

## Lonelier Than This

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It doesn't get any lonelier than this  
I believe my heart'll break  
Tonight I prayed I'd die before I wake  
With every breath I'm tastin' your kiss  
And it's sweet upon my tongue  
Until the bitter tears fall one by one

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'cause I'm on this road alone  
My heartbeat ringin' like a hollow drum  
I'm about as lonesome as a poor boy gets  
And there's nothin' I can do  
'cause it's dark out here and I can't find you  
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I'm as blue as blue can be  
Just an empty place where your love should be  
I'm sick and tired of walkin' around like this  
With my heart outside my skin  
Scared to death we'll never touch again  
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And there's no place I can go  
Just the dusty corners that the shadows know  
Maybe this is as good as it's gonna get  
And I'll always be this way  
I'll just wander this world callin' out your name  
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