

Paradise By The Dashboard Light
Meat Loaf

(D)

D
Well, I remember every little thing
G
as if it happened only yesterday
C
Parking by the lake,
G **D**
and there was not another car in sight

And I never had a girl,
G
looking any better than you did
F#
And all the kids at school,
G **A** **D**
they were wishing they were me that night

Bb **F** **C** **D**
And now our bodies are oh so close and tight
Bb **F** **C** **D**
It never felt so good, it never felt so right
G **D** **A** **D**
And we re glowing like the metal on the edge of a knife
G **D** **A** **D**
And we re glowing like the metal on the edge of a knife
G **D**
C mon! Hold on tight!
G **F** **A**
C mon! Hold on tight!

G **A** **D** **A** **G**
Though it s cold and lonely in the deep dark night
D **Bm** **G** **Em** **D**
I can see paradise by the dashboard light

Girl:

G **A** **D**
Ain t no doubt about it,
A **G**
we were doubly blessed
Em **G**
Cause we were barely seventeen,
Em **D**
and we were barely dressed

Meatloaf & Girl:

G A D
Ain t no doubt about it;
A G
baby got to go and shout it
G A D
Ain t no doubt about it,
A G
we were doubly blessed

Meat Loaf:

Em G
Cause we were barely seventeen,
Em D
and we were barely dressed

Baby doncha hear my heart,
G
you got it drowning out the radio
C
I ve been waiting so long,
G D
for you to come along and have some fun

And I gotta let ya know,
G
no you re never gonna regret it
F# G
So open up your eyes, I got a big surprise,
E
it ll feel all right,
A D
well, I wanna make your motor run

Bb F C D
And now our bodies are oh so close and tight
Bb F C D
It never felt so good, it never felt so right
G D A D
And we re glowing like the metal on the edge of a knife
G D A D
And we re glowing like the metal on the edge of a knife
G D
C mon! Hold on tight!
G F A
C mon! Hold on tight!

Meat Loaf & Girl:

G A D A G
Though it s cold and lonely in the deep dark night

D F#m G
 I can see paradise by the dashboard light
Em D Bm A F#m F#
 Though it s cold and lonely in the deep dark night (in the deep dark night)
G D A D
 Paradise by the dashboard light

G A D
 You got to do what you can,
G A D
 and let Mother Nature do the rest
G A D
 Ain t no doubt about it,
A G
 we were doubly blessed
Em G
 Cause we were barely seventeen,
Em
 and we were barely. . .

We re gonna go all the way tonight

We re gonna go allt he way

An tonight s the night...

Radio Broadcast:

A A7 A

Ok, here we go, we got a real pressure cooker
 going here, two down, nobody on, no score,
 bottom of the ninth, there s the wind-up and
 there it is, a line shot up the middle, look
 at him go. This boy can really fly!
 He s rounding first and really turning it on
 now, he s not letting up at all, he s gonna
 try for second; the ball is bobbled out in center,
 and here comes the throw, and what a throw!
 He s gonna slide in head first, here he comes, he s out!
 No, wait, safe--safe at second base, this kid really
 makes things happen out there.
 Batter steps up to the plate, here s the pitch--
 he s going, and what a jump he s got, he s trying
 for third, here s the throw, it s in the dirt--
 safe at third! Holy cow, stolen base!
 He s taking a pretty big lead out there, almost
 daring him to try and pick him off. The pitcher
 glance over, winds up, and it s bunted, bunted
 down the third base line, the suicide squeeze in on!
 Here he comes, squeeze play, it s gonna be close,
 here s the throw, there s the play at the plate,
 holy cow, I think he s gonna make it!

Girl:

A **G**

Stop right there!

A **G**

I gotta know right now!

Before we go any further--!

G

Do you love me?

Will you love me forever?

D

Do you need me?

Will you never leave me?

C

G

Will you make me so happy for the rest of my life?

A

Will you take me away and will you make me your wife?

G

Do you love me!?

Will you love me forever!?

D

Do you need me!?

Will you never leave me!?

C

G

Will you make me so happy for the rest of my life!?

A

Will you take me away and will you make me your wife!?

G

I gotta know right now

A

Before we go any further

G

Do you love me!!!?

D

Will you love me forever!!!?

Meat Loaf:

G

Let me sleep on it,

D

Dsus4 D

baby, baby let me sleep on it

C

Let me sleep on it,

G

D

Dsus4 D

and I ll give you my answer in the morning

G

Let me sleep on it,

D **Dsus4 D**

baby, baby let me sleep on it

C

Let me sleep on it,

G

D

and I ll give you my answer in the morning

G

Let me sleep on it,

A

baby, baby let me sleep on it

G

Let me sleep on it,

D

C

G

D

and I ll give you my answer in the morning

Girl:

I gotta know right now!

G

Do you love me!?

Will you love me forever!?

D

Do you need me!?

Will you never leave me!?

C

G

Will you make me so happy for the rest of my life!?

A

Will you take me away and will you make me your wife!?

G

I gotta know right now

A

Before we go any further

G

Do you love me!!!?

D

Will you love me forever!!!?

(what s it going to be boy?)(I can wait all night)

(what s it going to be boy yes, or no!)(what s it going to be boy yes, or no!)

Meat Loaf:

G

Let me sleep on it,

D

Dsus4 D

baby, baby let me sleep on it

C

Let me sleep on it,

G

D

and I ll give you my answer in the morning

Girl: (I gotta know right now!)

Meat Loaf:

G

Let me sleep on it,

D

Dsus4 D

baby, baby let me sleep on it

C

Let me sleep on it,

G

D

and I ll give you my answer in the morning, morning, I ll tell you in the morning

Girl:

G

I gotta know right now,

A

before we go any further

G

Do you love me!!!?

D

Will you love me forever!!!?

Meatloaf:

Let me sleep on it!!!

Girl:

Will you love me forever?

Meatloaf:

Let me sleep on it!!!

Girl:

Will you love me forever!!!

Meat Loaf:

F

I couldn t take it any longer,

Lord I was crazed

C

And when the feeling came upon me,

F

like a tidal wave

C

G

I started swearing to my God and on my mother s grave,

F **G** **C**
that I would love you to the end of time

F **G** **C**
I swore that I would love you to the end of time!

Meat Loaf & Girl:

C **G** **C**
So now I m praying for the end of time,

F **G** **C**
to hurry up and arrive

C **G** **Am**
Cause if I gotta spend another minute with you,

G
I don t think that I can really survive

F
I ll never break my promise or forget my vow,

Meatloaf:

C **G**
(but God only knows what I can do right now)

Meat Loaf & Girl:

C **G** **C**
I m praying for the end of time,

Am
it s all that I can do

C **G** **C** **F** **G** **C**
Praying for the end of time, so I can end my time with you!!!

Meat Loaf:

Girl:

F **C** **G** **C**
It was long ago and it was far away, (it never felt so good, it never felt so right)

F **C** **G** **C**
and it was so much better than it is today (and we were glowing like a metal on the edge

(of a knife)