

**The First Time Ever I Saw Your Face**  
**Peter, Paul and Mary**

[Intro]

**A E A F#m C#m7 D E A**

[Verse 1]

**E E7 A**  
The first time ever I saw your face  
**F#m C#m7 D**  
I thought the sun rose in your eyes  
**E A**  
And the moon and stars were the gifts you gave  
**G A**  
To the dark and the empty skies, my love  
**G A**  
To the dark and the empty skies

[Interlude]

**A E A**

[Verse 2]

**E E7 A**  
The first time ever I kissed your mouth  
**F#m C#m7 D**  
I felt the earth move in my hand  
**E A**  
Like the trembling heart of a captive bird  
**G A**  
That was there at my command, my love  
**G A**  
That was there at my command

[Interlude]

**A E A**

[Verse 3]

**E E7 A**  
The first time ever I held you near  
**F#m C#m7 D**  
And felt your heart beat close to mine  
**E A**  
I thought our joy would fill the world  
**G A**  
And would last til the end of time, my love  
**G A**  
And would last til the end of time

