

## Henry Lee

In the style of Nick Cave and PJ Harvey

**Asus2 Am**

[Verse 1]

**Asus2 Am Asus2 Am**

Get down, get down, little Henry Lee

**Asus2 Am Dsus2 Dm**

And stay all night with me

**Dsus2 Dm Dsus2 Dm**

You won't find a girl in this damn world

**Dsus2 Dm Asus2 Am**

That will compare with me

[Chorus]

**G G7**

And the wind did howl and the wind did blow

**C**

La la la la la

**Am**

La la la la lee

**Dm Am**

A little bird lit down on Henry Lee

[Verse 2]

**Asus2 Am Asus2 Am**

I can't get down and I won't get down

**Asus2 Am Dsus2 Dm**

And stay all night with thee

**Dsus2 Dm Dsus2 Dm**

For the girl I have in that merry green land

**Dsus2 Dm Asus2 Am**

I love far better than thee

[Chorus]

**G** **G7**  
And the wind did howl and the wind did blow  
**C**  
La la la la la  
**Am**  
La la la la lee  
**Dm**  
A little bird lit down on Henry Lee

[Verse 3]

**Asus2** **Am** **Asus2** **Am**  
She leaned herself against a fence  
**Asus2** **Am** **Dsus2** **Dm**  
Just for a kiss or two  
**Dsus2** **Dm** **Dsus2** **Dm**  
And with a little pen-knife held in her hand  
**Dsus2** **Dm** **Asus2** **Am**  
She plugged him through and through

[Chorus]

**G** **G7**  
And the wind did roar and the wind did moan  
**C**  
La la la la la  
**Am**  
La la la la lee  
**Dm**  
A little bird lit down on Henry Lee

[Verse 4]

**Asus2 Am Asus2 Am**  
Come take him by his lily-white hands  
**Asus2 Am Dsus2 Dm**  
Come take him by his feet  
**Dsus2 Dm Dsus2 Dm**  
And throw him in this deep deep well  
**Dsus2 Dm Asus2 Am**  
Which is more than one hundred feet

[Chorus]

**G G7**  
And the wind did howl and the wind did blow  
**C**  
La la la la la  
**Am**  
La la la la lee  
**Dm**  
A little bird lit down on Henry Lee

[Verse 5]

**Asus2 Am Asus2 Am**  
Lie there, lie there, little Henry Lee  
**Asus2 Am Dsus2 Dm**  
Till the flesh drops from your bones  
**Dsus2 Dm Dsus2 Dm**  
For the girl you have in that merry green land  
**Dsus2 Dm Asus2 Am**  
Can wait forever for you to come home