

Because the Night - Patti Smith

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Verses

||: B^{m*} G | A B^m | B^m G | A B^m

Take me now, baby, here as I am. Pull me close try and understand
Have I doubt when I'm alone? Love is a ring on the telephone

B^m G | A B^m | B^m G | A B^m

Desire is hunger, is the fire I breathe. Love is a banquet on which we feed
Love is an angel disguised as lust, here in our bed until the morning comes

G A | D / A / | B^m G | G / A /

Come on now, try and understand the way I feel when I'm in your hand
Come on now, try and understand the way I feel under your command

D G | G / A / | C / / /

Take my hand, come under cover. They can't hurt you now
Take my hand as the sun descends. They can't touch you now

B^m / / / | F# / / / | F# / / /

They can't hurt you now. They can't hurt you now. They can't hurt you now
They can't touch you now. They can't touch you now. They can't touch you now

Chorus

B^m / G | G / A |

Because the night be-ongs to lovers.

B^m / G | G A B^m /

Because the night be-ongs to lust.

B^m / G | G / A |

Because the night be-ongs to lovers.

B^m / G | G A B^m / :||

Because the night be-ongs to lust.

Instrumental

G A | D / A / | B^m G | G / A /

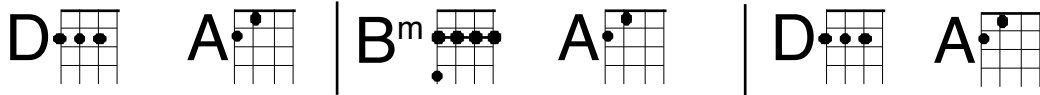
D G | G / A / | G / / / | G / / /

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Bridge



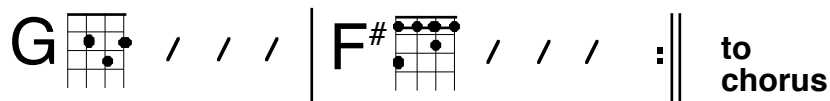
With love we sleep with doubt the vicious circles turn and turn



Without you I cannot live, forgive the yearning, burning. I



believe in time, too real to feel so touch me now, touch me now,



touch me now.



* In terms of timing, bars with 2 chords and without indication the chords are evenly spaced are as follows:

