

Bought Out This Bar

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Verse

Drove past the diner where we had our first date
She stole my fries and laughed that I was late
The old marquee's still burnin' on Seventh and Main
But all I see's her shadow in the rain
Each street corner cuts me deep
This whole damn town won't let me sleep

Pre-Chorus

So I turn the wheel, chase the neon light
Push through the door just to face tonight

Chorus

I bought out this bar
Not a soul in the room but my broken heart
Empty chairs are staring at me
Like her memory that won't let me be
No cover charge, just these same old scars
Tonight, I bought out this bar

Verse

Sat in the booth where she used to lean
Her perfume lingers like a half-faded dream
The jukebox is playin' that same old song
About losin' a love you can't move on
I raise a glass, but it's only me
Drinkin' to ghosts of what used to be

Pre-Chorus

The room starts to spin but I stay still
Tryin' to fill the space that she never will

Chorus

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Bridge

I paid the price, the crowd moved on
I'm the only damn fool where she once belonged
I thought this silence would somehow drown it out
But all I hear now is this lonely doubt

Final Chorus

I bought out this bar
Just me and her ghost sittin' in the dark
Every bottle's just a mirror
Showin' me she ain't gettin' nearer
I thought I'd find freedom, but I found scars
Tonight, I bought out this bar

Outro

So pour one more and kill the lights
It's just me and the shadows tonight
No crowd, no band, just an old guitar
And the truth is... I bought out this bar

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