

St. Louis Blues

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Medium tempo

(♩ = $\overset{\frown}{\text{3}}$)

G⁷ C⁷ G G⁷

I hate to see_ the ev'-nin' sun go down,_____

C C⁷ G

Hate to see_ the ev'-nin' sun go down;_____

D⁷ G D⁷

'Cos my ba - by_ he done left this town._____

G⁷ C⁷ G G⁷

Feel-in' to - mor - row like_ I feel to - day;_____

C C⁷ G

Feel to - mor - row like_ I feel to - day._____

D⁷ G

I'll pack my trunk_ make my get - a - way._____ St. Lou-is

Gm C#dim D7

wo - man, — with her dia - mond rings, — Pulls that

Gm D7

man 'round — by her a - pron strings. — 'Twant for

Gm C#dim D7

pow - der, — and for store - bought hair, — The

Gm A7 D7

man I love — would not gone no - where, no - where. Got the

G G6 G G6 G G6 G G6 G G7

St. Lou - is blues, just as blue as I can be. — That —

C C7 G

man got a heart like a rock cast - in the — sea, — Or —

Am7 D7 G C7 G

else he — would - n't have gone — so — far — from — me. —

(See over for block lyrics)