

# Tears of a Clown

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Now, if there's a smile on my face  
It's only there trying to fool the public  
But when it comes down to fooling you  
Now honey, that's quite a different subject  
Don't let my glad expression  
Give you the wrong impression  
Really I'm sad, sadder than sad  
You're gone and I'm hurting so bad  
Like a clown I pretend to be glad  
Now, there's some sad things known to man  
But ain't too much sadder than the tears of a clown  
When there's no one around  
Now if I appear to be carefree  
It's only to camouflage my sadness  
In order to shield my pride, I try  
To cover this hurt with a show of gladness  
But don't let my show convince you  
That I've been happy since you decided to go  
I need you so, I'm hurt, hurt and I want you to know  
That for others I put on a show  
Now, there's some sad things known to man  
But ain't too much sadder than the tears of a clown  
When there's no one around  
But little good thing  
[Incomprehensible] Just like Pagliacci did  
I try to keep my sadness hid  
Smiling in the public eye  
But in my lonely room I cry tears of a clown  
If there's a smile on my face  
Don't let my glad expression  
Give you, you, you the wrong impression  
Don't let this smile I wear  
Make you think that I don't care  
Tears of a clown  
When there's no one, when there's no one  
When there's no one, no one, no one, no one  
No one, no one, no one, ohh  
If there's a smile on my face  
See me, feel me, touch me  
Know me all over  
These are the tears of a clown  
When I'm all by myself  
When I'm all by myself  
These are the tears  
The tears of a clown

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