

The Nearness Of You
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Intro: E7

 A E7 G/B Em7
It s not the pale moon that excites me
A5+ D Fdim Dm A F#7 Bm5-/7 E7
That thrills and delights me, oh, no
 Bm5-/7 E7 A F#7 Bm5-/7 E7
It s just the nearness of you
 A E7 G/B Em7
It isn t your sweet conversation
A5+ D Fdim Dm A F#7 Bm5-/7 E7
That brings this sensation, oh, no
 Bm5-/7 E7 A D9 A
It s just the nearness of you
Bridge
 Fdim
When you re in my arms
 A A7
And I feel you so close to me
 D F#7 Bm7 G7 E7
All my wildest dreams come true
 A E7 G/B Em7
I need no soft lights to enchant me
A5+ D Fdim Dm A F#7 Bm5-/7 E7
If you ll only grant me the right
 Bm7 F# Bm
To hold you ever so tight
 Bm5-/7 E7 E7/13
And to feel in the night
 E7 Bm5-/7 E7 A D Dm A
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