

Wreck of the Old '97

Pathfinders Bluegrass

Bluegrass ♩ = 200

VOCALS

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Oh they gave him his or- ders down in
Then He turned 'round and said to his
It's a high- ty rough road from
He was comin' down the grade, do- ing
Oh now, all you lad ies, you had bet-

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VOCALS

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Mon- roe, Vir- ginia, Say- ing, "Steve, you're way be- hind
tired, fire greasy man, "Just sho vel in a little more
Lynch- burg to Dan- ville, With a climb on a three mile
ninety miles an hour, When his whis tle broke into a
ter take this warn ing, From this time now and

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VOCALS

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time; This is not Thir ty- Eight, but it's
coal; And when we that reach that
grade; It was on that grade that he
scream; He was found in the wreck, with his
learn: Nev er speak harsh words to your

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Old Nine ty Sev en, You must put her in to Spen- cer on
 White Oak Moun- tain, You just watch Old Nine ty Se ven
 lost his air brakes, You can see what a jump he
 hand on the throttle. He was scalded to death by the
 true love or husband, He may leave you and never

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time." (Then He)
 roll." (It's a)
 made. (He was)
 steam. (Oh now)
 return.

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VOCALS

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