Suddenly Soraya

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This song was written by Soraya in 1993 and published on her first album on nights like this (1996), produced by Rod Argent and Peter Van Hooke. I put the mandolin's melody to guitar-tabulature. The bars above the notation stand for approximate major beats. By the way... can't figure it out what the guitar really plays during the chorus - somebody ask Mitch Dalton (the player on the cd!!) Play it anyway like this:

SUDDENLY (Soraya) verse: (repeat almost endlessly) f#m E A e-----B-----02----0-2-0-2-0-G-2----2-4----4----2------D-----4-----6------A----4-----7-----0-------*E*-2-----4------F#m E Α a thousand eyes looking at me F#m Ε Α but yours is the look that goes right through me and i F#m Ε Α cannot hide from your stare F#m E Α should i let you in - do i dare F#m E Δ some other hands have tried before F#m E Α but yours is the touch that makes me want more Ε F#m А cannot hide the urgency F#m E A

to have you lying here with me because

Chorus A E D(add9) suddenly in my life A E D(add9) there's something that's got me mystified and i A E D(add9) A E D(add9) cannot fight it but i can try to keep the wonder of it alive

a thousand words have tried to say but yours are the ones that'll never fade away and i cannot hide from their sound i am mesmerized spinning round and round and some other hearts have tried to steal mine yours is the one that i now hold dear i'll do what it takes to keep you here i'm a selfish fool but i have no fear

Chorus

Mandolin-Solo: (those underlined play with mandolin-effect) e------B-17-17-17-17-15-14-15-14----14-----17-17-17-*G*-----*15*----*16*-1*4*------D-----A------*E*_____ e-----B-17-15-14-15-17-14-----14-15-----*G*-----1*4*-1*6*-1*4*-1*6*---1*6*-----1*6*-1*4*-1*6*----1*6*-----1*6*-1*4* D-----14-16-----A-----*E*_____ e-----16-17-----B-17-17-17-17-15-14-15-----*G*-----*16*-----D-----A-----

a thousand times i've tried to stay alone by pushing you away time after time and tear after tear i find myself back her with you a thousand visions have come to me all promising serenity as i struggle to find the source of this peace i always end up with your kiss

2x Chorus

Solo ad lib.