

"The Race Is On"

Key: E

Verse 1:

I feel tears wellin' up cold and deep inside Like my heart's got a big break
And the stab of loneliness, sharp and painful That I may never shake
Now you might say that I was taking it hard Since you broke me off with a call
You might wager that I'll hide the sorrow and I might lay right down and bawl

Chorus

Now the race is on and here comes pride up the backstretch
Heartaches are going to the inside; My tears are holding back; They're trying not to fall
My heart's out of the running; True love's scratched for another's sake
The race is on and it looks like heartaches; And the winner loses all

Verse 2

One day I had ventured in love, never once suspecting what the final results would be
How I lived in fear of waking up each morning and finding that you'd gone from me
There's aching and pain in my heart for the day was the one that I hated to face
Somebody new came up to win her and I came out in second place

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