

Hard Luck Story
Elton John

C C C C Bb F (REPEAT ABOUT 4x)

Am

Sometimes I think I m going crazy

Dm

Staring at the same four walls

C G/B F
Waiting for the working day to end

Am

Then I get home so wasted, worn out

Dm

I curse at you and tell you

C G/B F
How I ve done the work of ten to fifteen men

F7
How I ve struggled for my money

F7 Am
Sweated blood to get us by, yeah

F7
Well I m tired of it honey

F7 Dm E
Think I m gonna have to leave here for a while

Cm F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, All you hear are hard luck stories

Cm F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, And the ways I look at life

Cm F D7
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, And the way I think the world treats me

Cm G/B F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, And the way that I treat my wife

C Bb F C Bb F

Am
I never seem to look at you

Dm
And see that somewhere underneath

C G/B F
A pair of tired eyes are crying out

Am
Well you know I work hard all day long

Dm
Let me kiss you once with meaning

C G/B F
Just to kill this nagging doubt

F7
Well you don't deny I do you proud

Am
And you expect me to be tired

F7
You say there's no future in our lives

D/F# E
While I persist I'm putting out the fire

Cm F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, All you hear are hard luck stories

Cm F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, Just a few well chosen words

Cm F D7/F#
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, 'Cause you're still the woman of a working man

Cm G/B F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, You've got the heart of a working girl

Cm F
(Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, Don't give me no hard luck stories)

Cm F
(Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, Oh, oh no)

Cm F D7/F#
(Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, Don't give me no, don't you give me no hard luck stories)

Cm F F

Cm F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, All you hear are hard luck stories

Cm F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, And the ways I look at life

Cm F D7
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, And the way I think the world treats me

Cm G/B F
Oo-ee-oo-ee-oo, And the way that I treat my wife

(REPEAT, FADE)