

Cry me a river

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Piano introduction in B-flat major, 4/4 time. The melody features several triplet figures in the right hand, while the left hand provides a steady accompaniment.

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Now ——— You say you're lone - ly ——— You cry the long night

Dom La^b Dom6 Dom7 Fam7 Solm9 Si^b+

Musical notation for the first vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line starts with a measure rest, followed by the lyrics. The piano accompaniment includes chords and a bass line.

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thro', ——— Well you can cry — me a ri - ver, Cry — me a ri - ver —

Mi^bM7Ré^m7 Sol7 Solm7 Soldim Do7+ Fa9

Musical notation for the second vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line includes a measure rest and the lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues with chords and a bass line.

I cried a ri - ver o - ver you ——— Now ——— you say you're

Fam7 Si^b7 Fam7 Mi^b6 Mi^bdim La^bm6 Dom La^b

Musical notation for the third vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line includes a measure rest and the lyrics. The piano accompaniment concludes with chords and a bass line.

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sor - ry _____ For be - in' so un - true, _____ Well, you can

Dom6 Dom7 Fam7 Solm Si^{b+} Mi^bM7Ré^m7 Sol7

cry — me a ri - ver, Cry — me a ri - ver, — I cried a ri - ver o - ver

Solm7 Soldim Do7+ Fa9 Fam7 Si^b7 Fam7

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you You drove me; — near - ly drove me out of my head, — While

Mi^b6 Dom Ré7⁴9 Solm Solm6 Dom6 Ré7sus Ré7

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you — ne · ver shed a tear — Re · mem · ber ? — I re · mem · ber

Solm Solm6 Dom6 Ré7 Solm Solm6

All that you said; - Told me love was too Ple-be-ian, Told me you were thro' with me, And

Dom6 Ré7sus Ré7 Sol Sol6 Ré7m7 Sol7

Now _____ you say you love me, _____ Well, just to prove you

Dom Lab Dom6 Dom7 Fam7 Solm Sib+

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do, _____ Come on, an' cry _____ me a ri - ver, Cry - me a ri - ver, -

Mib7 Ré7m7 Sol7 Solm7 Soldim Do7+ Fa9

I cried a ri - ver o - ver you _____ you.

Fam7 Sib7 Fam7 Mib6 Labm6 Sol7 Mib6

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Now you say you're lonely
You cry the long night through
Well, you can cry me a river
Cry me a river
I cried a river over you

Now you say you're sorry
For being so untrue
Well, you can cry me a river
Cry me a river
I cried a river over you

You drove me, nearly drove me, out of my head
While you never shed a tear
Remember, i remember, all that you said?
You told me love was too plebeian
Told me you were through with me and

Now you say you love me
Well, just to prove that you do
Come on and cry me a river
Cry me a river
I cried a river over you

Maintenant tu dis que tu es seul
Tu pleures la nuit entière
Bien, tu peux me pleurer une rivière,
Pleure-moi une rivière
J'ai pleuré une rivière sur toi

Maintenant tu dis que tu es désolé
D'avoir été si faux
Bien, tu peux me pleurer une rivière,
Pleure-moi une rivière
J'ai pleuré une rivière sur toi

Tu m'as fait, tu m'as presque fait perdre l'esprit
Alors que toi tu n'as jamais versé une larme
Je me souviens, je me souviens de tout ce que tu disais
Tu me disais que l'amour était trop commun
Tu me disais que tu en avais fini avec moi et

Maintenant tu me dis que tu m'aimes
Bien, prouve le simplement
Allez pleure-moi une rivière,
Pleure-moi une rivière
J'ai pleuré une rivière sur toi