

I SAY A LITTLE PRAYER

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Brightly

Am 1 3 1 Dm7

mp

The mo - ment I wake up,
I run for the bus, dear,

3 2 5 G7 2 C 5

be - fore I put on my make - up
while rid - ing I think of us, dear.

Bm7 2 E

say a lit - tle prayer for you.
say a lit - tle prayer for you.

2 5 1 3 1

The musical score is written for piano in 4/4 time. It features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The score is divided into three systems. The first system starts with a repeat sign and a first ending bracket. The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. The third system concludes the piece. Chord symbols are placed above the staff, and fingering numbers are placed below the notes. The piano part includes a melodic line in the right hand and a harmonic line in the left hand, often using sustained chords.

Am

Dm

1

1

3

While comb - ing my
At work I just

hair take now
take time

and won -
and all

G7

C

2

5

d'ring what
through my

dress to
cof - fee

wear now
break time

I
I

Bm7

E

2

2

1

2

say a lit - tle
say a lit - tle

prayer for
prayer for

you. }
you. }

For -

F

G7

Em7

1

2

1

2

ev - er, for - ev - er you'll stay in my heart and

mf

1
3
4

C 3 C⁷ F 1 G⁷

I will love you for - ev - er and ev - er. We

1
2
4

Em⁷ C 4 C⁷

nev - er will part. Oh, how I'll love you. To -

F 1 G⁷ Em⁷

geth - er, to - geth - er, that's how it must be. To

C 3 C⁷ F 4

live with - out you would on - ly mean heart - break for

E
5
1

me.

dim.

1 3 1

Am Dm⁷

1 1 2

My dar - ling, be - lieve me, for me

mp

G⁷

there is no one but

C F Cmaj⁷

5 4

you. I'm in love with you.

rit. *p*

2 4