

Rose of Alabama (Alabama)

Key of G

Intro

1 i- sl Away from Mississippi's vale with my old hat there for a sail I

5 * 6 ** crossed upon a cotton bale to the rose of Alabama Old Brown Rosie

10 11 *** 12 13 * 14 ** Rose of Al bamy The Sweet tobacco posie is

15 the Rose i- po of Alabamy

* Alternate for measure 1, 5, 13

** Alternate drop-thumb measure 2, 6 & 14

*** Alternate drop-thumb measure 11

2 The river rose the cricket sang
The lightnin' bug he flash'd his wing
Then like a rope my arms I fling
Round Rose of Alabama
Chorus
Oh brown Rosie
Rose of Alabama
the sweet tobacco posey
Is the Rose of Alabama

3 So fare thee well l'il Liza Jane
And fare thee well you belles of Spain
For all Your charms are put to shame
By the Rose of Alabama
Chorus
Oh brown Rosie
Rose of Alabama
the sweet tobacco posey
Is the Rose of Alabama

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Note: For 3rd Lyrics and chorus, the banjo is silent
Banjo plays twice through for finale