

Chelsea Morning
Fairport Convention

Intro E

Verse

E

Woke up, it was a Chelsea morning, and the first thing that I heard

A

E

F#m

E

Was a song outside my window, and the traffic wrote the words

A

G#m

It came ringing up like Christmas bells

F#m

B

And rapping up like pipes and drums

D

E

Oh, won't you stay? We'll put on the day

A

E

And we'll wear it till the night comes

Verse

E

Woke up, it was a Chelsea morning, and the first thing that I saw

A

E

F#m

E

Was the sun through yellow curtains, and a rainbow on my wall

A

G#m

Blue, red, green and gold to welcome you

F#m

B

Crimson crystal beads to beckon

D

E

Oh, won't you stay? We'll put on the day

A

E

There's a sun show every second

Bridge

A

G#m

F#m

E

Now the curtain opens on a portrait of today

A

G#m

And the streets are paved with passers by

F#m

B

And pigeons fly and papers lie, just waiting to blow away

Verse

E

Woke up, it was a Chelsea morning, and the first thing that I knew

A

E

F#m

E

There was milk and toast and barley, and a bowl of oranges too

A

G#m

And the light poured in like butterscotch

F#m

B

And stuck to all my senses

D

E

Oh, won't you stay? we'll put on the day

A

E

And we'll talk in present tenses

Bridge

A

G#m

F#m

E

Now the curtain closes and the rainbow runs away

A

G#m

I will bring you incense owls by night

F#m

B

By candlelight, by jewel-light, if only you will stay

N.C.

Pretty baby, won't you

E

Wake up, it's a Chelsea morning