

**An Empty Cup**  
**Roy Orbison**

An Empty Cup:Roy Orbison.  
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.

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