

Ballad of Jed Clampett - Flatt & Scruggs

Bluegrass Classic, Key of **A** My Key: ____

INTRO: **1** , **2m** **5** , **5** , **1** , **1** , **4** **2** , **5** , **5** **1** , **1** , **1**

Come and **1** listen to a story 'bout a **2m** man named **5** Jed
5 Poor mountaineer barely **1** kept his family fed
1 Then one **3** day he was **4** shooting for some **2** food
And **5** up through the ground come a bubbling **1** crude

SPOKEN: Oil that is, black gold, Texas tea

INSTRUMENTAL: Same as **INTRO**

Well the **1** first thing you know **2m** old Jed's a million- **5** aire
5 Kin folk said Jed **1** move away from there
He **1** said Cali- **3** fornia is the **4** place you oughta **2** be
So he **5** loaded up the truck and they moved to Bever- **1** ly

SPOKEN: Hills that is, swimming pools, movie stars

INSTRUMENTAL

1 Now it's time to say goodbye to **2m** Jed and all his **5** kin
5 They would like to thank you folks for **1** kindly dropping in
You're **1** all invited **3** back again to **4** this locali- **2** ty
To **5** have a heaping helping of their hospitali- **1** ty

SPOKEN: Beverly Hillbillies, that's what they call 'em now

Nice folks, y'all come back, hear

INSTRUMENTAL to fade...

1 = A
2 = B
3 = D ^b
4 = D
5 = E