

Bye, Bye, Blackbird

lyrics by Mort Dixon and music by Ray Henderson (1926)

F *F* *C7* *F*
Pack up all my cares and woe, here I go, singin' low
F *Ddim7* *C7* *C7*
Bye bye blackbird.

C7 *C7* *C7* *C7*
Where somebody waits for me, sugar's sweet, and so is she
C7 *C* *F* *F*
Bye bye blackbird.

F *F(½)* *C7(½)* *Gm7(½)* *C9(½)* *F*
Pack up all my cares and woe, here I go, singin' low
F/A *Abdim7* *Gm7(½)* *C7(½)* *C7*
Bye bye black bird.

Gm(½) *Eb/G(½)* *Gm6(½)* *Eb/G(½)* *Gm7* *C7*
Where somebody waits for me, sugar's sweet, and so is she
Gm7 *C7* *Fma7(½)* *Fma7(½)* *F6(½)* *F6*
Bye bye black bird.

F7 *F7* *Cm6* *D7*
No one here can love or understand me;
Gm *Gm* *Bbm6* *C7*
Oh what hard luck stories they all hand me.

F *F* *Eb7* *D7*
Make my bed and light the light, I'll arrive late tonight --
Gm7 *Gm7(½)* *C7(½)* *F(½)* *Dm7(½)* *Gm7(½)* *C7(½)*
Blackbird, bye bye,

Gm7 *Gm7(½)* *C7(½)* *F(½)* *Bb(½)* *Bbm(½)* *F6(½)*
Blackbird, bye bye,