of [D] many a poor [F] boy  
And [Am] God I [E7] know I'm [Am] one [E7]

There [Am] is a [C] house in [D] New Orleans [F]  
They [Am] call the [C] Rising [E7] Sun [E7]  
And it's [Am] been the [C] ruin of [D] many a poor [F] boy  
And [Am] God I [E7] know I'm [Am] one [E7]

My [Am] mother [C] was a [D] tailor [F]  
She [Am] sewed my [C] new blue [E7] jeans [E7]  
My [Am] father [C] was a [D] gamblin' [F] man  
[Am] Down in [E7] New Or-[Am]leans [E7]

Now the [Am] only [C] thing a [D] gambler [F] needs  
Is a [Am] suitcase [C] and a [E7] trunk [E7]  
And the [Am] only [C] time [D] he's satis-[F]fied  
Is [Am] when he's [E7] on a [Am] drunk [E7]

He [Am] fills his [C] glasses up [D] to the [F] brim  
And [Am] pushes those [C] cards a-[E7]round [E7]  
The [Am] only [C] pleasure he [D] gets out of [F] life  
Is [Am] rambling from [E7] town to [Am] town [E7]

Now [Am] tell my [C] baby [D] sister [F]  
Not to [Am] do what [C] I have [E7] done [E7]  
But [Am] shun that [C] house in [D] New Orleans [F]  
They [Am] call the [E7] Rising [Am] Sun [E7]

Oh [Am] mother [C] tell your [D] children [F]  
Not to [Am] do what [C] I have [E7] done [E7]  
[Am] Spend your [C] lives in [D] sin and miser-[F]y  
In the [Am] House of the [E7] Rising [Am] Sun [E7]

Well, I got [Am] one foot [C] on the [D] platform [F]  
The [Am] other foot [C] on the [E7] train [E7]  
I'm [Am] goin' [C] back to [D] New Orleans [F]  
To [Am] wear that [E7] ball and [Am] chain [E7]

Well, there [Am] is a [C] house in [D] New Orleans [F]  
They [Am] call the [C] Rising [E7] Sun [E7]  
And it's [Am] been the [C] ruin of [D] many a poor [F] boy  
And [Am] God I [E7] know I'm [Am] one [C]

[D] / [F] / [Am] / [E7] / [Am] / [Am]↓