

Clay And Oattie - Blue Highway

Bluegrass Contemporary, Key of **E** My Key: ____

INTRO: 2X (**1** , **4** , **6m** **5** , **4**)

Clay **1** listen close to what your brother **4** says
My **6m** mama stood a- **5** waitin' by the **4** door
While **1** daddy he, was way off in the **5** woods
He **6m** never saw, his **5** boy alive no **4** more
When **1** Clay and Oattie came to work in **4** Cleveland
It was **6m** hard to find a **5** job in thirty **4** two
Then **1** Oattie came down sick and Clay was **5** helpless
To **6m** stop his greatest **5** fear from coming **4** true

CHORUS:

5 Home, is all, I have **1** left
In this **4** world, to hold **1** on, **5** to,
But **6m** now they've **5** let it **4** go
And I've **1** nothing left to **5** show,
It'll **6m** never be, the **5** same to me no **4** more

INSTRUMENTAL: Same as INTRO

Now **1** living on the farm was all we **4** knew
And **6m** in my mind I **5** see the home place **4** still
But-they **1** said they'd rather sell and go to **5** rentin'
Than **6m** leave poor Oattie, **5** in some potter's **4** field

Single Strum: My **1** daddy never owned another **4** farm
And he **6m** grew to be, an **5** old and bitter **4** man
While **1** Mama stares off down the gravel **5** road
She can **6m** still see Oattie **5** stop and wave a- **4** gain

CHORUS 2X but first time: skip last line

It'll **6m** never be, the **5** same to me no **4** more,,

1 = E
4 = A
5 = B
6 = D ^b