

# Tears always win

♩ = 72

ALICIA KEYS

S.I

S.II

A.I

A.II

Piano

mp

mp

E

F#m

B

Check it out

It feels kinda crazy

4

LEAD mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

A

E/G# F#m E

E

F#m

These cov-ers May keep me warm— at night— But they can't—

These cov-ers May keep me warm— at night— But they can't—

These cov-ers May keep me warm at night But they can't—

These cov-ers May keep me warm at night But they can't—

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*mp*

— say good night— And tuck me in be - fore I go to bed **LEAD**

*mp mp*

— say good night— And tuck me in be - fore I go to bed Say

*mp*

— say good night— And tuck me in be - fore I go to bed

*mp*

— say good night— And tuck me in be - fore I go to bed

B A E/G# F#m E

13

*p*

*ooh*\_\_\_\_\_

*p*

now ba - by girl you're bet - ter off That's what I'm tel - ling my - self \_\_\_\_\_ But I'm

*ooh* \_\_\_\_\_ *o - ver and o - ver*

*ooh* \_\_\_\_\_ *o - ver and o - ver*

F#m C#m

20

tears al - ways win These arms are want-ing you— Cause these arms ain't hold-ing you— These eyes put

**LEAD**

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tears al - ways win

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A E/G# F#m E E F#m

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**LEAD**

up a fight— But once a-gain— these tears al - ways win These can-dles Light up my room— at

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*mp* ooh— *mf* These tears al - ways win *mp* These can-dles Light up my room at

*mp* ooh— these tears al - ways win These can-dles Light up my room at

B A E/G# F#m E E *mp*

31

sad— sad song— And it'll prob'- bly sound some - thing like— this—

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B A E/G# F#m E

33

*p* ooh—

*mp* LEAD

now ba-by girl you're bet-ter off That's what I'm tel-ling my-self— But I'm

*p* ooh o-ver and o - ver

*p* ooh o-ver and o - ver

F#m C#m

*p*

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ooh... These tears al - ways win  
 up a fight... But once a - gain... these tears al - ways win These arms are  
 These tears al - ways win  
 ooh... these tears al - ways win

B A E/G# F#m E

41

want-ing you hold-ing you  
 want-ing you... Cause these arms ain't hold-ing you... These eyes put  
 want-ing you hold-ing you  
 want-ing you hold-ing you

E F#m

47

eve-ry-thing in this room— re-minds— me of you— Eve-ry-time— I think, I'm get-ting  
 eve-ry-thing in this room— re-minds— me of you you I'm get-ting  
 eve-ry-thing in this room— re-minds— me of you you I'm get-ting  
 eve-ry-thing in this room— re-minds— me of you you I'm get-ting

A F#m G# C#m C#m/B A

50

clo - ser— Cause tears drown me out, once a - gain— I lose— These lips are  
 clo - ser— Cause tears drown me out, once a - gain— I lose— These lips are *f*  
 clo - ser— Cause tears drown me out, once a - gain— I lose— *f*  
 clo - ser— Cause tears drown me out, once a - gain— I lose— *f*

G# C#m F# B

57

want-ing you hold-ing you

want-ing you— Cause these arms ain't hold-ing you— These eyes put

want-ing you hold-ing you

want-ing you hold-ing you

E F#m

59

ooh— these tears al-ways win Cry-ing like OH oo-oh oo-oh ooh-oh

up a fight— But once a-gain— these tears al-ways win OH oo-oh oo-oh ooh-oh

ooh— These tears al-ways win OH oo-oh oo-oh ooh-oh

ooh— These tears al-ways win OH oo-oh oo-oh ooh-oh

B A E/G#F#m E f E

tears al - ways win *rall. p* these tears al - ways win

tears al - ways win *mp* These eyes put up a fight — But once a - gain — these tears al - ways win *rall. p*

tears al - ways win *rall. p* these tears al - ways win

tears al - ways win *rall. p* these tears al - ways win

A E/G# F#m E B *rall. p* A E/G# F#m E

*rall. p*