

# Bottle Of Wine

by Tom Paxton (1963)

A A A E<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub>

A A  
Bottle of wine, fruit of the vine,  
A E<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub>  
When you gonna let me get so ber?  
A A  
Leave me alone, let me go home,  
A E<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub> A E<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub>  
Let me go home and start o ver.

A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub> D<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub>  
Ramblin' 'round this dirty old town,  
A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub>  
Singin' for nickels and dimes,  
A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub> D<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub>  
Time's gettin' rough, I ain't got enough  
A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub> A  
To buy me a bottle of wine.

Little hotel, older than hell,  
Dark as the coal in a mine.  
Blankets are thin, I lay there and grin,  
Cause I got a little bottle of wine.

A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub> D<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub> A A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub> D<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub> A<sub>(1/2)</sub> E<sub>(1/2)</sub> A

It's a pain in my head, bugs in my bed,  
And my pants are so old that they shine.  
Out on the street, tell the people I meet  
To buy me a bottle of wine.

Preacher will preach, teacher will teach,  
Miner will dig in the mine.  
I ride the rods, trusting in God  
Huggin' my bottle of wine.