

**Lets Pretend**  
**Eric Carmen**

Verse 1:

**G F/G**

I can t sleep nights

**Am Bm C Cadd9/A**

Wishing you were here beside me

**G F/G**

Can t help feelin

**Am7 D7 G**

That s the way it ought to be

**B7/D# Em**

You know we could run (run, run away)

**D7/F# G /B C Am7 Am7/D**

But I couldn t bear to hear the things they d say, oh no

Chorus:

**G Bm C /B Am7**

Baby, let s pretend that tonight could live forever

**Fadd9 Am7/D D7 G Cadd9 /D**

If we close our eyes and believe it might come true

**G Bm C /B Am7**

Baby, let s pretend we could always {1,4: be 2,3: live} together

**Fadd9 Am7/D D7 B7**

But for now just let me spend the night with you

{1: Cadd9 /D; to verse 2}

{2: to bridge}

{3, 4: Cadd9 /D; repeat}

Verse 2:

Somehow, someday

Things are gonna be so different

Don t cry, some way

I promise it ll be all right

So now that we re all alone

I couldn t bear to leave to take you home, oh no

{repeat Chorus}

Bridge:

**C B7sus4 B7**

So take me now, my love can t wait

**Em G7/D**

We re almost there now, darlin , darlin

**C Am**

Hold me (hold me), hold me (hold me)

**Fadd9 D7sus4**

Ho-oh-old me

{repeat Chorus to end; start to fade 2nd time}