

Side Notes: As I wrote this song, I was thinking about what it might be like to live in the middle east with fear of daily bombings and terrorist attacks. I visualized a mother who lived with fear inside of her that her children and husband might not come home to her. As long as there is hope and good people in the world, there will be a chance for peace. Hopefully, with changes in leadership in these nations, a mother's tear of despair and hopelessness will transition into tears of joy with hope for a better future for her children.

A Mother's Tear

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mp

With Pedal

Crossover with Left Hand

5

Crossover with Left Hand

9

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13

mf

17

LH

mf

21

mf

25

mf

28

Roll chord up

mf

cres.