

## Stray Cats "The Race Is On"

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I feel tears wellin' up going deep inside  
Like my heart's gonna get broke  
And the stab of loneliness sharp and painful  
That I may never shake

You might say that I was takin' it hard  
Since you broke me off with a call  
But don't you wager that I'll hide my sorrow  
When I may break right down and bawl

Now the race is on and here comes pride up the  
backstretch  
Heartaches going to the inside my tears are holding  
back  
They're trying not to fall, my heart's out of the running  
True love's scratched for another's sake  
The race is on and it looks like heartaches and the  
winner loses all

One day, I ventured in love never once suspecting  
What the final result would be  
Now I live in fear of waking up each morning  
Finding that she's gone from me

There's aching pain in my heart  
For the name of the one that I had to replace  
Somebody new came up to win her  
And I came out in second place

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backstretch  
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