

# Killing Me Softly

M

## Keyboard

(Sax) Cm A♭ B♭m E♭

5 Cm F B♭ A♭

9 E♭ A♭ D♭ C

15 Fm (Keyboard)

15 (Sax)

23 Fm7 B♭7 E♭

I heard she sang a good song,  
I felt all flushed with fever,  
I heard she had em-bar-rassed by

23 (Sax - 2nd time only)

26 A♭ Fm7 B♭ Cm

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

2  
30 Fm7 B♭

30  
And I there prayed she was, she would fin - ish, this young girl,

E♭ G Cm

33  
a stran - ger to my eyes, strum-ming my pain wlith her fin -  
but she just kept right on

A♭ B♭ E♭

36  
- gers, sing - ing my life with her words.

Cm F B♭ A♭

39  
Kill-ing me soft-ly with her song, kill-ing me soft - ly with her song, tell-ing my whole

E♭ A♭ D♭

43  
life with her words, kill-ing me soft - ly with her song.

47                    1. C                    2. C                    3

51 Fm7                    B♭7                    Eb                    Ab

She sang as if \_\_\_\_\_ knew me in all my dark\_\_\_\_des-pair.

(Sax)

55 Fm7                    B♭                    Cm

And then she looked\_\_\_\_right through me as if I was-n't there.

59 Fm7                    B♭                    Eb                    G

But she was there,\_\_\_\_this stran-ger, sing - ing clear\_\_\_\_and strong,

63 Cm                    Ab                    B♭                    Eb

strum-ming my pain with her fin - gers, sing-ing my life with her words.\_\_\_\_\_

4  
67 Cm F B♭ A♭

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

71 E♭ A♭ D♭ C

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

(Keyboard)  
77 Cm A♭ B♭m E♭

(Sax)

81 Cm F B♭ A♭

85 E♭ A♭ D♭ C

Kill-ing me soft - ly — with her song. —