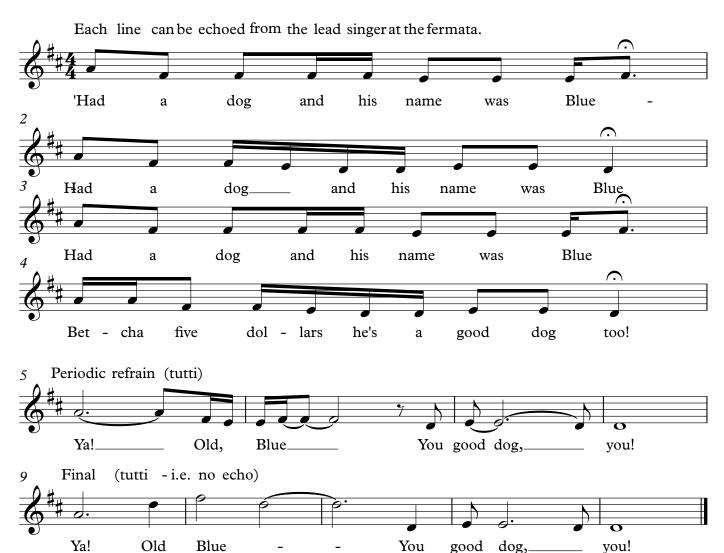
A Dog named Blue (Old Blue)

English American folk song



- 1. "Had a dog and his name was Blue--- betcha five dollars he's a good dog too
- 2. Every night just about good dark, Blue goes out and begins to bark
- 3.Blue chased a 'possum up a 'simmon tree, Blue looked at 'possum, 'possum looks at me
- 4. Chased that 'possum out on a limb. Blue set down and talked to him.
- 5. Blue got sick and very sick. Called for the doctor to come right quick.
- 6. Called for the doctor and the doctor come. Say "Blue your huntin' days are done."
- 7.Old Blue died and he died so hard, scratched little holes in my front yard.
- 8. When I get to heaven 'first thing I'll do.. pick up my horn and blow for Blue
- 9. Come on Blue, come on Blue, there's a 'possum in heaven for me and you.

Collection: Joan Litman 1954 from my father, Jim Isaacs. Many recorded and printed variations.