

Pay Me My Money Down

Bruce Springsteen

[E] Well, I thought I heard the captain say,
"Pay me my **[B7]** money down.
Tomorrow is our sailing day
pay me my **[E]** money down."

[Chorus]

Pay me. Pay me.
Pay me my **[B7]** money down.
Pay me or go to jail.
Pay me my **[E]** money down.

Soon as that boat was clear of the bar,
pay me my **[B7]** money down,
well, he knocked me down with a spar
Pay me my **[E]** money down.

[Chorus]

[Solo/Instrumental]

[E] Well if I'd been a rich man's son,
Pay me my **[B7]** money down.
I'd sit on the river and watch it run,
Pay me my **[E]** money down.

[Chorus] [Key Change to G]

[G] Well, I wish I was Mr. Gates,
pay me my **[D7]** money down.
Haul my money in egg crates.
Pay me my **[G]** money down.

Pay me. Pay me.
Pay me my **[D7]** money down.
Pay me or go to jail.
Pay me my **[G]** money down.

[Solo/Instrumental] [Key Returns to E]

[E] Well, 40 days and nights at sea
pay me my **[B7]** money down.
Captain worked every last dollar out of me.
Pay me my **[E]** money down.

[Chorus] *2