

A Thousand Kisses Deep
written by Leonard Cohen and Sharon Robinson

Intro: Fm . . . | C . . . | Fm . . . | . . /c . |

The ponies run, the girls are young
The odds are there to beat

You win a while, and then it's done
Your little winning streak

And summoned now to deal
With your invincible defeat

You live your life as if it's real
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I'm turning tricks, I'm getting fixed
I'm back on Boogie Street
You loose your grip, and then you slip
Into the Masterpiece
And maybe I had miles to drive
And promises to keep
You ditch it all to stay alive
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Fm . . . | C . . . | Fm . /c . | Fm . /c . |
Fm . . . | C . . . | Db . . . | |

And sometimes when the night is slow
The wretched and the meek

We gather up our hearts and go
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Confined to sex, we pressed against
The limits of the sea
I saw there were no oceans left
For scavengers like me
I made it to the forward deck
I blessed our remnant fleet
And then consented to be wrecked
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I'm turning tricks, I'm getting fixed
I'm back on Boogie Street
I guess they won't exchange the gifts
That you were meant to keep
And quiet is the thought of you
The file on you complete
Except what we forgot to do
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Guitarist friendly version

Capo 1st fret

Chords:

C#m-5: x42020

Em/f#: 222000

Intro: Em . . . | B . . . | Em . . . | . . . /b . . . |

Em
B
 The ponies run, the girls are young
Em
/b
 The odds are there to beat
Em
B
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C
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Am
B
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Em
(/f#)
C#m-5
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Am7
B
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C
D
Em
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