

Keep On Trying
Strawbs

[Intro]

C Em Am7 C F#m7 F

[Verse]

C G
When that ray of sunshine s overdue

Dm7
You ve got to keep on trying

C G
When the thunder rolls, though the storm is through

Dm7
You ve got to keep on trying

F Em Am G
Lightning never ever strikes the same place twice

F Em Am Dm7 Em F Ab
I ve taken many chances in the middle of the ice

[Verse]

C G
When the dice are down on a losing streak

Dm7
You ve got to keep on trying

C G
When your mind is willing, but your heart is weak

Dm7
You ve got to keep on trying

F Em Am G
I never had it easy and I never will

F Em Am Dm7
The sun is always shining on the far side of the hill

Em F D7 C
Oh ho ho, oh ho ho, ho, ohh

[Chorus]

C
If you feel like crying

F
Don t give up

C
Keep on trying

D7
Swallow your pride

Am Dm7 C
And come back into my life

[Instrumental]

C Em Am7 C F#m7 F

[Verse]

C **G**
When lady luck s got nothing new
Dm7
You ve got to keep on trying
C **G**
When you re feeling melancholy blue
Dm7
You ve got to keep on trying
F **Em** **Am** **G**
I didn t want to be the one to take the blame
F **Em** **Am** **Dm7**
I always played to win but it s a solitary game
Em **F** **D7** **C**
Oh ho ho, oh ho ho, ho, ohh

[Chorus]

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[Chorus]

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