

*The **Hobo Song - Old & in the Way***

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

Too late to feel **6m** sorrow, **5 4** , too late to feel **2m** pain
7^b He's just an old **2m** hobo, and he's **1** lost out, in the rain
He'll never cause **6m** trouble, **5 4** , so don't have no **2m** fear
7^b He's just an old **2m** hobo
And he'll **1** soon be far away from here

2X REFRAIN:

3 He used to be, a gambling man, **4** just like you
Until he **1** sank so low, there was **5** nothing that no
One could **4** do, **1**

INSTRUMENTAL: 2X (6m , 4 , 2m , 7^b , 2m , 4 , 1)
2X (3 , 3 , 4 , 4 , 1 , 5 , 4 , 1)

Oh don't make him **6m** ask you, **5 4**
Oh don't make him **2m** beg
7^b He was a war **2m** hero, and that's **1** how he, hurt his leg
He killed thirty **6m** injuns, **5 4** , with one cannon **2m** ball
7^b And he's just an old **2m** hobo, a- **1** sleep out in the hall

2X REFRAIN / INSTRUMENTAL

A wife and five **6m** children, **5 4** , who live in L **2m** A
7^b They miss their dear **2m** daddy, who's **1** gone so far away
They still have his **6m** picture, **5 4** , it's a-hung on, the **2m** wall
7^b And he's just an old **2m** hobo, a- **1** sleep out in the hall

3X REFRAIN

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