

CLAIR

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Moderately

Guitar chords: Gm7, Cm7, F7

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Clair, _____ the mo - ment I met you I

Guitar chords: F7, Dm7, Gm, Gm/F

swear, _____ I felt as if some - thing some - where _____ had

Guitar chords: Cm7, F7

hap - pened to me, _____ which I could - n't see. _____ And

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Gm7



Cm7



F7



then, _____ the mo - ment I met you a - gain _____ I
 Clair, _____ if ev - er a mo - ment so rare _____ was

Dm7



Gm



Gm/F



Cm7



knew in my heart_ that we were friends. _____ It had to be so. _____ It
 cap - tured for all _____ to com - pare, _____ that mo - ment is you, _____ in

F7



Bb



Abdim7



could-n't be no. _____ But, try _____ as hard as I might_ do, I
 all that you do. _____ But why, _____ in spite of our age_ dif - f'rence,

Cm



Eb/F



Bbmaj7



don't know why _ you get to me _ in a way I can't de - scribe. _
 do I cry? _ Each time I leave_ you I feel I could die. _

E♭maj7

Edim/B♭



Words mean so lit - tle when you look up and smile. _ I don't care
 Noth - ing means more _ to me than hear - ing you say, _ "I'm going to

B♭6

C9



what peo - ple say. _ To me, you're more than a child. _ Oh,
 mar - ry you. Will _ you mar - ry me, Un - cle Ray?" _ Oh,

Cm7

F9

Gm7



Clair, Clair. _____
 Clair, Clair. _____ Clair, _____ I've

Cm7

F9



told you be - fore, _ don't you dare get back _

B♭maj7



Gm7



Cm7



F9



in - to bed. Can't you see that it's late? No, you can't

B♭maj7



Gm7



Cm7



F7



have a drink. Oh, all right then, but wait just a

B♭



A♭dim7



bit while I, in an ef - fort to

Cm



E♭/F



B♭maj7



ba-by - sit, catch of my breath, what there is left of it.

E♭maj7

Edim/B♭



You can be mur - der at this hour of the day, — but in the

B♭6

C9



morn - ing this hour — will seem a life - time a - way. — Oh,

Cm7

F9

Em7b5



Clair, Clair. —

E♭maj9

B♭/D

Cm7

E♭/F

B♭maj9



Oh Clair.

rit.