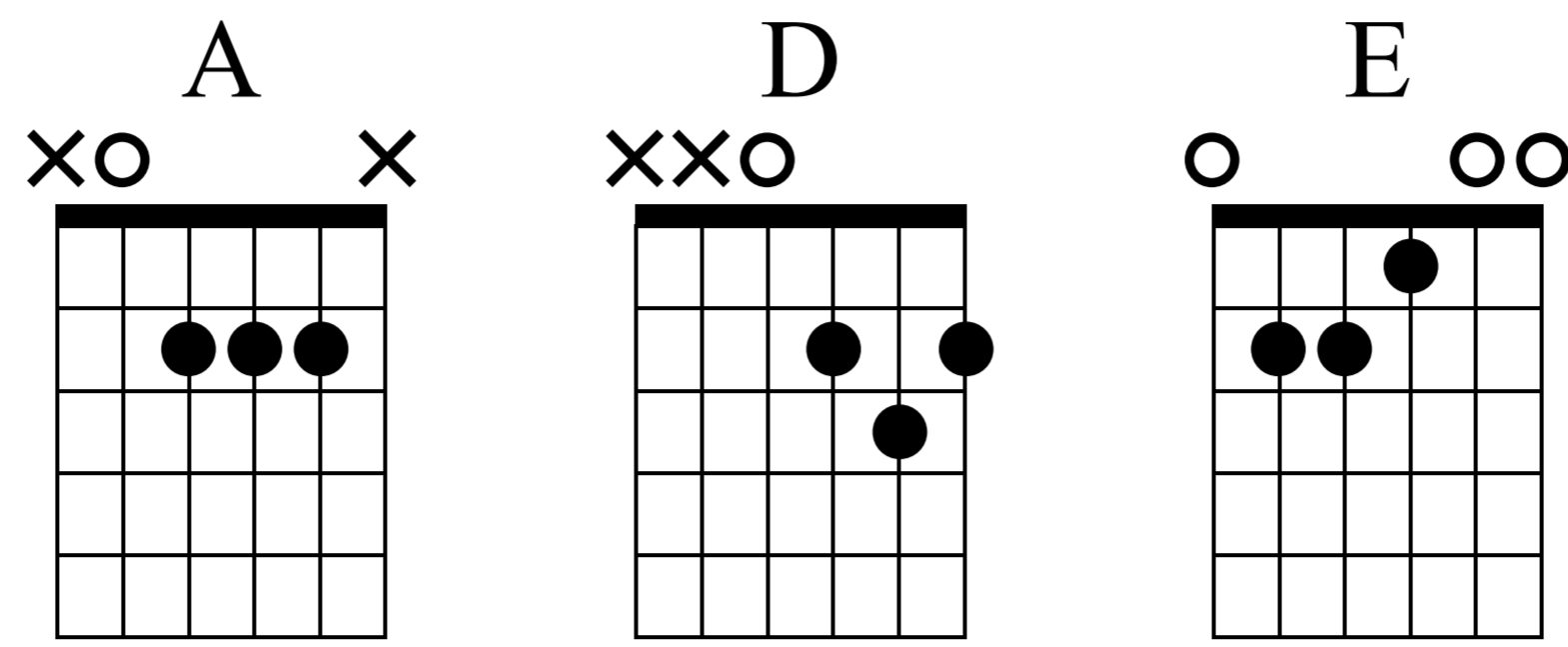
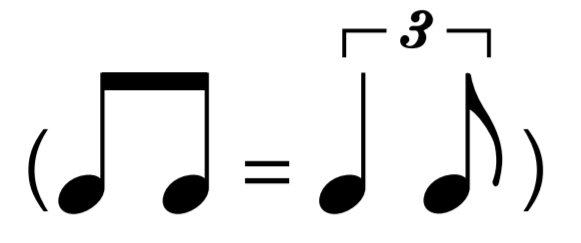


# "King of the Road"

Roger Miller



♩ = 118



**Bass Intro**

**Verse 1 & 2**

Capo. fret 1

4/4

1

4x 2

A

V

V

V

D

3

Trailer's Third box for car, midnight or rent train

E

4

A

V

V

V

V

5

Rooms Destination to let, 50 Bangor, cents Maine

A

D

6

V

V

V

V

7

No phone, Old, worn out no pool, suit no and pets shoes

E

8

E

9

I ain't got no cigarettes union Ah, but, I don't pay no no dues I smoke

A

D

10

V

V

V

V

11

two hours sto- of gies pushin' I have broom found Buys an

E

12

A

13

eight Short, by but twelve not too four- bit big room around I'm a I'm a

### Chorus 1 & 2

14 **A** man man of of means means by no means

15 **D**

16 **E** King King of of the road road I know ev-

17 **D**

### Verse 3

Capo 2 Modulate up 1/2 Step

18 **A** ry engineer on every train

19 **D**

20 **E** All their children, and all of their names And

21 **A**

22 **A** every handout in every town

23 **D**

24 **E** Every lock that ain't locked, when no one's around I sing,

25 **D**

### Verse 4

26 **A** trailers for sale or rent

27 **D**

28 **E** Rooms to let, 50 cents

29 **A**

30 **A** **D**  
 No phone, no pool, no pets

32 **E**  
 I ain't got no cigarettes Ah, but,

34 **A** **D**  
 two hours of pushin' broom Buys an

36 **E** **A**  
 eight by twelve four-bit room I'm a

**Chorus 3**

38 **A** **D**  
 man of means by no means

40 **E**  
 King of the road

**Verse 5 Fade Out**

42 **A** **D**  
 Trailers for sale or rent

44 **E** **A**  
 Rooms to let, 50 cents

46 <sup>A</sup> <sup>V</sup> <sup>V</sup> <sup>V</sup> <sup>V</sup> <sup>D</sup> 47

No phone, no pool, no pets

Fade Out

48 <sup>E</sup> 49

I ain't got no cigarettes Ah, but,

50 <sup>A</sup> <sup>D</sup> 51

two hours of pushin' broom buys

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**Verse 1**

A            D            E

Trailers for sale or rent

D

Rooms to let, 50 cents

D            E

No phone, no pool, no pets

I ain't got no cigarettes

A            D

Ah, but, two hours of pushin' broom

E            A

Buys an eight by twelve four-bit room

D            E

I'm a man of means by no means

King of the road

**Verse 2**

A            D            E

Third boxcar, midnight train

A

Destination Bangor, Maine

D            E

Old, worn out suit and shoes

I don't pay no union dues

A            D            E

I smoke old stogies I have found

A

Short, but not too big around

D            d    E

I'm a man of means by no means

King of the road

**Verse 3**

A D E

I know every engineer on every train

A

All of their children, and all of their names

D E

And every handout in every town

Every lock that ain't locked, when no one's around

A D E

I sing, trailers for sale or rent

A

Rooms to let, 50 cents

D E

No phone, no pool, no pets

I ain't got no cigarettes

A D

Ah, but, two hours of pushin' broom

E A

Buys an eight by twelve four-bit room

D E

I'm a man of means by no means

King of the road

**Outro (Verse1)**

A D E

Trailers for sale or rent

A

Rooms to let, 50 cents

D E

No phone, no pool, no pets

I ain't got no cigarettes

A D E

Ah, but, two hours of pushin' broom buys...