

# I Shall Be Released

Bob Dylan



**Intro:** [C] They say everything can be re-[Dm]-placed [Dm]  
[Em] Yet every [Dm] distance is not [C] near [D7]

[C] They say everything can be re-[Dm]-placed  
[Em] Yet every [Dm] distance is not [C] near  
[C] So I remember every [Dm] face  
[Em] Of every [Dm] man who put me [C] here

[C] I see my light come [Dm] shining  
[Em] From the [Dm] west down to the [C] east  
[C] Any day now [Dm] any day now  
[Em] I [Dm] shall-be re-[C]-leased

[C] They say every man needs pro-[Dm]-tection  
[Em] They say that [Dm] every man must [C] fall  
[C] Yet I swear I see my re-[Dm]-flection  
[Em] Somewhere so [Dm] high above this [C] wall

[C] I see my light come [Dm] shining  
[Em] From the [Dm] west down to the [C] east  
[C] Any day now [Dm] any day now  
[Em] I [Dm] shall-be re-[C]-leased

**Instrumental:** [C] They say everything can be re-[Dm]-placed  
[Em] Yet every [Dm] distance is not [C] near [D7]

[C] Now yonder stands a man in this [Dm] lonely crowd  
A [Em] man who [Dm] swears he's not to [C] blame  
[C] All day long I hear him [Dm] shout-ing so loud  
[Em] He's crying [Dm] out that he's been [C] framed

[C] I see my light come [Dm] shining  
[Em] From the [Dm] west down to the [C] east  
[C] Any day now [Dm] any day now  
[Em] I [Dm] shall-be re-[C]-leased

[C] Any day now [Dm] any day now  
[Em] I [Dm] shall-be re-[C]-leased

[C don't sing ] Any day now [Dm] any day now  
[Em] I [Dm] shall-be re-[G >]-leased