

A GARDEN IN THE RAIN

James Dyrenforth & Carroll Gibbons – 1928

verse 1

Eb Cm Gb Abm E
I recall a summer's day when you and I had strolled a - way
B Fm7 Bb7 Bbaug Eb Bbaug
And suddenly a storm drew nigh
Eb Cm Gb Abm E
Seeking shelter from the rain we hurried down a little lane
B Abm Bbdim Bb7 F9 Ebm Ebdim Bb7
And found a lovely spot near by

chorus

Eb Cm Gm Eb9 Eb7
'Twas just a garden in the rain
Ab Abaug Bm C7
Close to a little leafy lane
Abm Eb Ebdim Fm7 Bb7b9 Eb F9 Bb7
A touch of color 'neath skies of grey
Eb Cm Gm Eb9 Eb7
The raindrops kissed the flower beds
Ab Abaug Bbm C7
The blossoms raised their thirsty heads
Abm Eb Ebdim Fm7 Bb7b9 Eb Cm D7
A perfumed "thank you" they seemed to say
Gm D7 Gm Daug D7 Gm D7 Daug D7
Surely here was charm be - yond com - pare to view
G D7 G Am7 D7 G D7 Bb7
Maybe it was just that I was there with you
Eb Cm Gm Eb9 Eb7
'Twas just a garden in the rain
Ab Abaug Bbm C7
But then the sun came out a - gain
Abm Eb Ebdim Fm7 Bb7b9 Eb Fm7 Bb7
And sent us happi - ly on our way

ending: Eb Abm Eb

verse 2

Eb Cm Gb Abm E
I recall our sudden gasp of pure delight and then the clasp
B Fm7 Bb7 Bbaug Eb Bbaug
Of hands that said “Do you see, too?”
Eb Cm Gb Abm E
With a clasp a story starts, for then it first dawned in our hearts
B Abm Bbdim Bb7 F9 Ebm Ebdim Bb7
That you loved me and I loved you

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