

**Born on the Bayou chords**  
**Creedence Clearwater Revival 1968**

**This is easy ... just use the verse for everything except the SOLOS**  
**Use it for the OUTRO too, use volume pedal to fade out**

**[BB:MAIN] SILENT**

**[BB:OUT]SONG**

**1 measure count in**

**2 measures E chord (bass)**

**RIFF STARTS - 2 measures w/o bass**

**RIFF 6 measures**

**(USE E7\* E/E7\*\* throughout)**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\***

**Now, when I was just a little boy**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\***

**Standin' to my Daddy's knee**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\***

**My poppa said, "Son, don't let the man get you an'**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\***

**Do what he done to me"**

**E7\*      E7\*\***

**'Cause he'll get you**

**E7\*      E7\*\***

**'Cause he'll get you mama**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\***

**And I can remember the fourth of July**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\* D A**

**Runnin' through the backwood, bare**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\***

**And I can still hear my old hound dog barkin'**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\* D A**

**Chasin' down a hoodoo there**

**E7\*      E      E7\*\* D A**

**Chasin' down a hoodoo there**

## CHORUS

E7\*        E E7\*\* D A

Born on the bayou

E7\*        E E7\*\* D A

Born on the bayou

E7\*        E E7\*\* D A

Born on the bayou

E7\*        E E7\*\* D A

(NO WORDS HERE)

SOLO 1/2 (see TAB), then 4 measures riff

E7\*        E        E7\*\*

Wish I was back on the bayou

E7\*        E        E7\*\*

Rollin' with some Cajun queen

E7\*        E        E7\*\*

Wishin' I were a fast freight train

E7\*        E        E7\*\*

Just a chooglin' on down to New Orleans

E7\*        E E7\*\* D A

Born on the bayou

E7\*        E E7\*\* D A

Born on the bayou

E7\*        E E7\*\* D A

Born on the bayou

E7\*        E E7\*\* D A

(NO WORDS HERE)

SOLO 3 (see TAB)

E7\* E E7\*\*

And I can remember the fourth of July

E7\* E E7\*\* D A

Runnin' through the backwood, bare

E7\* E E7\*\*

And I can still hear my old hound dog barkin'

E7\* E E7\*\* D A

Chasin' down a hoodoo there

E7\* E E7\*\* D A

Chasin' down a hoodoo there

E7\* E E7\*\* D A

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FOR THE OUTRO, JUST LET VERSE RIFF REPEAT, FADE OUT

(END)