

**THE NEARNESS OF YOU**  
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Slowly

The sheet music consists of ten staves of musical notation for voice and piano. Each staff begins with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The first staff starts with E♭M7, followed by B♭m7, E♭7, A♭M7, and A♭dim7. The second staff starts with Gm7, C7, Fm7, B♭7 (with a 3 above it), Gm7, C7, Fm7, and B♭7. The third staff starts with E♭M7, B♭m7, E♭7, A♭M7, and A♭dim7. The fourth staff starts with Gm7, C7, Fm7, B♭7 (with a 3 above it), E♭M7, A♭7, and E♭M7. The fifth staff starts with Fm7, B♭7, E♭M7, E♭7, B♭m7, and E♭7. The sixth staff starts with A♭M7, Am7b5, D7, Gm7, C7, F7, Fm7, and B♭7. The seventh staff starts with E♭M7, B♭m7, E♭7, A♭M7, and A♭dim7. The eighth staff starts with Gm7, C7, Fm7, B♭7 (with a 3 above it), Gm7b5, C7, and B♭7 (with a 3 above it). The ninth staff starts with Fm7, B♭7, E♭M7, and E♭7. The tenth staff starts with Fm7, B♭7, and E♭M7.

It's not the pale moon that excites me, that thrills and delights me. Oh,

no, it's just The Near - ness Of You. It is - n't

your sweet con - ver - sa - tion that brings this sen - sa - tion. Oh,

no, it's just The Near - ness Of You. When you're in my

arms and I feel you so close to me all my

wild est dreams come true. I need no

soft lights to en - chant me if you'll on - ly grant me the

right to hold you ev - er so tight and to feel in the

night The Near - ness Of You.