

**Solitaire  
Carpenters**

Artist: Carpenters

Song: Solitaire

[Intro]

**D**

[Verse]

**D**

There was a man

**E9**

A lonely man

**A7**

**Dsus D**

Who lost his love through his indifference

**D**

A heart that cared

**E9**

That went unshared

**A7**

**D**

Until it died within

**A7sus A7**

His silence

[Refrain 1]

**D**

**D F#m**

And Solitaire's the only game in town

**Bm**

And every road that takes him,

**Bm Bm7**

Takes him down

**Em7**

While life goes on around him

**A7(pause)**

Everywhere

**Dsus D**

Just playing solitaire

[Refrain 2]

**D**

**D F#m**

And keeping to himself,

**Bm**

Begins to deal

**Em7**

And still the king of hearts

**A7(pause)**

Is well-concealed

**Dsus D**

Another losing game comes

**D**

To an end

**Bm**

And deals them out again

**D**

A little hope

**E9**

Goes up in smoke

**A7**

Just how it goes,

**Dsus D**

Goes w/o saying

**D**

There was a man

**E9**

A lonely man

**A7**

Who would command the

**D A7sus A7**

Hand he s playing.