

# Ain't No Sunshine

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Slow rock-blues feel (♩ = 80)

N.C. Am<sup>7</sup> Em Am<sup>7</sup>

1. Ain't no sun - shine when she's gone. It's not warm\_ when she's a -

This system contains the first two measures of the song. The guitar part starts with a Natural Chord (N.C.) in the first measure, followed by Am<sup>7</sup> in the second and Am<sup>7</sup> in the third. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line in the left hand and chords in the right hand.

Em Am<sup>7</sup> Em<sup>7</sup>

way. Ain't no sun - shine when she's gone, \_\_\_\_\_ and she's al-ways gone too

This system contains measures 3 and 4. The guitar part has Em in measure 3 and Am<sup>7</sup> in measure 4. The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

Dm<sup>7</sup> Am<sup>7</sup> Em Am<sup>7</sup>

long an - y - time\_ she goes a - way. 2. Won-der this\_ time where she's

This system contains measures 5 and 6. The guitar part has Dm<sup>7</sup> in measure 5 and Am<sup>7</sup> in measure 6. The piano accompaniment includes a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand in measure 5.

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Am  
x02210

Em7  
x02210

Am  
x02210

Em7  
x02210

gone, gone,                      won der if she's gone to stay.  
on - ly dark - ness ev - 'ry day.)

Am  
x02210

Em  
x02210

Ain't no sun - shine when she's gone,                      and this house just ain't no

Dm7  
xx0210

Am  
x02210

Em7  
x02210

To Coda ◊

home an - y - time she goes a - way.

Am  
x02210

N.C.

And I know, I know, I know, I know, I know, I know, I know, I know, I know I

know, I know, - I know, - I know, I know, I know, - I know, I know, I know, I know, - I know,

I know, I know, I know, - I know, I know, I know, hey, - I ought to leave the young thing a -

Am<sup>7</sup>      Em      Am<sup>7</sup>

*D.S. al Coda*

- lone, but, ain't no sun - shine when she's gone. \_\_\_\_\_ Ain't no sun - shine when she's

**♠ Coda**

Am      Em<sup>7</sup>      Am<sup>9</sup>

An - y - time\_ she goes a - way.