

Tenderly

Louis Armstrong

A F#7 Bm7/5- Dm6 E7

A E7/5+ A7/9 D9
The evening breeze caressed the trees tenderly,
Bm7/5- Dm7 **A (C#m7/5-) Bm7/5- A**
The trembling trees embraced the breeze tenderly.
Dm Dm6 E7 Dm Dm6 E7
Then you and I came wandering by,
Fdim F#m7 B7 Bm7/5- E7
And lost in a sigh were we.

A E7/5+ A7/9 D9
The shore was kissed by sea and mist tenderly;
Bm7/5- Dm7 **A (C#m7/5-) Bm7/5- A**
I can't forget how two hearts met breathlessly.
Dm Dm6 E7 Fdim F#m7 Cdim B7
Your arms opened wide and closed me in - side;
Cdim A Fdim Bm7/5- Dm7/5- Fdim A D9 Bm7/5- E7
You took my lips, you took my love so ten - der - ly.

(Instrumental Interlude: first verse)

A E7/5+ A7/9 D9
The shore was kissed by sea and mist tenderly;
Bm7/5- Dm7 **A (C#m7/5-) Bm7/5- A**
I can't forget how two hearts met breathlessly.
Dm Dm6 E7 Fdim F#m7 Cdim B7
Your arms opened wide and closed me in - side;
Cdim A Fdim Bm7/5- Dm7/5- Fdim A D9 Bm7/5- A
You took my lips, you took my love so ten - der - ly.