Piano Man
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[Harmonica]

It's nine
o'clock on a Saturday
A regular crowd shuffles in
There's an

old man sitting next to me
making love to his tonic and gin.

He says:
"Son, can you play me a melody? I'm not really sure how it goes. But it's sad and it's sweet and I knew it complete when I wore a younger man's clothes.

La ... [Harmonica]
Sing us a song, you're the piano-man, sing us a song tonight.
Well, we're all in the mood for a melody And you've got us feelin' all right [Harmonica]
2. Now John at the bar is a
4. It's a pretty good crowd for a

friend of mine He gets me my drinks for free And he's
Sat - ur - day And the ma - na - ger gives me a smile 'Cause he

quick with a joke or to light up your smoke But there's some-place that he'd ra - ther
knows that it's me they've been co - min' to see To for - get a - bout life for a
be while He says, "Bill, I be-lieve this is kil-ling me." As the
And the pia-no, it sounds like a car-ni-val And the

smile ran a-way from his face "Well I'm sure that I could be a
mic-ro-phone smells like a beer And they sit at the bar and put

mo-vie star If I could get out of this place" Oh, la ...
To Coda

Now Paul is a real estate

To Coda

no-ve-list Who ne-ver had time for a wife And he's tal-kin' with Da-vy who's

still in the na-vy And pro-bab-ly will be for life [Harmonica]
And the

waist is practicing politics As the businessmen slowly get stoned Yes, they're

sharing a drink they call loneliness But it's better than drinkin' alone
Sing us a song, you're the piano-man,
sing us a song tonight.
Well, we're all in the mood for a melody
And you've got us feelin' all...