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- THELONIUS MONK

BLUE MONK

6/4 | Go-ing a-lone,
Life's a school | Life is your own:
Less you're a fool - | But the cost is some-times dear -
But the learning brings you pain -

B♭ | E7 | B♭ | F7

6/4 | Be-ing com-plete
Knowing at once | knowing defeat -
you're just a dunce -

B♭ | E7 | E7

6/4 | Keeping on, from year to year
Trial and er-ror loss - and gain } | It takes some do-ing - | (3)

B♭ | F7 | B♭ | F7

6/4 | Monk-er-is the blues you hear - | Keeping on from year
Monk-er-is a slow, slow train - Trial and error loss - | to year -
and gain. - | ? (F7)

"THE THELONIUS MONK STORY"
"MONK'S GREATEST HITS"

Finding your own place in the sun Doesn't come the easy way

Shallow and deep Nothing is cheap

Measure by the dues you pay It takes some doing

Monkery's blue highway . Measure by the dues you pay .