

Miss Emilys Picture

John Conlee

[Verse 1]

D

I wake up in the morning is a state of fright

On the wrong side of the bed all night

G

D

Clinging to the broken heart Inside my head

G

A

I open my eyes and I move my hand

G

A

From round her pillow to the nightstand

G

A

D

And straighten Miss Emily s picture by my bed

[Verse 2]

D

Go to the office; the work s piled up

D

Pour three fingers bourbon in my coffee cup

G

D

Cry on my best friend s shoulder down the hall

G

A

Feel so lonely, when I close the door

G

A

Bite my nails and I walk the floor

G

A

D

And straighten Miss Emily s picture on my wall

[Chorus]

D

G

D

Look out my window and what do I see

D

A

D

Nothing but pain looking back at me

G

D

All that my future means to me

Em

G

Is tossing yesterday s love out into the wind

A

D

And straighten Miss Emily s picture now and then

[Verse 3]

D

I leave my office and I go downtown

To a little bar we all hang around

G

D

Laugh drink beer -shoot pool and have a ball

G

A

When the laughter stops and the hurt takes hold

G

A

Reach in my pocket for my billfold

G

A

D

And show Miss Emily s picture to em all

[Verse 4]

D

I stagger in the house and I slam the door

Scatter my clothes all over the floor

G

D

Wishing I could do the same thing in my head

G

A

Drink a beer and I eat a bite

G

A

And just before I turn out the light

G

A

D

I straighten Miss Emily s picture by my bed

[Chorus]

D

G

D

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