

I Hold Your Hand in Mine

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C⁷ F C⁷ F

I hold your hand in mine, dear, I press it to my lips._____ I

10 A⁷ Dm D⁷ G⁷ C⁷

take a health - y bite from your dain - ty fin - ger tips._____ My

18 C⁷ F C⁷ F Cm D⁷

joy would be com-plete, dear, if you were on - ly hear,_____ But

26 Gm F D⁷ Gm⁷ C⁷ F C⁷

still I keep your hand as a pre-cious sou - ve - nir. The

34 D^b A^b E^b E^{b7} A^b A^{b7}

night you died I cut it off, I real - ly don't know why,_____ For

42 D^b A^b G G⁷ C⁷

now each time I kiss it_____ I get blood-stains on my tie._____ I'm

50 C⁷ F C⁷ F F⁷

sor - ry now I killed you,___ for our love was some - thing fine,_____ And

58 B^b B^bm F D⁹ Gm⁷ C⁷ F

till they come to get me I shall hold your hand in mine.