

**Tender Heart**  
**Lionel Richie**

Intro:

**F-F-Dm-Dm**

(You can hammer on the open G string to the second fret before strumming the F chord to get the embellishment of the original song)

Verse 1:

**F** **Dm**  
Every night and every day my heart feels the pain  
**F** **Dm**  
I wake up to the thought of you and I call your name

Brige 1:

**Bb** **C** **Dm**  
No one ever made me feel the way you do  
**Bb** **C** **Dm**  
Nothing in this world I wouldn t do for you  
**Bb** **C**  
But now I ve got to let go

Chorus:

**F**  
We don t stand a chance  
**Dm**  
In this wild romance, my tender heart  
**Bb**  
Maybe it s wiser to walk away and love again  
**C**  
With my tender heart.  
**F**  
We don t stand a chance  
**Dm**  
In this wild romance, oh it hurts so bad  
**Bb**  
Knowing that I m not the one you want  
**C**  
I can t hold on to my tender heart

Verse 2.

**F** **Dm**  
I never thought I d be the one who would play the fool  
**F** **Dm**  
But I know love can feel so good and can be so cruel

Bridge 2:

**Bb** **C** **Dm**  
It s clear to me the writing is on the wall  
**Bb** **C** **Dm**  
It s clear to me that you don t really love me at all  
**Bb** **C**  
And I can t go on this way

(Chorus)

Interlude:

**Gm** **Am**  
I m standing at the door  
**Gm** **Am**  
Don t need this hurt no more  
**Gm** **Am**  
I m crying out in vain  
**C**  
Cause you don t feel my pain.

(Solo)

Bridge 3:

**Bb** **C** **Dm**  
Maybe it was always going to be this way  
**Bb** **C** **Dm**  
Maybe I ll look back and understand some day  
**Bb** **C**  
But now I ve got to say

(Chorus)