

Killing Me Softly

M

Keyboard

(Sax)

A m

Dm7

G

C

5 Am

D

G

F

9

F

Bb

A

15 Dm

(Keyboard

ax)

Dm7

G7

C

I heard he sang a good song,
I felt all flushed with fever,

I heard he had
em - bar - rassed by _

(Sax - 2nd time only)

26 F maj 7

Dm7

G9

A m

— a style,
— the crowd

and so__ I came__ to see him to lis - ten for a - while
I felt he found__ my let - ters and read each one out loud.

2
30

D m7 G7

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

33 C E7 Am

a stran - ger to my eyes,
but he just kept right on

strum-ming my pain wth his fin -

36 Dm7 G C
- gers, — sing - ing my life with his words. —
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This image shows the bottom half of page 10 of a musical score. The top staff continues from the previous page, ending with a C chord. The bottom staff begins with a piano dynamic (indicated by a piano symbol) and a treble clef. It features a single melodic line with lyrics: '- gers, — sing - ing my life with his words. —'. The measure ends with a piano dynamic and a treble clef.

39 Am D/F# G F
Kill-ing me soft-ly with his song, kill-ing me soft - ly with his song, tell-ing my whole
39

43 C F B♭

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

43

47 1. A

47 2. A

3

51 Dm7 G7 C F maj7

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

(Sax)

51

55 Dm7 G9 Am

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

55

59 Dm7 G7 C E7

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

59

63 Am Dm7 G C

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

63

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67 Am D/F# G F

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

71 C F B♭ A

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

(Keyboard)

77 Am Dm7 G C

77 (Sax)

Am Dm7 G C

81 Am D/F# G F

81

85 C F B♭ A

Kill-ing me soft - ly with his song.

85