

THE MOON KISSED THE MISSISSIPPI

Charles Newman, Lew Pollack – 1943

Verse

F **Dm**
Night winds blew a trumpet fanfare
F **Cm6** **D7**
And the scene was set;
G9 **Db7**
Call it fantasy, it was real to me.
F **Dm**
Thru' the river's rippling curtain
F **Cm6** **D7**
I can see it yet;
G9 **C7** **C7aug**
It's a scene I'll never forget.

Chorus

F
The moon kissed the Mississippi last night
C7 **F** **C7** **F** **Ddim** **C7**
Did you see? The moment you kissed me.
F
The stars danced a little polka last night,
C7 **F** **C7** **F**
Yes it's true, and did you see them too?
F7
Songbirds were singing
Faug **Bb** **F7** **Bb**
The 'Concerto in B flat'
G7
May sound fantastic,
C7 **Gm7** **C7**
But you can quote me, I can vouch for that.*

F
The moon kissed the Mississippi last night
C7 **F** **Gm7** **C7aug**
Did you see? The moment you kissed me.

Repeat to *

F
The moon kissed the Mississippi last night
C7 **F** **Bbm6** **F6**
Did you see? The moment you kissed me.

Arrangement by Dave Calvert