

Game I Can't Win - Lonesome River Band

Bluegrass Contemporary, $\frac{2}{4}$ Time, Key of **B** My Key: ____

INTRO: **5** , **5** , **5** , **1** , **1** , **1** , **1**

The **1** first time that I met her, she took my breath a- **4** way,
My **5** body started trembling, and I **4** didn't-know what to **1** say,
But I **1** pulled myself together, and I asked her for her **4** name,
She **5** said My name is Sally Jo, but **4** I don't play the **1** game

CHORUS: The game of **4** love,, 'em and leave 'em
The nights of **1** cry,,in' and weepin'
I'll never **4** love,, no one again
I-got **5** caught up in the game that I can't **1** win,

INSTRUMENTAL: **1** , **1** , **1** , **4** , **4** , **5** , **5** , **4** , **1** , **1**
1 , **1** , **1** , **4** , **4** , **5** , **5** , **4** , **1** , **1**
1 , **1**

Many **1** times I've heard the story, of a-love, that's gone **4** bad,
And **5** I can understand it, I **4** lost the one I **1** had,
To a **1** man who's never played before
This crazy game I've **4** lost,
Well **5** he don't know the pain right now
But- **4** soon he'll pay the **1** cost,

CHORUS / INSTRUMENTAL without the last 3 measures

CHORUS except for a different last line:

I got **5** caught up in the game that I can't **4** win, **4** , **4**

OUTRO: **1** , **1** , **1** , **1** , **5** , **5** , **1** , **1**

1 = B
4 = E
5 = G ^b