## Bill Monroe, The Crossroads Bar

I walked out tonight for a ramble round I didn't mean to stay just to view the town When I saw her smiling from afar As she walked into that crossroads bar

Well I walked inside and sat me down Ordered sweet red wine and I drank it down She came and set beside me there With a dark brown eyes and the red, red hair

I told her that I loved her true Anything you want I'll surely do Said a man like you don't get too far With a girl like me at the crossroads bar

I like smoky light and a lonesome song
And I won't do right if I can do wrong
You want the moon to burn behind the darkest star
And you won't find love at the crossroads bar

Come all my friends and take my advice Keep your love at home with your lovely wife You're better off than you think you are And you won't find love at the crossroads bar