

Remember The Tinman  
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Intro:

Em X1 Em X1 Am7 G C C X2 Em

Em X1  
There are locks on the doors  
Em X1 Am7 G C C X2  
And chains stretched across all the entries to the inside  
Em X1  
There s a gate and a fence  
Em X1 Am7 G C C X2  
And bars to protect from only God knows what lurks outside  
Em X1 Em X1  
Who stole your heart left you with a space  
Am7 G C C X2  
That no one and nothing can fill

Em X1 Em X1  
Who stole your heart who took it away  
Am7 G C C X2 Em Em  
Knowing that without it you can t live  
Am7 B7  
Who took away the part so essential to the whole  
Em  
Left you a hollow body  
Am7  
Skin and bone  
B7  
What robber what thief  
Em Am7 Em  
who stole your heart and the key

Em X1  
Who stole your heart  
Em X1  
The smile from your face  
Am7 G C C X2  
The innocence the light from your eyes  
Em X1 Em X1  
Who stole your heart or did you give it away  
Am7 G C C X2  
And if so then when and why  
Am7 B7  
Who took away the part so essential to the whole  
Em

Left you a hollow body  
**Am7**  
Skin and bone  
**B7**  
What robber what thief  
**Em**  
Who stole your heart and the key

**Am7** **B7** **Em Em**  
Now all sentiment is gone  
**Am7** **B7** **Em Em**  
Now you have no trust in no one

**Em** **X1**  
Who stole your heart  
**Em** **X1** **Am7** **G** **C** **C X2**  
Did you know but forget the method and moment in time  
**Am7** **B7** **Em Em**  
Was it a trickster using mirrors and sleight of hand  
**Am7** **B7** **Em Em**  
A strong elixir or a potion that you drank  
**Em** **X1**  
Who hurt your heart  
**Em** **X1**  
Bruised it in a place  
**Am7** **G** **C** **C X2**  
That no one and nothing can heal

**Am7** **B7** **Em Em**  
You ve gone to wizards, princes and magic men  
**Am7** **B7** **Em Em**  
You ve gone to witches, the good the bad the indifferent  
**Am7** **B7** **Em Em**  
But still all sentiment is gone  
**Am7** **B7** **Em Em**  
But still you have no trust in no one

**Em** **X1**  
If you can tear down the walls  
**Em** **X1** **Am7** **G** **C** **C X2**  
Throw your armor away rEmove all roadblocks barricades  
**Em** **X1** **Em** **X1**  
If you can forget there are bandits and dragons to slay  
**Am7** **G** **C** **C X2**  
And don t forget that you defend an Empty space  
**Am7**  
And rEmEmber the tinman  
**B7** **Em Em**  
Found he had what he thought he lacked

**Am7**

REmEmber the tinman

**B7**

**Em Em**

Go find your heart and take it back

**Em** X1

Who stole your heart

**Em** X1

Maybe no one can say

**Am7** **G** **C C** X2 **Em**

One day you will find it I pray