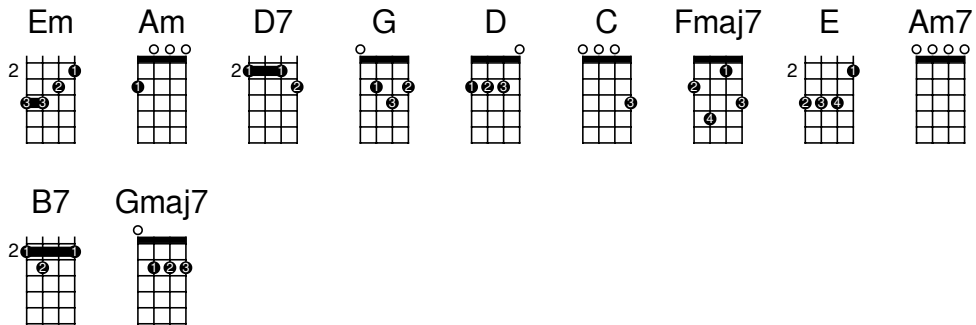


Killing Me Softly With His Song

Roberta Flack



[Em]Strumming my pain with his [Am]fingers
[D7]singing my life with his [G]words
[Em]killing me softly with [A/C#]his song
killing me [D]softly with [C]his song
telling my [G]whole life with [C]his words.
Killing me [Fmaj7]softly
with his [E]song.

[Am7/D] [D] [Am7/D]0000 -[D]000
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Verse

[Am7] I heard he [D]sang a good song
[G] I heard he [C]had a style
[Am7] and so I [D]came to see him
to [Em]listen for a while.
[Am7] And there he [D7]was this young boy
[G] a stranger [B7]to my eyes.

Chorus

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Verse

[Am7] I felt all [D]flushed with fever
[Gmaj7] embarrassed [C]by the crowd.
[Am7] I felt he [D]found my letters
and [Em]read each one out loud.
[Am7] I prayed that [D7]he would finish
[Gmaj7] but he just [B7]kept right on.

Chorus

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Verse

[Am7] He sang as [D]if he knew me
[Gmaj7] in all my [C]dark despair.
[Am7] And then he [D]looked right through me
as [Em]if I wasn't there.
[Am7] And he just [D7]kept on singing
[Gmaj7] singing [B7]clear and strong.

Chorus

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[Em] Ooooh oh [Am]ohhh
Oh Oh Oh [D7]ohhh oh Oh oh [G]ohhh
[Em]La la la, la [A/C#]la la
Oh [D]oh oh oh [C]oh oh
[G]La [C]aaa ah [Fmaj7]aaaah
[E]La ah ah ah ah aah

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[E]

Ending

He was [Em]strumming my pain[Am]
Yeah, he was [D7]singing my [G]life
[Em]killing me softly with [A/C#]his song
killing me [D]softly with [C]his song
telling my [G]whole life with [C]his words.
Killing [Fmaj7]me softly
with his [E]song.