

One More Time

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THERE'S AN OLD MAN IN HIS FAVORITE CHAIR BARELY HALF ASLEEP
LISTENIN' TO THE WIND PLAYING IN THE LEAVES.
HE DREW A LONG, DEEP BREATH AND SAID, "I'M TIRED OF BEING TIRED".
THEN TOSSED AWAY THE BLANKET OFF HIS KNEES.

HE SAT UP STRAIGHT AND LOOKED OUTSIDE; A SMILE LIT UP HIS FACE.
AND HELD A HAND OUT TO HIS LIFE LONG BRIDE.
AND HE PAUSED FOR JUST A MOMENT; MAKIN' SURE WHAT HE WOULD SAY.
AND SAID, "DARLING I HAD A THOUGHT I HOPE YOU'LL LIKE".

RE: "WOULD YOU DANCE WITH ME
THE WAY WE USE TO DO
IN THE SWEET SUMMER HEAT BENEATH THE
LIGHT OF OUR SILVERY MOON.
WE CAN TURN REAL SLOW. YOU CAN HOLD ME CLOSE
SO I CAN FEEL YOUR HEART BEAT WITH MINE.
DARLING, WOULD YOU DANCE WITH YOUR LOVER JUST ONE MORE TIME."

HIS BELOVED PUT DOWN HER KNITTING AND SLOWING RAISED HER HEAD
AND LOOKED INTO HIS FAMILIAR BRIGHT GREEN EYES.
"MY FEET ARE SORE, MY BACK'S NO GOOD BUT HOW CAN I SAY NO".
SHE TOOK HIS HAND AND STOOD UP BY HIS SIDE.

RE: "YES, I'LL YOU DANCE WITH YOU
THE WAY WE USE TO DO
IN THE SWEET SUMMER HEAT BENEATH THE
LIGHT OF OUR SILVERY MOON.
WE CAN TURN REAL SLOW AND YOU CAN HOLD ME CLOSE
SO I CAN FEEL YOUR HEART BEAT WITH MINE.
I'D LOVE TO DANCE WITH MY LOVER JUST ONE MORE TIME."

THE OLD MAN FELT KINDA JUMPY AND THEN HE OPENED UP HIS EYES
AND HEARD A GENTLE WIND PLAYIN' WITH THE LEAVES.
HE SAT UP STRAIGHT; HELD OUT A HAND TO HIS LOVELY LIFE LONG BRIDE AND SAID,
"DARLIN', TONIGHT WE LIVE THE DREAM."

RE: "WOULD YOU DANCE WITH ME(YES I'LL DANCE WITH YOU)
THE WAY WE USE TO DO(THE WAY WE USED TO DO)
IN THE SWEET SUMMER HEAT BENEATH THE LIGHT OF OUR SILVERY MOON.
WE CAN TURN REAL, SLOW YOU CAN HOLD ME CLOSE
SO I CAN FEEL YOUR HEART BEAT WITH MINE.
I'D LOVE TO DANCE WITH MY LOVER ONE MORE TIME.
DARLING, WOULD YOU DANCE WILL YOUR LOVER JUST ONE MORE TIME."
"DANCE WITH ME...ONE MORE TIME."