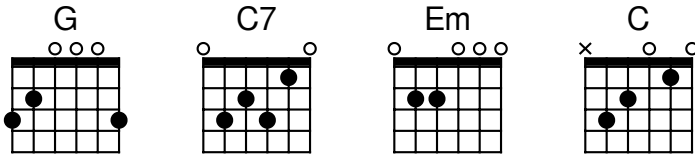


# 96 Tears

By Rudy Martinez; performed by Question Mark and the Mysterians (1966)



Intro: [G] [C7] [G] [C7]

[G] Too many teardrops  
For [C7] one heart to be [G] crying [C7]  
Too many [G] teardrops  
For [C7] one heart to carry [G] on

[C7] You're way on [G] top now [C7] since you [G] left me  
You're always [G] laughing way down at [C7] me  
But watch [G] out now, I'm gonna get [C7] there  
We'll be to- [G] gether for just a little [C7] while  
And then I'm gonna [G] put you way down [C7] here  
And you'll start [G] crying ninety-six [C7] tears  
[G] Cry, [C7] [G] cry [C7]

Chorus:

[Em] And when the sun comes up, [C] I'll be on top  
[Em] You'll be right down there, [C] looking up  
[Em] And I might wave, [C] come up here  
[Em] But I don't see you [C] waving now  
[Em] I'm way down here, [C] wondering how  
[Em] I'm gonna get you [C] but I know now  
[G] I'll just [C7] cry, [G] cry, I'll just [C7] cry

Verse:

Too many [G] teardrops  
For [C7] one heart to be [G] crying [C7]  
Too many [G] teardrops  
For [C7] one heart to [G] carry on [C7]  
You're gonna [G] cry ninety-six [C7] tears  
You're gonna [G] cry ninety-six [C7] tears

You're gonna [G] cry, cry, cry, [C7] cry now  
You're gonna [G] cry, cry, cry, [C7] cry  
[G] Ninety-six [C7] tears

Break:

[Em] And when the sun comes up, [C] I'll be on top  
[Em] You'll be right down there, [C] looking up  
[Em] And I might wave, [C] come up here  
[Em] But I don't see you [C] waving now  
[Em] I'm way down here, [C] wondering how  
[Em] I'm gonna get you [C] but I know now  
[G] I'll just [C7] cry, [G] cry, I'll just [C7] cry

Let me [C7] hear you [G] cry now, [C7] all night [G] long  
[C7] Uh, ninety-six [G] tears, yeah, come [G] on now  
[C7] Uh, ninety-six [G] tears

[C7] [G] (hold)