

The Man I Love

Standard Key

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Ballad [Billie Holiday 1940] (♩ = 90)

A1 E^bMA^7 E^bMI^7 $GMI^{7(b5)}$ $C^{7(\#5)}$

Someday he'll come along, The man I love. And he'll be big and strong, The man I love,

5 $FMI^{7(b5)}$ B^b7 $G^{7(\#5)}$ C^9 FMI^7 B^b7

And when he comes my way, I'll do my best to make him stay.

A2 E^bMA^7 E^bMI^7 $GMI^{7(b5)}$ $C^{7(\#5)}$

He'll look at me and smile, I'll understand. And in a little while He'll take my hand.

13 $FMI^{7(b5)}$ B^b7 E^b6 A^b9 E^b6 $D^{7(b9)}$ G^7

And though it seems absurd, I know we both won't say a word.

B CMi CMi/B^b $AMi^{7(b5)}$ A^b9 $G^{7(\#5)}$ CMi^7 G^7

May-be I shall meet him Sun-day, may-be Mon-day, may-be not.

21 CMi CMi/B^b $AMi^{7(b5)}$ A^b9 $G^{7(\#5)}$ CMi $C^{7(\#5)}$ FMI^7 B^b7

Still I'm sure to meet him one day, May-be Tues-day will be my good news day.

A3 E^bMA^7/G E^bMI^7/G^b $GMI^{7(b5)}/F$ $C^{7(\#5)}/E$

We'll build a little home, Just meant for two, From which I'll never roam. Who would, would you?

29 $FMI^{7(b5)}/E^b$ B^b7/D E^b6 A^b9 E^b6 $(FMI^7 B^b7)$

And so all else a-bove, I'm waiting for the man I love.