

Levi Stubbs Tears
Billy Bragg

[Chords]

Bm	799777	D	x5777x	D*	xxxx75
A	577655	D/C#	x4777x	A*	xxxx55
G	355433	C*	xxxx53	B*	xxxx77
F#m	244222	G*	xxxx33		

[Intro]

Bm F#m G A

[Verse 1]

Bm
With the money from her accident
A D D/C#
She bought herself a mobile home
A G
So at least she could get some enjoyment
Bm Bm A
out of living alone
G D
No one could say she was left upon the shelf
A
Its you and me against the world she mumble to herself

[Chorus 1]

C* G* D* A* C* G* D* B*
C* G* D* A* Bm Bm A
When the world falls apart somethings stay in place
G A Bm F#m
Levis Stubbs tears roll down his face

[Verse 2]

Bm A D D/C#
She ran away from home in her mother s best coat
A G Bm Bm A
She was married before she was even entitled to vote
G D
And her husband was one of those blokes
A Bm
The sort who only laughs at his own jokes
G D
The sort that a war takes away
A
And when there wasn t a war he left her anyway

[Chorus 1]

C* G* D* A* C* G* D* B*
C* G* D* A* Bm Bm A

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[Bridge]

D A G A

Norman Whitfield and Barratt Strong

D A Bm

Are here to make right everything that s wrong

D A G A

Holland and Holland and Lamont Dozier too

A (hold)

Are here to make it okay with you

[Verse 3]

Bm A D D/C#

One dark night he came home from the sea

A G Bm Bm A

And put a hole in her body, where no hole should be

G D

It hurt her more to see him walking out the door

A

And though they stiched her back together they left her heart in

Bm Bm A

pieces on the floor

[Chorus 2]

G A Bm Bm A

When the world falls apart somethings stay in place

G

She takes off the Four Tops tape

A Bm Bm A

and puts it back in its case

G A Bm Bm A

When the world falls apart somethings stay in place

G A Bm Bm A

Levis Stubbs tears

[Outro]

G A Bm A