**The Race is On**

**Verse 1**

**E**

**I feel tears welling up growing deep inside**

 **A E**

**Like my heart sprung a big break**

**And each step along it's sharp and painful**

 **B7**

**And I may never say**

 **E**

**You might say that I was taken it hard**

 **A E**

**Since you hooked me off with a call**

**But don't you wager that I'll hide in sorrow**

 **B7 E**

**When I might lay right down and bawl**

**Chorus**

**E**

**Now the race is on and here comes**

**Pride in the back stretch**

**A E**

**Heartaches going to the inside**

**My tears are holding back**

**B7**

**They're trying not to fall**

**E**

**My heart's out of the running**

 **A E**

**To love scratch for another sake**

**The race is on and it looks like heartaches**

 **B7 E**

**And the winner looses all**

**Verse 2**

**One day I ventured in love**

**Never once suspecting**

**What the final result would be**

**How I lived in fear waking up each morning**

**Find the that you're gone from me**

**The aching pain in my heart for today**

**Was the one I hated to face**

**Somebody new came up to win her**

**And I came out in second place**

**Chorus x2**

**Tag**

 **B7 E**

**The winner looses all**