

MIDNIGHT GIRL

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(Chorus)

D **G** **A** **D**
You're my midnight girl and you're bouncing on my knee.
G **E7** **A**
You're my midnight girl and would you go to sleep for me?
G **A** **D** **Bm**
And when you look up at the stars, well, I wonder what you see.
G **A** **D**
You're my midnight girl, come fly away with me.

D **G** **A**
I was dreaming of an answer to a prayer.
D **Bm** **G** **A**
Then I woke up and saw that you were there,
G **A** **Bm** **G**
My pretty little baby with eyes of shining blue.
A **D**
I've waited half a lifetime to meet you.

Now I find my life is really strange.
Take preconceptions and learn to rearrange.
Early to bed they said and early we would rise,
But I see that midnight sparkle in your eyes.

(Bridge)

A **G** **D**
Come along with me and we'll chase a comet's tail,
A **G** **A**
Fly the asteroids and unfurl our solar sail
C **G** **A**
And watch it shimmer gently in the light,
C **G** **D**
But now, my dear, it's time to say good night.

F/D(5) **Eb/D(3)** **D** **F/D(5)** **Eb/D(3)** **D**

It really is much later than it seems
So till the morning, I wish you pleasant dreams.
And I'm sure it is much wiser to sing softer lullabies,
But this one's for the stars there in your eyes.

(Chorus to end)

G **A** **D**
You're my midnight girl, come fly away with me.

F/D(5) **Eb/D(3)** **D** **F/D(5)** **Eb/D(3)** **D**

*In November of 2006, Gretchen and I were blessed with a daughter, Katie Beth. (Kathleen Elizabeth for long.) We had been prepared by our friends with children for the probability that she would wake us up **far** too early in the morning.*

Being our child, she is contrarily making sure that we don't get to sleep at night.