A PERFECT STRANGER

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Key D Time sig 4/4



INTRO 2 D >> Am G G >> Em D >> Am G >> A7 C >> D She VERSE 1 10 D >> Am D >> Am never really knew where he came from, Or what it was happened at all, Yet 14 C G >> Em C >> D G >> A7 nervous, like trembling arms that reach across the air, She feels the hushed excitement of finding someone there, 18 G >> B7 G >> B7 C >> D7 C >> D Drawn on by a strange compelling sieze a moment, find where it will need To lead, A 22 G Α7 D perfect stranger in the hall, Whose bright eyes whisper 'Stay' 26 D A7 She VERSE 2 (as Verse 1) 28 D >> Am D >> Am G never really knew what he wanted, etc etc etc ٧ 40 G D Α7 perfect stranger in the bed, Whose bright eyes show the way 44 D A7 BRIDGE (instrumental) 46 G >> B7 G >> B7 C >> D A7 C >> D 50 C 54 D Α7 VERSE 3 (as Verse 1) 56 D >> Am D >> Am G G never really knew where he went to, etc ٧ 68 G D A7 bed, Whose bright eyes fade aperfect stranger all but way 72 D Α7 CODA 74 D A7 D

- $v1 \; \mbox{She}$ never really knew where he came from,
 - Or what it was happened at all:

Yet nervous, like trembling arms that reach across the air,

She feels the hushed excitement of finding someone there;

Drawn on by a strange compelling need

To seize a moment, find where it will lead;

A perfect stranger in the hall,

Whose bright eyes whisper "Stay".

v2 She never really knew what he wanted,

It never seemed clear in her head: Yet cautious, like timid hands that reach across the night,

She feels that aching longing to hold somebody tight;

Drawn on by a desperate need to feel,

To seek and touch, and cling to something real; A perfect stranger in the bed, Whose bright eyes show the way.

v3 She never really knew where he went to,
Or what it was lingering on:
Yet grasping, like fingertips that reach through
empty air,
She feels a heightened urgency to cling to what's still there;
Drawn to hold the present, make it last,
Before it finally slips away to past:
A perfect stranger, all but gone,
Whose bright eyes fade away.