I feel tears wellin' up cold deep inside like my heart's sprung a big break and a stab of loneliness sharp and painful that I may never shake

You might say that I was taking it hard since you wrote me off with a call But don't you wager that I'll hide in sorrow when I may lay right down and bawl

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One day I ventured in love
never once suspectin' what the final result would be
and how I lived in fear of waking up each morning
finding that you're gone from me
There's ache and pain in my heart
for today 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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