

RIVER OF TEARS

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Seesoo Songs (ASCAP)

As we wander through this wicked, wicked world

The hours turn into days, into years

We try to keep our heads above the swirling waters

Ooh, ooh – on the river of tears

People, people, why do we struggle so
And why must we be driven by our fears
When all we need to do is feel God's peace within us
Ooh, ooh – on the river of tears

And the dealer man, he will lure you with his potions
He will fool you with his smoke and with his mirrors
And he will leave you feeling like a helpless piece of driftwood
Ooh, ooh – on the river of tears

So look up to the heavens, my brothers and my sisters
And listen with your hearts and not your ears
And you will find a way that you may safely cross it
Ooh, ooh – on the river of tears

Play key Dm (75)