

Killing Me Softly

F

(Sax)

Keyboard

Em Am7 D G

5 Em A D C

9 G C F E

15 Am (Keyboard)

15 (Sax)

23 Am7 D7 G

I heard he sang a good song, I heard he had
I felt all flushed with fe - ver, em - bar - rassed by

23 (Sax - 2nd time only)

26 Cmaj7 Am7 D9 Em

a style, and so I came to see him to lis - ten for a - while.
the crowd. I felt he found my let - ters and read each one out loud.

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Am7 D7

And there he was, this young boy,
I prayed that he would fin - ish,

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G B7 Em

a stran - ger to my eyes, strum-ming my pain wllth his fin -
but he just kept right on

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Am7 D G

- gers, sing - ing my life with his words.

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Em A/C# D C

Kill-ing me soft - ly with his song, kill-ing me soft - ly with his song, tell-ing my whole

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G C F

life with his words, kill-ing me soft - ly with his song.

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1. E

2. E

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(Sax - Begin here)

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Am7 D7 G Cmaj7

He sang as if he knew me in all my dark des-pair.

(Sax)

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Am7 D9 Em

And then he looked right through me as if I was-n't there.

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Am7 D7 G B7

But he was there, this stran-ger, sing-ing clear and strong,

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Em Am7 D G

strum-ming my pain with his fin - gers, sing-ing my life with his words.

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67

Em A/C# D C

Kill-ing me soft - ly with his song, kill-ing me soft - ly with his song, tell-ing my whole

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G C F E

life with his words, kill-ing me soft - ly with his song.

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(Keyboard) Em Am7 D G

(Sax)

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81

Em A/C# D C

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G C F E

Kill-ing me soft - ly with his song.

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