

Long Black Veil (traditional) – NO Capo - (1st note = low A)

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Ten years ago on a cold dark night

E D A

Someone was killed ‘neath the town hall light

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Those at the scene, they all agreed

E D A

The killer who ran looked a lot like me

<Chorus>:

D A D A

She walks these hills in a long black veil

D A D A

She visits my grave while the night winds wail

A7 D A

Nobody knows, nobody sees,

D E7 A

Nobody knows but me

The judge said "Son, what is your alibi

If you were somewhere else you won't have to die"

I spoke not a word, though it meant my life

For I'd been in the arms of my best friends wife <Chorus>

The scaffold was high, and eternity near

She stood in the crowd and she shed not a tear

But sometimes at night, when the cold wind moans

She visits my grave and cries over my bones

<Chorus> Finish with "Nobody knows..... but me"