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Forever

*Wasn't It You
Who Said To Me,
"My Love Will Be—
Forever?"*

*Wasn't It I
Who Said To You,
"I Will Be True—
Forever?"*

*Beautiful Words—We Spoke Then!
Wonderful Kisses—Who Broke Them?
Wasn't It You
Who Made Us Part,
Breaking My Heart—
Forever?*

Words By
Jack Yellen
Music By
Milton Ager
With Ukulele Arr.



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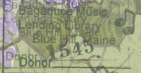
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If You Don't Love Me.

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The birds are sing - ing... What do I care what they're sing - ing.

If you don't love me?

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HERE'S THAT PARTY NOW IN PERSON

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Tune
A D F# D

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CHORUS

Well well well! speak - ing of... Some one that I sure could love, Here's that,

par - ty now in per son Is -n't she sure and fresh? Not a picture

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FOREVER

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Tune Ukulele
or Banjulele Banjo
A D F# B

Music by
MILTON AGER

Valse moderato

8va.

Vamp

Old time mem-o-ries
I know that my tears

cling to me. And they bring to me. Once a - gain
fall in vain. Yearn-ings all in vain. You are gone!

Gold-en ho - urs I spent with you. How con - tent with you I was
But that long-ing to hold you near, To en - fold you, dear, Lingers

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It begins with a piano introduction in 3/4 time, marked 'Valse moderato'. The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a harmonic accompaniment in the left hand. The vocal line enters with the lyrics 'Old time mem-o-ries I know that my tears'. The piano part then plays a 'Vamp' (a rhythmic pattern) while the vocal line continues. The lyrics 'cling to me. And they bring to me. Once a - gain fall in vain. Yearn-ings all in vain. You are gone!' are followed by another piano section. The final vocal line is 'Gold-en ho - urs I spent with you. How con - tent with you I was But that long-ing to hold you near, To en - fold you, dear, Lingers'. The piano part provides a continuous accompaniment throughout the song.

then! But the hap - py end - ing nev - er
on. I sup - pose what hap - pened had to

came; Who do you think was to blame?
be, But you can nev - er blame me.

CHORUS

Was - n't it you who said to me "My love will be

For - ev - er? Was - n't it I

who said to you — "I will be true — For - ev - er?"

8va.....

Beau-ti-ful words — we spoke them; — Won-der-ful vows — who

broke them? — Was-nt it you — who made us part, —

8va.....

Break-ing my heart — For - ev - er? — -er?

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OF THE SONGS YOU SING



JACK YELLEN



MILTON AGER

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FORGIVE ME
IF YOU DON'T LOVE ME
DREAM KISSES
IS SHE MY GIRL-FRIEND?
COULD I? I CERTAINLY
COULD
I STILL LOVE YOU

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BIG BAD BILL
HARD-TO-GET GERTIE
SHE DON'T WANNA
CHEATIN' ON ME
ARE YOU SORRY?

I WISH I HAD MY OLD GAL
BACK AGAIN
SHE KNOWS HER ONIONS
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