

## River of Tears

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It seems that I just can't win  
I've been hurt time and time again

Every time I give my heart somebody tears it all apart  
Through the years, lord knows I must have shed a river of tears  
I tried to be fair in every way  
I'd even ignored, yes, I have, things that people say  
Oh, still I'm lonely and all alone  
I've got no one I can call my own  
Through the years I know I must have shed a river of tears

A river of tears, oh, how I yearned, yeah

Tears that flow

Somebody tell me what I'm doing wrong  
Isn't there anyone I can depend on  
Through the years I know I must have shed a river of tears  
A river of tears, oh, how I've yearned, yes, I have  
Tears that flow' oh, how I've yearned  
Talkin' 'bout, talkin' 'bout a river  
Talkin' 'bout a river