

# On My Own

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Andante

**D** **Em** **D** **G** **Em7**

**EPONINE:**

On my

**D** **Em/D** **D** **D/C#**

own, pre - tend - ing he's be - side me. All a -  
 rain, the pave - ment shines like sil - ver. All the

**Bm** **E7** **A** **A/G#**

lone I walk with him 'til morn - ing. With - out  
 lights are mis - ty in the ri - ver. In the

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**G** **F#7** **Bm**

him dark - ness I feel his arms a - round me. And  
the trees are full of star - light. And

**Em** **Em/D** **A**

when I lose my way I close my eyes and he has found me. In the  
all I see is him and me for - ev - er and for -

**A** **Bb** **Ebm/Bb**

ev - er. And I know it's on - ly in my

*mf* *più mosso*

**Bb** **Bb/A** **Gm** **Gm/F**

mind that I'm talk - ing to my - self and not to

**E<sub>b</sub>** **E<sub>m</sub>**

him. And al - though I know that he is

**B** **B7** **A<sub>m</sub>7** **C7**

blind, Still I say there's a way for us. I

**F** **G<sub>m</sub>/F** **F** **F/E**

love him, but when the night is o - ver, he is

**D<sub>m</sub>** **G7** **C** **C/B**

gone, the ri - ver's just a ri - ver. With -

**Bb** **A** **Dm**  
 out him the world a-round me chang-es. The

**Gm** **Gm/F** **C**  
 trees are bare and ev-'ry-where the 'streets are full of strang-ers.

**F** **Gm/F** **F** **F/E**  
 love him but ev-'ry day I'm learn-ing all my

**Dm** **G7** **C** **C/B**  
 life I've on-ly been pre-tend-ing. With

**Bb** **A** **Dm**

out me his world will go on turn - ing. The

This system contains the first two lines of music. The vocal line is in 2/4 time, with lyrics "out me his world will go on turn - ing. The". The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. Chord diagrams for Bb, A, and Dm are provided above the vocal line.

**Gm** **C**

world is full of hap - pi - ness that I have nev - er known.

This system contains the third and fourth lines of music. The vocal line continues with lyrics "world is full of hap - pi - ness that I have nev - er known.". The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern. Chord diagrams for Gm and C are provided above the vocal line.

**F(add9)** **F7/Eb**

love him, I love him,

This system contains the fifth and sixth lines of music. The vocal line has lyrics "love him, I love him,". The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern. Chord diagrams for F(add9) and F7/Eb are provided above the vocal line.

**Dm7** **Bbm/Db** **F**

love him, but on - ly on my own.

*rall.*

This system contains the seventh and eighth lines of music. The vocal line has lyrics "love him, but on - ly on my own.". The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern, ending with a *rall.* marking. Chord diagrams for Dm7, Bbm/Db, and F are provided above the vocal line.