

# Killing me softly

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{	d <sup>1</sup>	.d <sup>1</sup>	:d	.d	:-	.l	:m	.s	-	.f	:-		:-	:	}	
	Strumming my pain					with his fin-			gers,							
	m	.m	:m	.m	:-	.d	:t <sub>1</sub>	.d	-	.d	:-		:-	:		
	l	.l	:l	.l	:-	.l	:l <sub>1</sub>	.r	-	.r	:-		:-	:		
{	t	.t	:t	.t	:-	.s	:r	.m	-		:-		:-	:	}	
	sing- ing my live					withhis words.										
	f	.f	:f	.f	:-	.f	:r	.m	m		:-		:r	:		
	s	.s	:s	.s	:-	.l	:t	.d	-		:-		:t <sub>1</sub>	:		
{	m	.m	:m	.m	:-	.l	:d <sup>1</sup>	.t	-	.l	:-		:r <sup>1</sup>	.r <sup>1</sup>	:r <sup>1</sup>	.d <sup>1</sup>
	Kill- ing me soft-					ly with his			song, kil- ling me soft-							
	d	.d	:d	.d	:-	.d	:m	.r	-	.fi	:-		:s	.l	:l	.l
	l	.l	:l	.l	:-	.s	:s	.fi	-	.r	:-		:m	.fi	:fi	.s
{	-	.t	:-		:		:s	.t	-	.l	:-	.	:l	.l	:d <sup>1</sup>	.l
	ly					with his			song, tell- ing my whole							
	-	.r	:-		:		:t <sub>1</sub>	.r	-	.d	:-	.	:s	.f	:l	.f
	-	.s	:-		:		:s	.f	-	.f	:-	.	:f	.f	:f	.d <sup>1</sup>
{	-	.s	:-		:		:d	.s	-	.f	:-	.	:f	.m	:m	.m
	live					with his			words, kill- ling me soft-							
	-	.m	:-		:		:d	.s	-	.d	:-	.	:d	.d	:d	.d
	-	.d <sup>1</sup>	:-		:		:d <sup>1</sup>	.s	-	.l	:-	.	:l	.l	:l	.ta
{	-	.r	:-		:-		:-		-		:-		:r		:r	
	ly								with his							
	-	.r	:-		:-		:-		-		:-		:ta		:r	
	-	.ta	:-		:-		:-		-		:-		:f		:ta	
{	m		:-		:-		:-		-		:-		:-	:	}	
	song															
	r		:-		:-		:-		di		:-		:-	:		
	l		:-		:-		:-		-		:-		:-	:		
{			:	.m	:f	.s	:-	.l	-		:s	:r	:-	.s	:-	}
	I heard he sang					a good song										
	I felt all flushed					with fe- ver,										
f		:f	.d	:d		:-			d		:d	.d	:-	.t <sub>1</sub>	:-	
Doot		doo, I		heard					dut	a good		song				
Doot		doo, I		felt					dut	with fe-		ver,				
r		:r			:-		:r		s		:s		:-	:s		
Doot		doo		du					doot	doo		doo				

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s	:-	.l	:s	:f	.m	-	.f	:-	.d	:-	:-
ooh,		I	heard	he	had		a		style.		
ooh,		em-	barr-	assed	by		the		crowd.		
r	.m	:-	:m	:d	.d	-	.d	:-	.d	:-	:-
doo	doo,		heard	he	had		a		style.		
doo	doo,		'barr-	assed	by		the		crowd.		
s	:s	:-	:ta	l			:l	:-	:m		
doot	do		doo	doot	doo		doo		doo		

f	:-	.m	:f	.s	:-	.l	-	:-	.s	:l	.t	:-	.t
Mm,		and	so	I		care			to	see	him		and
Mm,		I	felt	he		found			my	let-	ters		and
d	:-	:-	:-	.d	-	:-	:-	.t <sub>1</sub>	:d	.r	:-	.r	
Ooh,				care					to	see	him		and
Ooh,				found					my	let-	ters		and
r	:-	:-	:-	.s	-	:-	:-	.s	:s	.s	:-	.s	

d <sup>1</sup>	:t	.l	:-	.s	:l	-	:-	:-	:-	:-			
lis-		ten	for	a	while.								
read		each	one	out	loud.								
d	:r	.d	:-	.t <sub>1</sub>	:d	-	:-	:-	:-	:-			
l	:l	:-	:-	:l	l		:s		:m	.r	:d		
doot	doo			doo	lis-		ten		for		a		
doot	doo			doo	read		each		one		out		

f	:d <sup>1</sup>	.l	:-	:f	.m	-	:r	.m	:-	.f	:-		
Ooh,		and	there	he	was		this	young		boy,			
Ohh,		I	prayed	that	he		would	fin-		ish			
d	:m	.f	:-	:r	.d	-	:t <sub>1</sub>	.d	:-	.r	:-		
r	:-	:r	:-	:-	s		:f	:m	:r				
while,		doo		dim	dim		dim	dim	dim	dim			
loud,		doo		dim	dim		dim	dim	dim	dim			

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s	:-	.s	:s	:-	.s	si	.si	:-	.l	:-	.t	:-	
uh,		a	stran-		ger	to	my		eyes				
uh,		but	he		just	kept	right		on				
r	.m	:-	:m	:-	.m	r	.r	:-	.r	:-	.r	:-	
doo	doo,		stran-		ger	to	my		eyes.				
doo	doo,		he		just	kept	right		on.				
d	:d	:-	:d		m	.m	:-	.fi	:-	.si	:-		
doot	doo		doo		to	my			eyes				
doot	doo		doo		kept	right			on				

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	Strumming my pain					with his fin-				gers,							
	m	.m	:m	.m	:-	.d	:t <sub>1</sub>	.d	-	.d	:-	:-	:				
	l	.l	:l	.l	:-	.l	:l <sub>1</sub>	.r	-	.r	:-	:-	:				
{	t	.t	:t	.t	:-	.s	:r	.m	-		:-	:-	:	}			
	sing- ing my live					withhis words.											
	f	.f	:f	.f	:-	.f	:r	.m	m		:-	:r	:				
	s	.s	:s	.s	:-	.l	:t	.d	-		:-	:t	:				
{	m	.m	:m	.m	:-	.l	:d <sup>1</sup>	.t	-	.l	:-	:r <sup>1</sup>	.r <sup>1</sup>	:r <sup>1</sup>	.d <sup>1</sup>	}	
	Kill- ing me soft-					ly with his				song, kil- ling me soft-							
	d	.d	:d	.d	:-	.d	:m	.r	-	.fi	:-	:s	.l	:l	.l		
	l	.l	:l	.l	:-	.s	:s	.fi	-	.r	:-	:m	.fi	:fi	.s		
{	-	.t	:-		:	:s	.t		-	.l	:-	.	:l	.l	:d <sup>1</sup>	.l	}
		ly					with his			song,			tell- ing	my	whole		
	-	.r	:-		:	:					:d		:-	:-			
	-	ly								ah							
	-	.s	:-		:	:				:f		:-	:-				
{	-	.s	:-		:	:d	.s		-	.f	:-	.	:f	.m	:m	.m	}
		live					with his			words,			kill- ling	me	soft-		
			:m		:-	:d	.s		-	.d	:-	.	:d	.d	:d	.d	
		ah					with his			words,			kill- ling	me	soft-		
		:d <sup>1</sup>		:-		:d	.s <sub>1</sub>		-	.l	:-	.	:l	.l	:l	.ta	
{	-		:-	:r	:-	-		:-	:r	:r	m	:-	:-	:-			
				ly				with	his	song							
	-		:-	:r	:-	d	:ta <sub>1</sub>	:l	:s		:		:di	:-			
				ly				with	his				song				
	-		:-	:ta	:-	f	:r	:ta <sub>1</sub>	:ta <sub>1</sub>		:		:l <sub>1</sub>	:-			
								:t	:t				:l				