# Mr. Tambourine Man

Bob Dylan 1965

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**INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [G] / [G] /**

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Though I **[G]** know that evenin's **[A]** empire has **[D]** returned into **[G]** sand

**[D]** Vanished from my **[G]** hand

Left me **[D]** blindly here to **[Em]** stand but still not **[A]** sleeping **[A]**

My **[G]** weariness **[A]** amazes me, I'm **[D]** branded on my **[G]** feet

I **[D]** have no one to **[G]** meet

And the **[D]** ancient empty **[Em]** street's too dead for **[A]** dreaming **[A]**

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**[G]** Take me on a **[A]** trip upon your **[D]** magic swirlin' **[G]** ship

My **[D]** senses have been **[G]** stripped, my **[D]** hands can't feel to **[G]** grip

My **[D]** toes too numb to **[G]** step

Wait **[D]** only for my **[Em]** boot heels to be **[A]** wanderin' **[A]**

I'm **[G]** ready to go **[A]** anywhere, I'm **[D]** ready for to **[G]** fade

In-**[D]**to my own pa-**[G]**rade

Cast your **[D]** dancing spell my **[G]** way, I **[Em]** promise to go **[A]** under it **[A]**

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Though you **[G]** might hear laughin' **[A]** spinnin', swingin' **[D]** madly ‘cross the **[G]** sun

It's not **[D]** aimed at any-**[G]**one, it's just es-**[D]**capin' on the **[G]** run

And but **[D]** for the sky there **[Em]** are no fences **[A]** facin' **[A]**

And **[G]** if you hear vague **[A]** traces of **[D]** skippin' reels of **[G]** rhyme

To your **[D]** tambourine in **[G]** time, it's just a **[D]** ragged clown be-**[G]**hind

I wouldn't **[D]** pay it any **[G]** mind

It's just a **[D]** shadow, you're **[Em]** seein' that he's **[A]** chasing **[A]**

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Then **[G]** take me disap-**[A]**pearin' through the **[D]** smoke rings of my **[G]** mind

Down the **[D]** foggy ruins of **[G]** time, far **[D]** past the frozen **[G]** leaves

The **[D]** haunted, frightened **[G]** trees, out **[D]** to the windy **[G]** beach

Far **[D]** from the twisted **[G]** reach of **[Em]** crazy **[A]** sorrow **[A]**

Yes, to **[G]** dance beneath the **[A]** diamond sky with **[D]** one hand waving **[G]** free

Silhou-**[D]**etted by the **[G]** sea, circled **[D]** by the circus **[G]** sands

With all **[D]** memory and **[G]** fate, driven **[D]** deep beneath the **[G]** waves

Let me for-**[D]**get about to-**[Em]**day until to-**[A]**morrow **[A]**

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