

# Harlem Nocturne

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Em E9 Em B+ Em G Em G Em Am  
A noc - turne for the blues, played on a bro - ken heart string;

Am A9 Am Am+7 C7 C B7 Cdim Em  
It's wail - ing out the news my ba - by is gone from me.

Em E9 Em B+ Em G Em G Em Am  
Dark shad - ows in the rain, a tel - e - phone that won't ring;

Am A9 Am Am+7 C7 C B7 Cdim Em Bm7-5 C7 Em  
Just mem - o - ries re - main of lovers that used to be.

G Cdim Am7alt G G5 G6 Dm7 Cdim(IV) G G5 G6 Dm7  
I miss the laughs and the fun, my spot in the sun,

Cdim(IV) G G5 G6 Dm7 Am7 G g-g#-a-bflat-b-d  
When I was the one one and on - ly;

C7 Gm7 Fdim C7 Gm7  
The mu - sic and lights, those won - der - ful nights,

D Am7 Bb D9 F Cdim D7  
The morn - ing mist, the time we kissed;

G G5 G6 Dm7 Cdim(IV) G G5 G6 Dm7  
The laughs and the fun, my days in the sun,

Cdim(IV) G G5 G6 Dm7 Am7 G g-g#-a-bflat-b-d  
They're o - ver and done and I'm lone - ly.

C7 Gm7 C7 Gm7  
Don't ask me to hide the heart - break in - side --

D Am7 Bb D9 G Bm7-5 F Cdim B7  
The gleam - ing spark is gone the light went dark.

Em E9 Em B+ Em G Em G Em Am  
This noc - turne for the blues took all and left me noth - in',

Am A9 Am Am+7 C7 C B7 Cdim Em  
Noth - in' but the blues til baby comes back to me.