

# The First Cut is the Deepest – Cat Stevens (1967)

Intro: G D C D (x 2) {2 beats per chord}

I would have given you all of my heart  
but there's someone who's torn it apa--aart  
and she's taken almost all that I've got  
but if you want, I'll try to love again  
baby I'll try to love again but I know

- The first cut is the deepest, Baby I kno-ow, the first cut is the deepest  
- 'Cause when it comes to being lucky she's cursed  
- When it comes to lovin' me she's wo-o-orst  
- But when it comes to bein' loved she's first, that's how I know ....  
- The first cut is the deepest, baby I kno-ow,  
The first cut is the deepest

**Chorus**

I still want you by my side, - Just to help me dry the tears that I've cri--ied  
- 'Cause I'm sure gonna give you a try,  
and if you want, I'll try to love again  
Baby I'll try to love again but I know

**Chorus**

Baby, I kno-ow, **the first cut is the deepest**  
Baby, I kno-ow, **the first cut is the deepest**  
- 'Cause when it comes to being lucky she's cursed  
- When it comes to lovin' me she's wo-o-orst  
- But when it comes to bein' loved she's first, that's how I know ....  
- **The first cut is the deepest,**  
Baby, I kno-ow, **the first cut is the deepest (x3)**  
G{stop}

Chords

