

# Down By The River

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Key: E  
Tempo: 110  
Vocals: MV

Intro **Em / A7**

Form

**Verse:**

| **Em7** / / / | **A** / / / |

**Chorus:**

**C** / / /	**Bm** / / /	**C** / / /	**Bm** / / /
**C** / / /	**Bm** / / /	**D** / / /	**D** / / /
**G** / **D** /	**D** / **A** /	**G** / **D** /	**D** / **A** /

V1 Be on my side, I'll be on your side, baby  
There is no reason for you to hide  
It's so hard for me staying here all alone  
When you could be taking me for a ride

Pre-chorus (Ooh la la lah la la lala) Yeah  
(Ooh la la lah la la lala) She could drag me over the rainbow  
(Ooh la la lah la la lala) And send me away

Chorus Down by the river I shot my baby  
Down by the river  
Dead, ooh  
Shot her dead, ooh

Lead *(Over verse chords)*

V2 You take my hand, I'll take your hand  
Together we may get away  
This much madness is too much sorrow  
It's impossible to make it today

*Pre-chorus*

*Chorus*

Jam **Verse chords**

Notes Studio (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KfICXmEX6BY>)  
1970 ([https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5icrWZnI\\_1w](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5icrWZnI_1w))