

# On a Monday — Lead Belly (Jerry Douglas)

Intro: Vamp **E**

**E** **B**  
On a Monday, I was arrested

**B** **E**  
On a Tuesday, I was locked up in jail

**E** **B**  
On a Wednesday, my trial was attested

**B** **E**  
On a Thursday, nobody would go my bail

**E** **E**  
And I'm all almost done,

**E** **B**  
Yes I'm all almost done,

**E** **E**  
Yes I'm all almost done

**B** **E**  
And I ain't gonna bring them yellow women no pail

Vamp: **E**

**E** **B**  
Take these stripes, stripes from around my shoulders

**B** **E**  
Take these chains, these chains from 'round my leg

**E** **B**  
Lord these stripes, these stripes don't worry me

**B** **E**  
But these chains, Lord these chain's a'gonna kill me dead

**E** **E**  
Now I'm all almost done,

**E** **B**  
Yes I'm all almost done,

**E** **E**  
and I'm almost done

**B** **E**  
And I ain't gonna bring them yellow women no pail

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Solo: 2x      **E**                      **B**  
                  **B**                      **E**  
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                  **B**                      **E**

**E**                                      **B**  
On Friday,      my baby went a-walking  
          **B**                                      **E**  
On a Saturday,      she locked me outta the door  
          **E**                                      **B**  
On a Sunday,      we sat down a-talking  
          **B**                                      **E**  
On a Monday,      she pawned all of my clothes

**E**                      **E**  
Now I'm      almost done,  
          **E**                      **B**  
Yes I'm all      almost done,  
          **E**                      **E**  
and I'm      almost done  
          **B**                                      **E**  
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