

About A Quarter To Nine  
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Intro Verse:

Em B7 Em Am7 B7 Em B7 Cdim Em  
Life be - gins when some - bod - y's eyes look in - to your own.

Em B7 Em Am7 Cdim G A7 D7  
Life be - gins when you've got your gal all a - lone.

B7 Am7 Em F#7 B7  
From morn - ing un - til twi - light, I don't know I'm a - live;

Em B7 Am Am7 B7 Em B7 Em  
But I know love be - gins at eight for - ty - five.

Cdim G Am7 G Cdim Am7 D7 Am7 D7  
The stars are gon - na twin - kle and shine,

Gdim D7 Am7 D7 Am7 G D9 G Am7 G  
This eve - ning a - bout a quar - ter to nine.

D7 Am7 Cdim G Am7 G Cdim Am7 D7 Am7 D7  
My lov - in' arms are gon - na' ten - der - ly twine

Gdim D7 Am7 D7 Am7 G D9 G Am7 G  
A - round you a - round a quar - ter to nine.

Bridge:

B7 E C#m F#m B7  
I know I won't be late 'cause at half past eight

E C#m B7  
I'm gon - na hur - ry there.

Bm Gdim F#7  
I'll be wait - ing where the lane be - gins,

B7 Cdim Am7 D7  
Wait - ing for her on nee - dles and pins.

D7 Am7 Cdim G Am7 G Cdim Am7 D7 Am7 D7  
And then the world is gon - na be mine

Gdim D7 Am7 D7 Am7 G D9 G Am7 G  
This eve - ning a - bout a quar - ter to nine.