

**#74 ANGEL FROM MONTGOMERY 4/4 Key of A #74**  
(John Prine)

*The timing pattern in the INTRO is repeated where you see \*\**

**INTRO:**

A /// D / (beat) D ///

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A I am an old woman D named after my mother A my old man is another D

E7 A/ A  
\*\* Child that's grown old (beat) (234)

A If dreams were thunder D and lightening was desire D

A This old house would've burnt down D

E7 A/ A  
\*\* A long time ago (beat) (234)

A G D A  
Make me an angel that flies from Montgomery

A G D A  
Make me a poster...of an old rodeo-o-o

A G  
Just give me one thing (34)

D A/ A  
\*\*That I can hold o-on to

A G  
To believe in this living... is just a

D A/ A  
\*\*Hard way to go (beat) (234)

A /// D / (beat) D ///

A /// D / (beat) D ///

A D A D A  
When I was a young girl I had me a cowboy A wasn't much to look at, just a

E7 A/ A  
\*\* Free ramblin' man (beat) (234)

A D A D  
But that was a long time and no matter how I try

A D  
The years just flow by like a

E7 A/ A  
\*\* Broken-down dam (beat) (234)

A                    G                    D                    A  
Make me an angel that flies from Montgomery

A                    G                    D                    A  
Make me a poster... of an old rodeo-o-o

A                    G  
Just give me one thing (34)

                  D                    A/                    A  
\*\*That I can hold o-on to

A                    G  
To believe in this living... is just a

                  D                    A/                    A  
\*\*Hard way to go (beat) (234)

A ///    D / (beat) D ///

A ///    D / (beat) D ///

A                    D                    A                    D  
There's flies in the kitchen    I can hear them a-buzzin'

A                    D  
And I ain't done nothin' since I

E7                    A/                    A  
\*\* Woke up today (beat) (234)

A                    D                    A                    D  
How the hell can a person    go to work in the morning

A                    D  
Come home in the evenin' and have

E7                    A/                    A  
\*\* Nothin' to say (beat) (234)

A                    G                    D                    A  
Make me an angel that flies from Montgomery

A                    G                    D                    A  
Make me a poster... of an old rodeo-o-o

A                    G  
Just give me one thing (34)

                  D                    A/                    A  
\*\*That I can hold o-on to

A                    G  
To believe in this living... is just a

                  D                    A/                    A  
\*\* Hard way to go (beat) (234)

A                    G  
To believe in this living... is just a

                  D                    A/  
\*\* Hard way to go