

# Someone Saved My Life Tonight

Elton John

[Verse 1]

When I think of those East End lights, muggy nights  
The curtains drawn in the little room downstairs  
Prima Donna, lord, you really shoulda been there  
Sittin' like a princess perched in her electric chair  
And it's one more beer, and I don't hear you anymore  
We've all gone crazy lately  
My friend's out there, rollin' 'round the basement floor (Ooh)

[Chorus]

And someone saved my life tonight, sugar bear (sugar bear)  
You almost had your hooks in me, didn't you, dear?  
You nearly had me roped and tied  
Altar-bound, hypnotized, sweet freedom whispered in my ear  
You're a butterfly, and butterflies are free to fly  
Fly away, high away, bye-bye (Ooh)

[Piano riff]

[Verse 2]

I never realized the passin' hours of evening showers  
A slip noose hangin' in my darkest dreams  
I'm strangled by your haunted social scene  
Just a pawn out-played by a dominating queen  
It's four o'clock in the morning, damn it! Listen to me good  
I'm sleepin' with myself tonight  
Saved in time, thank God my music's still alive  
(Oh!)

[Chorus]

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(Sugar bear, sugar bear)  
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[Piano riff]

[Bridge]

And I would've walked head-on into the deep end of the river  
Clingin' to your stocks and bonds  
Payin' your H.P. demands forever  
They're comin' in the mornin' with a truck to take me home  
Someone saved my life tonight  
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Someone saved my life tonight  
Someone saved my life tonight  
Someone saved my life tonight  
So save your strength, and run the field you play alone

[Chorus]

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[Outro]

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