

# Between the Devil and the Deep Blue Sea

Lyrics/Ted Koehler, music/ Harold Arlen 1931 practice sheet at ukesterbrown.com (1st note sung is an "A")

## Intro:

F F7 C7 F  
Is there anyone around who cannot see  
Dm Bbm F C7 F  
it's the well known run around you're giving me  
Gm7 C7 F  
I suppose you'll tell me I'm all wrong  
C7 F F7 C7 F  
It's a bitter pill to take, coming from you  
Dm Bbm F C7 F  
Though I've made a big mistake, what else can I do?  
Gm7 C7 F Cdim C7  
I don't know what makes me string along.

## Verse:

F D7 Gm7 C7 F D7 Gm7 C7  
I don't want you, but I'd hate to lose you  
F7 Bb Bbm F C7 F C+  
You've got me in between the devil and the deep blue sea.  
F D7 Gm7 C7 F D7 Gm7 C7  
I forgive you, 'cause I can't forget you.  
F7 Bb Bbm F C7 F E7  
You've got me in between the devil and the deep blue sea.  
A Bm7 E7  
I ought to cross you off my list,  
A Bm7 E7  
but when you come knocking at my door.  
C Dm7 G7 Cm D7 G7 C7  
Fate seems to give my heart a twist and I keep running back for more.  
F D7 Gm7 C7 F D7 Gm7 C7  
I should hate you, but I guess I love you.  
F7 Bb Bbm F C7 F  
You've got me in between the devil and the deep blue sea.