

Love Me or Leave Me

Bb for Standard Key

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Medium Ballad [Billie Holiday 1941] ($\text{♩} = 92$)

1 A1 G_MI⁷ A⁷ D⁷ G_MI⁷ A⁷ D⁷
Love me or leave me, or let me be lonely, you won't believe me, and I love you only. I'd

5 B_bM_A⁷ G_MI⁷ C_MI⁷ F⁷ B⁶ A_MI⁷⁽⁵⁾ D⁷
rath-er be lone-ly than hap-py with some-bod-y else. You

A2

9 G_MI⁷ A⁷ D⁷ G_MI⁷ A⁷ D⁷
might find the nighttime the right time for kissing, but nighttime is my time for just rem-i - niscing. Re-

13 B_bM_A⁷ G_MI⁷ C_MI⁷ F⁷ B⁶ E_b⁷ B⁶
greeting, instead of for - getting with some-bod-y else.

17 B D_MI⁷ G⁷ C_MI⁷ G⁷⁽⁹⁾ C_MI⁷
There'll be no - one un - less that some - one is you.

21 C_MI⁷ F⁷ D_MI⁷ C^{#o7} C_MI⁷ D⁷⁽⁹⁾
I in - tend_ to be in - de - pen - dent-ly blue.

A3

25 G_MI⁷ A⁷ D⁷ G_MI⁷ A⁷ D⁷
I want your love, but I don't want to borrow, to have it today, and to give back to-morrow. For

29 B_bM_A⁷ G_MI⁷ C_MI⁷ F⁷ B⁶ (A_MI⁷⁽⁵⁾ D⁷)
my love is your love, there's no love for no - bod-y else.