



The **Quick Start Guide** to **Improvising the Blues** on Saxophone.

INSTRUCTIONS: Fill in this worksheet as you go through the workshop. Watch out for the links during the session to download the backing tracks you can use to practice the techniques you learn, and join in the Q&A at the end!

Right now, I **struggle** with:

- ☐ Knowing which notes to play.
- ☐ Making my solos convincing.
- ☐ Where to start with my solo.
- ☐ Confidence when improvising.

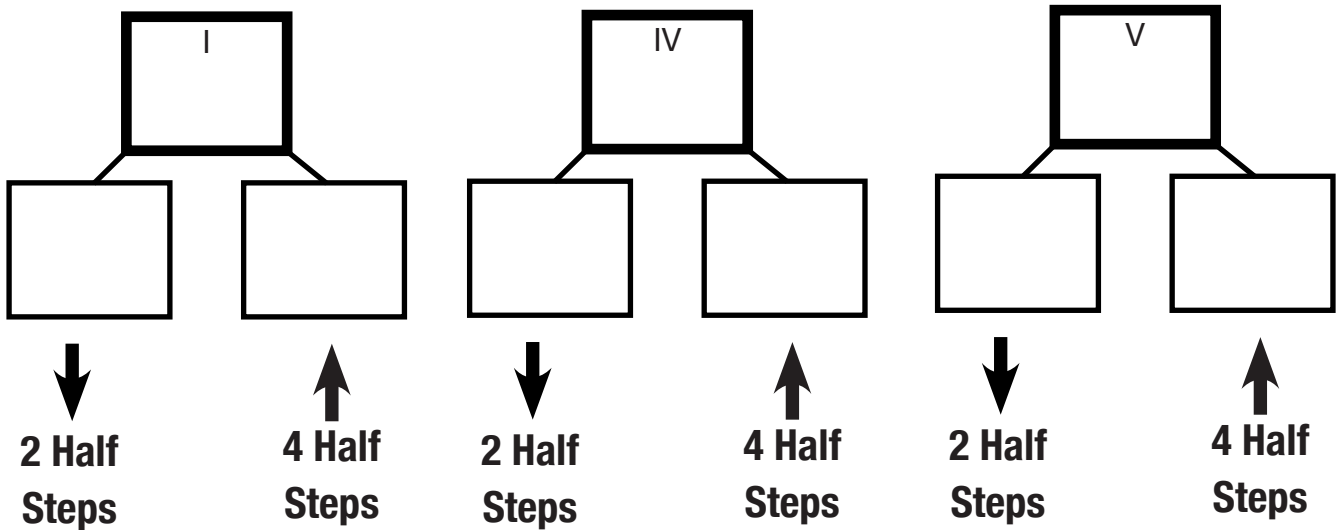
The **5 Secrets** for Interesting Blues Solos

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✓ Use these tips
EVERY TIME
you improvise
to make your solos
awesome!

The 3-Note Blues Trick

A Bb B C C# D D# E F F# G G# A



The Standard 12 Bar Blues format

I _ _ _	I _ _ _	I _ _ _	I _ _ _
IV _ _ _	IV _ _ _	I _ _ _	I _ _ _
V _ _ _	IV _ _ _	I _ _ _	I _ _ _



Fill in the three notes for each bar.