

House of the Rising Sun

American - Traditional

Slowly

6/8 Arrangment with Arpeggiated Backup

The musical score is presented in five systems, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The piano accompaniment consists of arpeggiated chords in the left hand and a simple harmonic line in the right hand. The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

Am C Dm F Am G E
There

Am C Dm F
is a house in New Orleans. They

Am G E
call it the Ri - sing Sun. It's

Am C Dm F
been the ru - in of man - y a poor girl. And

Am E Am
God, I know I'm one.

House of the Rising Sun has unknown origins, but has been performed and recorded by hundreds of people, both from the male and female perspective. Several versions are on YouTube.com, from Sponge Bob to Sinead O'Connor. Check there for more verses.