

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: |E |F# |A |E |./. |F# |A |E |./. |

Verse 1:

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

./. |F#
THOUGH SHE'S NEVER BEEN BEYOND THE LADBROKE GATE,

|A |E
THE WORLD HAS SPUN AROUND THERE MANY TIMES OF LATE.

Chorus:

|C#m |E
CAN CAROLINE REMEMBER, HE THAT DID BEFRIEND HER,

|A |E (2-count) |B
AND SCARCELY TOUCHED THE BEAUTY, OF A SADNESS ON HER SOUL.

|C#m |E
SO SUBTLE WERE HER CHANGES, NO ONE EVEN NOTICED,

|A |E (2-count) |B
THAT MANY YEARS OF CRYING AND SHE BARELY LET IT SHOW.

|A B7 |E |./. |
THAT'S THE PRICE YOU HAVE TO PAY TO GROW SO OLD.

Interlude: |E |F# |A |E |./. |F# |A |E |

Verse 2:

E |F#

ENGLAND S TURNING GREEN FROM ALL THOSE YEARS OF RAIN,

|A |E |
LIKE MOSS ALONG THE FENCES DOWN OL MEMORY LANE.

././ |F#
POETRY IN MOTION WHILE SHE STANDS THERE STILL,

|A |E |
SOME MAIDEN IN A CASTLE UP ON NOTTING-HILL.

Interlude: |E |C#m |E |A |E |C#m |E |A |E B |E A |B E
|A B |

Outro:

|E |C#m |A B7 |E |
I DREAM OF ENGLAND AND HER AUBURN HAIR, AND I MISS CARO - LINE.

|E |F# |A |E |././ |F# |A |E |

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