

Milk Cow's Calf Blues

By: Robert Johnson (who based his version on Kokomo Arnold's Milk Cow Blues) Recorded by Bob Dylan Apr 25, 1962 (Freewheelin' sessions)

Open D/E tuning Capo 8th or 10th fret

E7
 Well I woke up this morning looked all
 around
 see my milkcow, but she can't be found, please
 holler
 A7 E7
 please don't do don't do If
 you see me wrong me wrong
 E7-10 E7 A7 E7
 my milkcow Lord Lord send her home
 Well, I . . .

E7
 Well I woke up this morning, looked all around
 see my milkcow, but she can't be found,
 holler please, please don't do me wrong, don't do me wrong
 E7-10 E7 A7 E7
 If you see my milkcow, Lord, Lord send her home!

Well, I woke up this morning, blues around my bed
 couldn't even eat my breakfast ,blues in my bed
 holler please, please don't do me wrong, don't do me wrong
 If you see my milkcow, Lord, Lord send her home!

Mama, your calf is hungry I believe she needs a suck
 But your milk is turning blue, I believe she's out of luck
 holler please, please don't do me wrong, don't do me wrong
 If you see my milkcow, Lord God, send her home!

Well, since my milk cow left me, I been a-treated wrong
 I ain't had no milk an butter since my cow been gone
 holler please, please don't do me wrong, don't do me wrong
 If you see my milkcow, Lord, Lord, send her home, send her home!