

# Love Ridden

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The musical score is presented in a standard format with a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) for piano accompaniment and a single treble clef for the vocal line. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 6/8. The score is divided into four systems, each with a system number (9, 17, 25) and a measure number (8) indicating the start of the vocal line. Chord symbols are placed above the piano part. The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

**System 1 (Measures 1-6):** Chords: Em, F, C, Em, B7/D#, C. The piano accompaniment features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes in the right hand and a steady bass line in the left hand.

**System 2 (Measures 7-12):** Chords: Em, F, C, Em, B7/D#, C. The vocal line begins with the lyrics: "Love rid-den I will look at you With the fo-cus I gave to my birth-day can-dles".

**System 3 (Measures 13-18):** Chords: G, F, C, Cmaj7, B7. The vocal line continues with: "I've wished on the lid-ded blue flames under your brow And, baby, I wished for you".

**System 4 (Measures 19-24):** Chords: Em, B7/D#, C, Em, F, C. The vocal line concludes with: "Nobody sees when you are lying in your bed And I wanna crawl in with you, but I cry in - stead".

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33 Love Ridden

G F Em C B7

8 I want your warm but it will on-ly make it cold-er when it's o-ver So I can't to-night, bab-y

33

41 G F Em G F C

8 No, not baby any-more If I need you I'll just use your sim-ple name

41

49 G F#m Em Eb Dm Am9

8 Only kisses on the cheek from now on And in a little while we'll only have to wave

49

57 F13 C Bm Am

8 My hand won't hold you down no more The path is clear to follow through

57

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65 F13 C Gm/B<sup>b</sup> D

8 I stood too long in the way of the door And now I'm giving upon you

73 C C/B C/B<sup>b</sup>

73

79 G

79

84 Em F C Em B7/D<sup>#</sup> C

84

92 G F Em G F C

8 No. not baby any - more If I need you I'll just use your sim - ple name

92

4  
100

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G F#m Em Eb Dm Am9

8  
Only kisses on the cheek from now on — And in a little while we'll only have to wave —

100

108

G F Em G F C

8  
No, — not baby any - more If I need you I'll just use your sim - ple name

108

116

G F#m Em Eb Dm Am

8  
Only kisses on the cheek from now on — And in a little while — we'll on-ly have to wave

116

124

G

124