

# The First Time Ever I Saw Your Face

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The first time ever I saw your face  
I saw the sun rise in your eyes  
That the moon and stars were a gift you gave  
To the dark and the empty skies, my love,  
To the dark and the empty skies.

The first time ever I kissed your mouth  
And felt the earth move close to mine  
Like the trembling heart of a captive bird  
That was there at my command, my love,  
That was there at my command.

The first time ever I lay with you  
And felt your heart beat close to mine,  
I thought our joy would never end  
And would last till the end of time, my love,  
And would last till the end of time.