

# Because the Night - Patti Smith

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## Verses

||: B<sup>m\*</sup> G | A B<sup>m</sup> | B<sup>m</sup> G | A B<sup>m</sup>

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<sup>m</sup> G | A B<sup>m</sup> | B<sup>m</sup> G | A B<sup>m</sup>

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<sup>m</sup> 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<sup>m</sup> / / / | 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<sup>m</sup> / G | G / A |

Because the night be-ongs to lovers.

B<sup>m</sup> / G | G A B<sup>m</sup> /

Because the night be-ongs to lust.

B<sup>m</sup> / G | G / A |

Because the night be-ongs to lovers.

B<sup>m</sup> / G | G A B<sup>m</sup> / :||

Because the night be-ongs to lust.

## Instrumental

G A | D / A / | B<sup>m</sup> G | G / A /

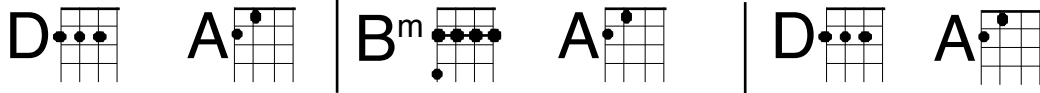
D G | G / A / | G / / / | G / / /

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## Bridge



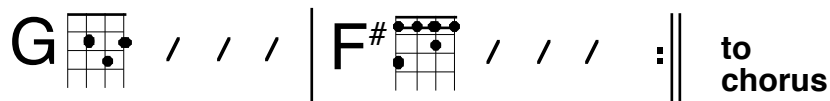
With love we sleep with doubt the vicious circles turn and turn



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:

