

## Wallflowers

### "Tears Of A Clown"

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Tears of a Clown Lyrics

Smokey Robinson & The Miracles

Now if there's a smile on my face  
It's only there tryin' to fool the public  
But when it comes down to foolin' you;  
Now honey, that's quite a different subject

But don't let my glad expression  
Give you the wrong impression  
Really I'm sad  
I'm sadder than sad  
You're gone and I'm hurtin' so bad  
Like a clown I pretend to be glad

Now there's some sad things known to man  
But ain't too much sadder than  
The tears of a clown  
When there's no one around

Now if I appear to be carefree  
It's only to camouflage my sadness  
In order to keep my pride I try  
To cover the hurt with a show of gladness

But don't let my show convince you  
That I've been happy since you  
Decided to go  
Oh, I need you so  
I'm hurt and I want you to know

Now there's some sad things known to man  
But ain't too much sadder than  
The tears of a clown  
When there's no one around

Just like Pagliacci did  
I try to keep my sadness hid  
Smiling in the public eye  
But in my lonely room I cry

The tears of a clown  
When there's no one around

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