

Old Blue - Key of A
G tuning Capo II

Martha Lee Gaches,
W. Stevens on
from Grandpa Jones

(G)

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Martha L. Laches,
W. Stevenson

Once I had an old blue dog
Chase that possum across that log,
Chase him down and run him up a tree
Then he'd stand and bark for me.

Come on, Blue, you rascal you,
Tree that possum for me and you
(repeat)

He'd chase him down and run him up a tree,
Then he'd stand and bark for me.
See that possum sittin' on a limb
He winked at me and I winked at him.

Come on, Blue, that will do,
There's enough for me and you.
(repeat)

As I'm singing of my song,
My old blue dog is dead and gone,
When he died I laid him in the shade,
Dug his grave with a silver spade
Laid him down with a golden chain,
Every time I did call his name

Blue, Blue, Blue, Blue,
Wish it was me instead of you.
(repeat)

Now when I lay my banjo down,
I'm going on to Heaven for to get me a crown,
When I get to Heaven first thing I'll do
Grab me a horn and blow for Blue.

Go on, Blue, I'm comin' too,
There's room enough for me y.