

Kenny Rogers 9.09/25

Strum Pattern 1 2 & 3 &

3/4 timing

INTRO: A A A AVERSE 1

A D E7 A A
 I spent my life, lookin,' for you
 D E7 A A
 Findin', my way, wasn't easy to do
 E7 A A
 But I knew there was you all the while
 D E7
 And its, been worth, every mile

CHORUS

A D
 Lay down beside me, and love me and hide me
 A E7 E7
 Kiss all the hurtin', of this world away
 A D
 Hold me so close, that I feel your heart beat
 A E7 A A
 And don't, ever wander away

VERSE 2

A D E7 A A
 Mornings and evenings, all were the same
 D E7 A A
 And there was no music, till I heard your name
 E7 A
 But I knew, when I saw, you smile
 D E7
 Now, I can rest, for awhile

CHORUS

A D
 Lay down beside me, and love me, and hide me
 A E7
 And kiss all the hurtin', of this world away
 A D
 Hold me so close, that I feel your heart beat
 A E7 A A
 And don't, ever wander away

REPEAT CHORUS then OUTRO - REPEAT LAST 2 LINES SLOWING & FADING