

I DON'T WANT TO WAIT

Words and Music by
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Strongly

Gsus2/F

Gsus2/E

So o - pen up your morn - ing light and

mf

Gsus2/D

Gsus2/C

Gsus2/F

Gsus2/E

say a lit - tle prayer for I. You know that if we are to stay a - live, then

Gsus2/D

Gsus2/C

G(add2)

see the peace in ev - 'ry eye. Du du du du du,

C6/9



du du du _ du du, du du du _ du du du _

G(add2)



She had two ba - bies,
He showed up all wet

C6/9



one was six _ months, one _ was three, in the war _ of for-ty - four. _
on the rain - y front _ step wear-ing shrap - nel in his skin. _

G(add2)



Ev - 'ry tel - e - phone ring, ev - 'ry heart - beat sting - ing when she
And the war _ he saw lives _ in - side _ him still. _ It's so

Em7 D Cmaj9

thought — it was God — call - ing her. — Oh, would_
 hard — to be gen - tie and warm. — The years_

Em D6 C(add9)

— her son — grow — to know his fa - ther?
 — pass by, — and now — he has — grand-daugh - ters. — }

G(add2) D(add4)/F# Em11 Dsus

I don't want to wait for our lives — to be o - ver. — I want —

C6 G(add9)/B Dsus/A Dsus

— to know — right now, what will it be? —

G(add2) D(add4)/F# Em11 Dsus

I don't want to wait for our lives to be over. Will it

C6 G(add9)/B 1 Dsus/A G(add2)

be yes, or will it be sorry? Du du du du du,

C6/9

du du du du du, du du du du du.

2 Dsus/A G7(add4)

Oh, so you look at me from across

Am9b13



the room. — You're wear-ing your an-guish a - gain. — Be-lieve -

Bb(add2)



Fsus



C(add9)



— me, I know the feel - ing; it sucks _ you in-to the jaws _ of an - ger.

G7(add4)



Oh, — so breathe a lit-tle more deep - ly, my love. All we

Am9b13



Bb(add2)



have is this ver - y mo - ment, — and I don't want to do what his _ fa-ther and his fa-ther and

Fsus Gsus2

his fa-ther did. I want to be here now. — So

Gsus2/F Gsus2/E Gsus2/D Gsus2/C

o - pen up — your morn - ing light — and say a lit - tle prayer — for I. — You know that

Gsus2/F Gsus2/E Gsus2/D Gsus2/C

if we are — to stay — a - live, — then see the peace — in ev - 'ry eye. —

G(add2) D(add4)/F# Em11 Dsus

I don't want to wait for our lives — to be o - ver. — I want —

C6 G(add9)/B Dsus/A Dsus G(add2) D(add4)/F#

— to know_ right now, what will it be? — I don't want to wait for our lives_

Em11 7fr Dsus C6 G(add9)/B

— to be o - ver. — Will it — be yes, — or will — it be... —

1 Dsus/A Dsus 2 Dsus/A G(add2)

sor - ry? — Du du du — du du,

C6/9 1

du du du — du du, du du du — du du du. —

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Gsus2/F Gsus2/E



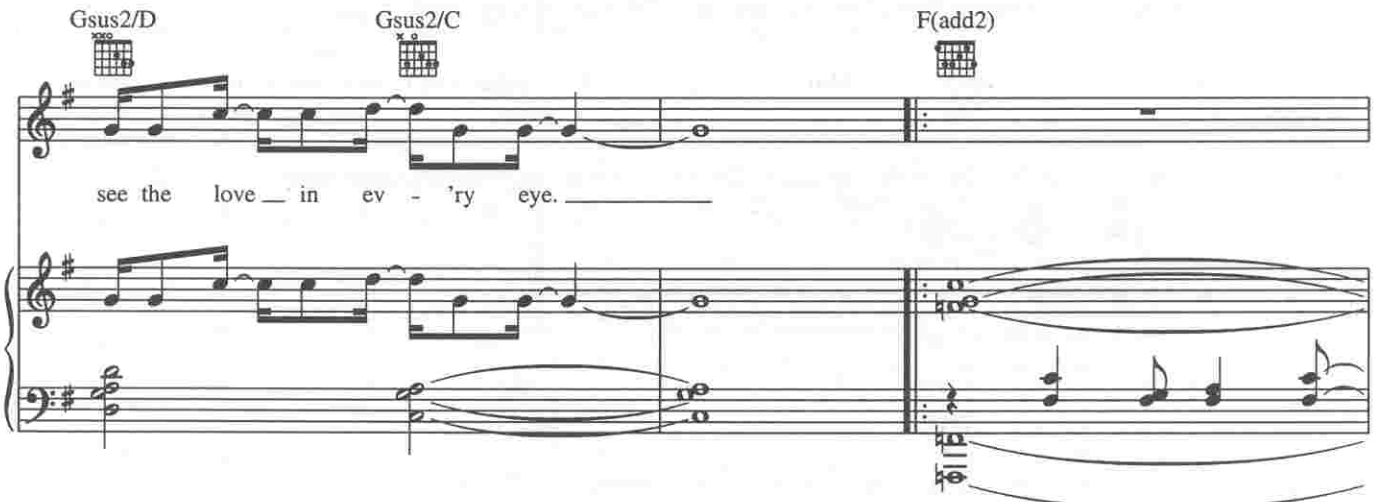
So o - pen up ___ your mor - ning light ___ and

Gsus2/D Gsus2/C Gsus2/F Gsus2/E



say a lit - tle prayer _ for I. ___ You know that if we are ___ to stay _ a - live, _ then

Gsus2/D Gsus2/C F(add2)



see the love ___ in ev - 'ry eye. ___

Repeat and Fade

