

# City Lights

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Medium [Ray Price 1958] (♩ = 110)

## Intro

The

The musical notation for the Intro is written on a single staff in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). It begins with a whole note chord of D7, followed by three measures of eighth notes with a D7 chord, and ends with two measures of eighth notes with a G chord. The lyrics 'The' are written below the final measure.

## Chorus

6 bright ar - ray of cit - y lights as far as I can see. The  
world was dark and God made stars to bright-en up the night. Did the

10 Great White Way shines through the night for lone - ly guys like me. A  
God who put the stars a - bove make those cit - y lights? Did He

14 cab - a - ret, a honk-y tonk, — their flash - ing signs in - vite a  
make a place for men to cry — when things don't turn out right? Are we

18 bro - ken heart to lose it-self in the glow of cit - y lights.  
just supposed to run and hide be-hind those cit - y lights?

The Chorus is written on five staves in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). It begins with a double bar line and a repeat sign. The chords are G, G7, C, C, D7, D7, D7, G, G, D7, D7, D7, G, G. The lyrics are written below the notes.

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## Verse

23 **D<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>7</sup>** **G** **G**

Lights that say, "For-get her name," in a glass of sherry wine.  
Lights that say, "For-get her love," in a dif-frent at-mosphere.

27 **D<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>7</sup>** **G** **G**

Lights that of - fer oth - er girls for emp - ty hearts like mine. They  
Lights that lure are nothing but a mas-quer - ade for tears. They

31 **G** **G<sup>7</sup>** **C** **C**

paint a pret - ty pic - ture of a world that's gay and bright, but it's  
paint a pret - ty pic - ture but my arms can't hold them tight, and I

35 **D<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>7</sup>** **G**

just a mask for lone - li - ness be - hind those cit-y lights. **FINE**  
just can't say "I love you" to a street of cit-y lights.

## Solo

39 **G** **G<sup>7</sup>** **C** **C**

43 **D<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>7</sup>** **G** **G**

The