

# Old John Braddlem

From the singing of Bob Blake, Horsham

Verse

My fa - ther died I know - not - how And  
left me six hor - ses to foll - ow the plough Sing - ing

Chorus (Faster)

Old John Bradd- (e)l - em Wiag wig wadd- (e)l - em Jack's in the sadd- le on  
Gloss - y Boy, Gloss - y Boy und - der the broom.

Ral. . . . .

Vse 2.

I sold my horses and bought me a cow  
For to make my fortune I could not think how

Chorus.

Vse 3.

I sold my cow and bought me a calf  
And in so doing I lost the better half

Chorus.

Vse 4.

I sold my calf and bought me a cat  
And in the corner the pretty creature sat

Chorus.

Vse.5.

I sold my cat and bought me a mouse  
He set fire to his tail and burnt my little house

Chorus.

Transcriber's notes.

Taken from a live recording, with audience participation on the choruses. BB sings this in the key of F# major, but it is notated here in G major as a more convenient key. His tempo for the verses is approx. 140, with the choruses taken faster at about 180, slowing for the last phrase. His phrasing is fairly even, but not rigidly so.