

True Life Blues

Bill Monroe

I IV
I hate to see the sun sink low
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Just for a cause you ought to know
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For it's true love I can't forget
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All of my sorrows you'll soon regret

You promised me love that was true
I'm sorry to say that I believed in you
For its all turned out just like a dream
Left me so sad in the world it seems

There's dishes to wash and a house to clean
There's washing to do it seems so mean
There's a million words I can't explain
Think of this girl before you change your name

They'll go away and leave you at home
They'll never care if you're alone
They seem to forget they've got a wife
This story is sad, but it's a true life

Chart - Verse

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