

# I Cover the Waterfront

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Ballad [Billie Holiday 1941] (♩ = 66)

**A1** **GMI<sup>7</sup>** **C<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **B<sup>b</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **DMI<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>b</sup>o<sup>7</sup>**

8 I cov-er the wat-er-front, I'm watching the sea. Will the

**CMI<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **B<sup>b</sup>** **A<sup>7</sup>** **A<sup>b</sup>7** **G<sup>7</sup>**

5 one I love be coming back to me?

**A2** **GMI<sup>7</sup>** **C<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **B<sup>b</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **DMI<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>b</sup>o<sup>7</sup>**

9 I cov-er the wat-er-front, In search of my love, And I'm

**CMI<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **B<sup>b</sup>** **E<sup>b</sup>7** **B<sup>b</sup>6** **GMI<sup>7</sup>**

13 covered by a starless sky a - bove.

**B** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **DMI<sup>7</sup>** **GMI<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **B<sup>b</sup>**

17 Here am I, patient-ly waiting, hop-ing and longing. Oh, how I yearn!

**DMI<sup>7</sup>** **G<sup>7</sup>** **C** **AMI<sup>7</sup>** **DMI<sup>7</sup>** **G<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>/B<sup>b</sup>** **AMI<sup>7</sup>(b5)** **D<sup>7</sup>**

21 Where are you? Are you forgetting? Do you remember? Will you re - turn?

**A3** **GMI<sup>7</sup>** **C<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **B<sup>b</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **DMI<sup>7</sup>** **D<sup>b</sup>o<sup>7</sup>**

25 I cov-er the wat-er-front, I'm watching the sea, For the

**CMI<sup>7</sup>** **CMI<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **B<sup>b</sup>** **BMA<sup>7</sup>** **B<sup>b</sup>**

29 one I love must soon come back to me.