

## **KILLING ME SOFTLY**

### **Chorus**

Strumming my pain with his fingers	<i>Em7 Am7</i>
Singing my life with his words	<i>D7 G</i>
Killing me softly with his song	<i>Em A</i>
Killing me softly with his song	<i>D C</i>
Telling my whole life with his words	<i>G C</i>
Killing me softly, with his song	<i>F E</i>

### **Bass riff over Am7 D X 4**

I heard he sang a good song	<i>Am7 D</i>
I heard he had a style	<i>G C</i>
And so I came to see him	<i>Am7 D</i>
To listen for a while	<i>Em</i>
And there he was this young boy	<i>Am7 D7</i>
A stranger to my eyes	<i>G B7</i>

### **Chorus**

I felt all flushed with fever	<i>Em7 Am7</i>
Embarrassed by the crowd	<i>D7 G</i>
I felt he found my letters	<i>Em A</i>
And read each one out loud	<i>D C</i>
I prayed that he would finish	<i>G C</i>
But he just kept right on	<i>F E</i>

### **Chorus**

He sang as if he knew me	<i>Em7 Am7</i>
In all my dark despair	<i>D7 G</i>
And then he looked right through me	<i>Em A</i>
As if I wasn't there	<i>D C</i>
And he just kept on singing	<i>G C</i>
Singing clear and strong	<i>F E</i>

### **Chorus [Break] Chorus**