



# Bartender's Blues

84bpm 3/4

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e5mc71BQu9g>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sBZsA8NiF94>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v13mWd0ihDo>

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|-0h1-2-4-|
|---2-4-6-|
|----2-5-|
|-0-----|

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Now I'm

A Em6 x4545x  
just a bar-tender and I

Or: |-----|-----|  
|-2---2---2-2-|-2---2---|  
|-2---2---2-1-|-0---0---|  
|-2---2---2-|-2---2---|  
|-0-0---0---|---0---|  
|-----|-----A7---|

D Bm7

don't like my work But I

E E7 A E7

don't mind the money at all

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|-A---0---|-E7---| or |-A---| -0---|
|-2---0---|-----| |-2---| ---0-0-|
|-2---2---|-0h1-2-4-| |-2---0h1-| ---2-4-|
|-2---|---2-4-6-| |-2---|-----|
|-0---|---2-5-| |-0---| -E---|
|-----| -0-----| |-----| -0-2-4-|

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I see

A Em6 D Bm7  
lots of sad faces, and lots of bad cases

E E7 A  
Of folks with their backs to the wall

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|-5--5-----5----5--|
|-2--3-----4----7--|
|-2--4-----5----6--|
|-2--3-----4----7--|
|-----|
|-A--Bm7b5-F#o7-E7-|

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**Chorus:**

But I need

A Em6 D Bm  
*four walls a-round me to hold my life To*

E E7 A E7  
*keep me from going astray And a*

A Em6 D Bm  
*honky-tonk angel to hold me tight*

E E7 A E7  
*To keep me from slipping away*

**Inst Option**

I can  
light up your smokes I can  
laugh at your jokes I can  
watch you fall down on your knees I can  
close down this bar I can  
gas up my car I can  
pack up and mail in my key

**Chorus**

**Inst over verse**

Now, the  
smoke fills the air in this  
honky-tonk bar And I'm  
thinking about where I'd rather  
be but I  
burned all my bridges, I sank all my ships  
And I'm stranded at the edge of the sea

**Chorus x2**

**Tag End:**

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|-----| -F#7#5-D#m7#5-----|
|-7--5---3--|-3-----2-----1--2--|
|-7--6---4--|-3-----2-----2--2--|
|-7--6---4--|-2-----0-----0--2--|
|-5--4---2--|-----2-----2--0--|
|-D--C#m-Bm-|-2-----0-----E7-A--|

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