

House of the Rising Sun – The Animals

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[intro]

(Am) (C) (D) (F)
(Am) (E7) (Am) (E7)

There **(Am)**is a **(C)**house in **(D)**New Orleans **(F)**
 They **(Am)**call the **(C)**Rising **(E7)**Sun **(E7)**
 And it's **(Am)**been the **(C)**ruin of **(D)**many a poor boy **(F)**
 And **(Am)**God I **(E7)**know I'm
(Am)one **(C) (D) (F)**
(Am) (E7) (Am) (E7)

My **(Am)**mother **(C)**was a **(D)**tailor **(F)**
 She **(Am)**sewed my **(C)**new blue **(E7)**jeans **(E7)**
 My **(Am)**father **(C)**was a **(D)**gambling **(F)**man
(Am)Down in **(E7)**New Or**(Am)**leans **(E7)**

Now the **(Am)**only **(C)**thing a **(D)**gambler **(F)**needs
 Is a **(Am)**suitcase **(C)**and a **(E7)**trunk **(E7)**
 And the **(Am)**only **(C)**time he's **(D)** satisfied **(F)**
 Is **(Am)**when he's **(E7)**all a-**(Am)**drunk **(E7)**

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Oh **(Am)**mother **(C)** tell your chil**(D)**dren **(F)**
 Not to **(Am)**do what **(C)**I have **(E7)**done **(E7)**
(Am)Spend your **(C)**lives in **(D)**sin and mise**(F)**ry
 In the **(Am)**house of the **(E7)**Rising **(Am)**Sun **(E7)**

Well I got **(Am)**one foot **(C)** on the **(D)**platform **(F)**
 And the **(Am)**other **(C)**foot on the **(E7)**train **(E7)**
 I'm **(Am)**going **(C)**back to **(D)**New Orleans **(F)**
 To **(Am)**wear that **(E7)**ball and
(Am)chain **(C) (D) (F)**
(Am) (E7) (Am) (E7)

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(Am) (E7) (Am) (Dm)
(Dm – for four bars) (Am – single strum)

