

# I SAY A LITTLE PRAYER

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Music by BURT BACHARACH

(Girl vocal key)  
Moderato

Piano introduction in G major, 4/4 time. The melody is in the right hand, and the bass line is in the left hand. The piece starts with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G, a quarter note A, a quarter note B, and a quarter note C. The melody continues with eighth and quarter notes, and the bass line provides a steady accompaniment.

Vocal and piano accompaniment for the first line of lyrics. The vocal line is in the upper staff, and the piano accompaniment is in the lower staff. The lyrics are: "The moment I wake up before I put on my make-up I run for the bus dear while riding I think of us dear". The piano accompaniment features chords in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. Chords are labeled as Em7, Am7, D9, and G6.

Vocal and piano accompaniment for the second line of lyrics. The vocal line is in the upper staff, and the piano accompaniment is in the lower staff. The lyrics are: "I say a little pray'r for you. While combing my hair I say a little pray'r for you. At work I just take". The piano accompaniment features chords in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. Chords are labeled as G6, C, B7, and Em7.

Vocal and piano accompaniment for the third line of lyrics. The vocal line is in the upper staff, and the piano accompaniment is in the lower staff. The lyrics are: "now and won't bring what dress to wear now I time and all thru' my coffee break time I". The piano accompaniment features chords in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. Chords are labeled as Am7, D9, Gmaj9, and G6.

say a lit - tle pray'r for you. \_\_\_\_\_  
 say a lit - tle pray'r for you. \_\_\_\_\_ For - ev - er, for - ev - er you'll

C B7 C D

stay in my heart — and I will love you for - ev - er and ev - er we

Bm7 Em7 G11 G7 C D

ne - ver will part, — Oh how I love you; To - geth - er, to - geth - er; That's

Bm7 Em7 G11 G7 C D

how it must be, — To live with - out you would on - ly mean heart - break for me \_\_\_\_\_

Bm7 Em7 C D11 B7

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My dar-ling be-lieve — me —

Em7 Am7

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for me there is no one — but you, please-love me

Am7 D9 Gmaj7 D11

too. — I'm in love with you, — Ans-wer my pray'r— babe. —

Gmaj7 D11 Gmaj7 D11 G

Say you love me too, — Ans-wer my pray'r— babe. —

Repeat ad lib & fade

D11 Gmaj7 D11 G Gmaj7