

The One About England
Rodney Crowell

THE ONE ABOUT ENGLAND: RODNEY CROWELL (Eb) (88 " 4/4) (Rodney Crowell)

This beautiful song can be found on Rodney Crowell's 1980 album:
BUT WHAT WILL THE NEIGHBORS THINK.

To play in the original Eb-key, place a capo on the first fret.
|./. |: Repeat the previous measure of 4-counts.

Intro: |C# |Eb |F# |C# |./. |Eb |F# |C# |./. |

Verse 1:

C# |Eb
MERRY ENGLAND LIVES JUST SOUTH OF NOTTINGHILL,
|F# |C# |
IN DAILY DREAMS OF SHAKESPEARE LIKE SOME PISCES WILL.

./. |Eb
THOUGH SHE'S NEVER BEEN BEYOND THE LADBROKE GATE,
|F# |C#
THE WORLD HAS SPUN AROUND THERE MANY TIMES OF LATE.

Chorus:

|Bbm |C#
CAN CAROLINE REMEMBER, HE THAT DID BEFRIEND HER,
|F# |C# (2-count) |G#
AND SCARCELY TOUCHED THE BEAUTY, OF A SADNESS ON HER SOUL.
|Bbm |C#
SO SUBTLE WERE HER CHANGES, NO ONE EVEN NOTICED,
|F# |C# (2-count) |G#
THAT MANY YEARS OF CRYING AND SHE BARELY LET IT SHOW.
|F# G#7 |C# |./. |
THAT'S THE PRICE YOU HAVE TO PAY TO GROW SO OLD.

Interlude: |C# |Eb |F# |C# |./. |Eb |F# |C# |

Verse 2:

C# |Eb

ENGLAND S TURNING GREEN FROM ALL THOSE YEARS OF RAIN,

| **F#** | | **C#** | |
LIKE MOSS ALONG THE FENCES DOWN OL MEMORY LANE.

././ | **Eb**
POETRY IN MOTION WHILE SHE STANDS THERE STILL,

| **F#** | | **C#** | |
SOME MAIDEN IN A CASTLE UP ON NOTTING-HILL.

Interlude: | **C#** | | **Bbm** | | **C#** | | **F#** | | **C#** | | **Bbm** | | **C#** | | **F#** | | **C#** | **G#** | | **C#**
F# | **G#** | **C#** | | **F#** | **G#** | |

Outro:

| **C#** | | | **Bbm** | | | **F#** | **G#7** | | **C#** | |
I DREAM OF ENGLAND AND HER AUBURN HAIR, AND I MISS CARO - LINE.

| **C#** | | **Eb** | | **F#** | | **C#** | | ././ | | **Eb** | | **F#** | | **C#** | |

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