

# Softly, As In A Morning Sunrise

Medium swing

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## Verse rubato

**Dm<sup>6</sup>** **Gm<sup>6</sup>** **Dm<sup>6</sup>** **Gm<sup>6</sup>**

Love came to me, gay and ten - der, Love came to me, sweet sur - ren - der;

**Dm<sup>6</sup>/A** **A<sup>7</sup>(b9)** **Dm<sup>6</sup>** **Bb<sup>13</sup>** **A<sup>7</sup>(b9)**

Love came to me \_\_\_\_\_ In bright ro - man - tic splen - dor.

**Dm<sup>6</sup>** **Gm<sup>6</sup>** **F/C** **C<sup>9</sup>(sus4)**

Fick - le was she, faith - ful nev - er; Fick - le was she \_\_\_\_\_ and clev - er,

**F** **E<sup>7</sup>** **A<sup>7</sup>** **A<sup>7</sup>(b9 #5)**

So will it be for - ev - er, for - ev - er, \_\_\_\_\_

## Tempo

**A1**

**Dm<sup>6</sup>** **Em<sup>7</sup>(b5)** **A<sup>7</sup>(b9 #5)** **Dm<sup>6</sup>** **Em<sup>7</sup>(b5)** **A<sup>7</sup>(b9 #5)**

Soft - ly as in a morn - ing sun - rise, The light of love comes

**Dm<sup>6</sup>** **Em<sup>7</sup>(b5)** **A<sup>7</sup>(b9 #5)** **Dm<sup>6</sup>** **Em<sup>7</sup>(b5)** **A<sup>7</sup>(b9 #5)**

steal - ing In - to a new - born day, oh!

**A2**

Dm<sup>6</sup> Em<sup>7(b5)</sup> A<sup>7(b9 #5)</sup> Dm<sup>6</sup> Em<sup>7(b5)</sup> A<sup>7(b9 #5)</sup>  
 Flam - ing with all the glow of sun - rise, A burn-ing kiss is

Dm<sup>6</sup> Em<sup>7(b5)</sup> A<sup>7(b9 #5)</sup> Dm<sup>6</sup> Gm<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7(b9)</sup>  
 seal - ing The vow that all be - tray. For the pas-sions that

**B**

F<sup>Δ7</sup> F<sup>#07</sup> D<sup>7(b9)</sup>  
 thrill love And lift you high to heav - en, Are the pas-sions that

Gm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>#07</sup> A<sup>7(b9)</sup> Em<sup>7(b5)</sup> A<sup>7(b9 #5)</sup>  
 kill love And let you fall to hell! So ends each sto - ry.

**A3**

Dm<sup>6</sup> Em<sup>7(b5)</sup> A<sup>7(b9 #5)</sup> Dm<sup>6</sup> Em<sup>7(b5)</sup> A<sup>7(b9 #5)</sup>  
 Soft - ly, as in an eve-ning sun - set, The light that gave you

Dm<sup>6</sup> Em<sup>7(b5)</sup> A<sup>7(b9 #5)</sup> Dm<sup>6</sup> B<sup>b9</sup> A<sup>7(b9 #5)</sup>  
 glo - ry Will take it all a - way.