

# Blades in the Dark

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Standard tuning

♩ = 95

V

Verse

1 2 3

*mf*  
In- con-

T  
A  
B

4 5 6

so- la- ble Cry- ing like a child when all his toys are

T  
A  
B

7 8 9

brok- en (I) wond- er why I am still sitt- ing here The  
those eyes ... oh they pierce through me The  
night comes ... It's so sudd- en- ly That

T  
A  
B

Pre-chorus

10 11 12

sil- ence eats me from within I feel  
answers beg on- ly to quest- ions ice Now the  
no- one seems to not- ice ...

T  
A  
B

13 14 15

*mf*  
Ooh ooh ooh ooh

T  
A  
B

16 *mf* Hope is long lost Ooh ooh ooh ooh

7 3 5 0 7 10 7 5

T  
A  
B

19 20 21

T  
A  
B

22 *mf* Ooh ooh ooh ooh 23 24 *mf* So is my

7 10 7 5 5 5 5

T  
A  
B

**Chorus**

25 mind Thought I had a friend (yet) some- ho- w On- ly

0 5 5 5 5 7 7 8 5 5 7

T  
A  
B

28 Chi- no kept me com- pa- ny 29 30 Did it just to

8 7 7 5 7 5 5 5 5 5 5

T  
A  
B

31 see how it felt 32 Wrote a lett- er that I 33

7 7 8 5 5 7 8 7 7 5

T  
A  
B

34 nev- er sent Left me on the side of the road to

7 5 5 5 5 5 7 5 3 7 7

T  
A  
B

37 di- e Did- n't e- ven both- er look- ing back

8 5 5 7 8 7 7 5 7 5 5

T  
A  
B

40 Stab- bed by blad- es in the dark but the

5 5 5 5 7 7 8 5 5 7

T  
A  
B

43 scars are those that no- one sees

8 7 7 5 7 5 5

T  
A  
B

**Interlude**

46 47 48

T  
A  
B

49 50 51

T  
A  
B

Verse

52 53 54

T  
A  
B

55 56 57

*mf*  
I think I es- cape all my de- mons ... but

0 3 0 3 3 3 0 1 1 3

T  
A  
B

58 59 60

they are wait- ing for me I tell them to go And they  
cut ... me with a

0 3 0 1 0 3 0 3 0 3 3 3

T  
A  
B

61 62 63

laugh at me They say it's me who calls them They ...  
rust- y blade But is it me who wields it? ...

0 1 1 3 0 3 0 1 0 3 0 3

T  
A  
B

Solo

64 65 66

T  
A  
B

Bridge

67 68 69

*mf*  
The ro- om knows ... me  
I vis- it ev- er- y  
I leave my off- er- my  
(For) the mask to eat my

4x  
4x

5 7 5 3 5

T  
A  
B

70 well day ing face

71

72 **4x**

3

T  
A  
B

**Pre-chorus**

73

74

75

T  
A  
B

76

77

78

*mf* Ooh ooh ooh ooh

*mf* (l) cov- er my

7 10 7 5

7 3 5

T  
A  
B

79

80

81

face

Ooh ooh ooh ooh

0

7 10 7 5

T  
A  
B

82

83

84

*mf* Ooh ooh ooh ooh

7 10 7 5

T  
A  
B

85

86

87

*mf* Come sweet rel- ease Thought I had a

5 5 5 0 5 5 5 5

T  
A  
B

**Chorus**

88 friend (yet) some- ho- w On- ly Chi- no kept me

7 7 8 5 5 7 8 7 7 5

TAB

91 com- pa- ny Did it just to see how

7 5 5 5 5 5 5 7 7

TAB

94 it felt Wrote a lett- er that I nev- er sent

8 5 5 7 8 7 7 5 7 5 5

TAB

97 Left me on the side of the road to di- e Did- n't

5 5 5 5 7 5 3 7 7 8 5 5 7

TAB

100 e- ven both- er look- ing back Stab- bed by blad-

8 7 7 5 7 5 5 5 5 5 5

TAB

103 es in the dark but the scars are those that

7 7 8 5 5 7 8 7 7 5

TAB

106

no- one sees

T  
A  
B

7 5 5