

# THE FIRST TIME EVER I SAW YOUR FACE

Words & Music by Ewan MacColl

♩ = 60



Dm7



G



C



G/B



1. The first time \_\_\_\_\_ ev - er I saw \_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_ face, \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. The first time \_\_\_\_\_ ev - er I kissed \_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_ mouth, \_\_\_\_\_

Am



Em



F



I thought the sun \_\_\_\_\_ rose \_\_\_ in your eyes, \_\_\_\_\_  
 I felt the earth \_\_\_\_\_ move \_ in my hands, \_\_\_\_\_

\* Original key D $\flat$  major

C/G



G



and the moon \_\_\_\_\_ and the stars \_\_\_\_\_ were \_\_\_\_\_  
 like the trem - bling heart \_\_\_\_\_

C



Gm



\_\_\_\_\_ the gifts \_\_\_\_\_ you gave \_\_\_\_\_ to the dark \_\_\_\_\_  
 of a cap - tive bird that must stay

C



1.

and \_\_\_\_\_ the emp - ty skies. \_\_\_\_\_  
 at my \_\_\_\_\_ com - mand. \_\_\_\_\_

2.

Gm



Csus4



C



my love. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. And the first \_\_\_\_\_ time \_\_\_\_\_ ev - er I

F

C/E

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lay with you, I felt your heart \_

Am

Bb



so close to mine.

F/C

C



And I knew our joy

F

Cm

3 fr



would fill the earth, and last, and last.



and last — till the end of time, — my — love.



The first time — ev-er I saw —



your face, your — face, — your face, —



*rit.* your face. —