

# OPEN ARMS

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Slowly *p*  
*expressively*

A/C# G/B

\* *sim.*

Bm A

Verse:

D A/C# G/B Bm

1. Ly - ing be - side you, here in the dark; feel - ing your  
2. Soft - ly you whis - per, you're so sin - cere. How could our  
3.4. (see additional lyrics)

*mp*

A G

1. 3. 2. 4.

heart beat with mine.  
love be so blind?

1. We  
2. (see additional lyrics)

*mf*



sailed on to- geth - er; we drift - ed a - part; and here you



are by my side. So, now I



Chorus:

come to you with o - pen arms;  
here I am with o - pen arms;



noth - ing to hide, be - lieve what I say. So,  
hop - ing you see what your



2. C D D.S. 4. C

love means to me; open arms. love means to

me; open arms.

*p*

*mp*

*dim. e rit.*

G/B D/C D

*Verse 3:*  
 Living without you; living alone,  
 This empty house seems so cold.

*Verse 4:*  
 Wanting to hold you, wanting you near;  
 How much I wanted you home.

*Bridge:*  
 But now that you've come back;  
 Turned night into day;  
 I need you to stay.  
 (Chorus)