

# POOR SIDE OF TOWN

*Johnny Rivers, Lou Adler*

V1 V2 B V3 V4 T

Intro

Emaj7

F#m7

Doo-do-do-do-wah, shoobee-dooby

Emaj7

F#m7

Doo-do-do-do-wah, shoobee-doobee

## Verse 1

Emaj7

F#m7

How can you tell me how much you miss me

Emaj7

F#m7

When the last time I saw you you wouldn't even kiss me

A

G#m7

That rich guy you been seein'

F#m7

A

Must have put you down

E

A

So welcome back, baby

E

To the poor side of town

## Verse 2

Emaj7

F#m7

To him you were nothing but a little plaything (little plaything, doo-wah)

Emaj7

F#m7

Not much more than an overnight fling (overnight fling, doo-wah)

A

G#m7

To me you were the greatest thing

F#m7

A

This boy had ever found

E

A

And girl, it's hard to find nice things

E

On the poor side of town

## Bridge

D

Gmaj7

I can't blame you for tryin'

C

Bm

I'm tryin' to make it too

C

Bm

I've got one little hangup, baby

Am

G

B

(Emaj7)

I just can't make it without you (without you, ooh, without you, aah)

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## Verse 3

**Emaj7** **F#m7**  
So tell me, are you gonna stay now (gonna stay now, doo-wah)  
**Emaj7** **F#m7**  
Will you stand by me all the way now (all the way now, doo-wah)  
**A** **G#m7**  
With you by my side  
**F#m7** **A**  
They can't keep us down  
**E** **A**  
Together we can make it, baby  
**E**  
From the poor side of town

## Verse 4

**Emaj7** **F#m7**  
So tell me how much you love me  
**Emaj7** **F#m7**  
Come near to me and say you need me now  
**A** **G#m7**  
Oh, with you by my side  
**A** **A**  
This world can't keep us down  
**E** **A**  
Together we can make it, baby  
**E**  
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## Tag

**Emaj7** **F#m7**  
Doo-do-do-do-wah, shoobee-doobee