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Moderato

The piano introduction is in 4/4 time, marked Moderato. It features a right-hand melody with eighth and sixteenth notes and a left-hand accompaniment of chords and single notes. A 'l.h.' marking is present in the third measure of the right hand.

Tempo di blues

The piano accompaniment for the first line of lyrics is in 4/4 time, marked Tempo di blues. It includes a 'Vamp' section with a repeating rhythmic pattern. The lyrics 'I ne-ver' are aligned with the music.

The piano accompaniment for the second line of lyrics is in 4/4 time. The lyrics 'felt so lone some be - fore My friend has' are aligned with the music. The piano part features chords and moving lines in both hands.

The piano accompaniment for the third line of lyrics is in 4/4 time. The lyrics 'quit me He's gone for sure. He broke my' are aligned with the music. The piano part continues with chords and moving lines in both hands.

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heart for I loved him true so now I'm

wor-ried Lone - some and blue. I've got the

blues on my mind _____ And I just feel like

cry - ing all the time

Chorus

Woke up this morn - in' the day was dawnin' And I was feel-in' all
No use in greiv - in' Be-cause I'm leavin' I'm bro-ken hearted and

sad and blue I had no-bod-y to tell my troubles to
Dix - ie bound lawd I've been mistreat-ed Aint got no time to loose

I felt so wor-ried I didn't know what to
My train is wait - in' And I've got the down home

do blues But there's

l.h.