

An Empty Cup
Roy Orbison

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Written and recorded by Orbison in 1957.
Buddy Holly did the song the same year.

INTRO: **F Bb** (x2) **F**

#1.

F **Bb** **F**
One lonely night.....at this drive-in.
Bb **F** **C** **F**
And now I know.....what a fool Iâ€™ve been.

CHORUS:

Bb **C**
She was to meet me.. (an empty cup, a broken date.)
F
we had a date.. (a broken date, an empty cup.)
G
a date at seven....I dreamed of Heaven,
C
now, itâ€™s way past eight.

#2.

C **F** **Bb** **F**
She just drove by....with another guy.
Bb **F** **C** **F** **Bb** **F**
No wonder I....canâ€™t help but cry.

CHORUS:#2.

Bb **C** **F**
To think she never cared...just tears me up..
G **C**
now, all I have, to show for love..is this empty cup.

#3.

C **F** **Bb** **F**
Just like this Coke....my love is gone.
Bb **F** **C** **F**
Iâ€™ve hit the bottom...now Iâ€™m all alone.
Bb **F**
All alone.

A fifties smash from Kraziekhat.