

## Bukka White

### "Poor boy long ways from home"

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Poor Boy Long Way From Home 2:21 Trk 21  
Bukka White (Booker T. Washington White)  
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Album: Parchman Farm Blues - Roots RTS 33055  
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Poor boy a long way from home  
Poor boy I'm a long way from home  
Poor boy I'm a long way from home  
I don't have no happy home to go home to

When I left my home my baby's in my arms  
When I left my home my baby's in my arms  
When I left my home my baby's in my arms  
She wanna know, 'Daddy, when you comin' back home?'

(guitar)

They got me down here on the farm  
Got me down here on old farm  
I don't have no one to come and go my bail  
Baby, I wanna come back home to you

(guitar)

Sorry, baby I can't call you over the phone  
Sorry, I can't call you over the phone  
'Cause they got me down here long distance phone  
But I can't call you baby over the phone.

(guitar to end)

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