

Heartaches by the Number

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Medium [Ray Price 1959] (♩ = 128)

Intro - Solo

A

A

D

D



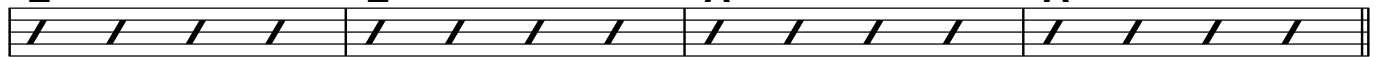
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E⁷

E⁷

A

A



Verse

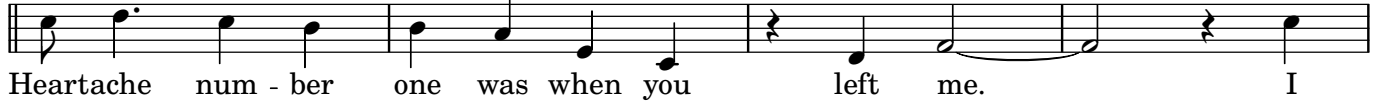
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A

A

D

D



Heartache num - ber

one was when you

left me.

I

13

E⁷

E⁷

A

A



nev-er knew

that

I could

hurt

this way.

And

17

A

A

D

D



heartache num - ber

two was when you

came back a - gain.

21

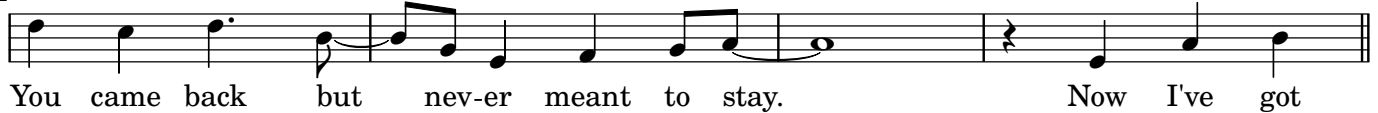
E⁷

E⁷

A

A

N.C.



You came back but

nev-er meant to stay.

Now I've got

Heartaches by the Number

Chorus

25 **A** **A** **D** **D**
heartaches by the num-ber, troubles by the score.

29 **E⁷** **E⁷** **E⁷** **A**
Ev-'ry - day you love me less, each day I love you more.

33 **A** **N.C.** **A** **A** **D**
Yes, I've got heartaches by the num-ber, a love that I can't win.

37 **D** **E⁷** **E⁷** **E⁷** **A** **N.C.**
But the day that I stop counting, that's the day my world will end.

To Coda Last Time Φ

Φ Coda

43 **A** **D** **A** **E⁷** **A**

Verse 2 Heartache number three was when you called me
And said that you were coming back to stay.
With hopeful heart I waited for your knock on the door.
I waited, but you must have lost your way.