

I'm Old Fashioned

Words & Music by Johnny Mercer & Jerome Kern

Recorded by Fred Astaire & Nan Wynn, 1942

From the movie "You Were Never Lovelier"

Em7 Edim E Dm7 A
I am not such a clever one about the latest fads;

D6 F#m Cdim A9 A7/9 A7
I admit I was never one adored by local lads.

D9 D6 Bm Bm7-5 A A9 F#m
Not that I ever try to be saint;

DM7 Fdim Cdim E7 A
I'm the type that they classify as quaint.

A F#m7 D9 Cdim
Quaint that they mother you, quaint that they brother you,

A A7/9 D Dm7
Must be another you, I like the other you.

D F#m Em7 A7 D F#m Em7 A7
I'm old fashioned, I love the moonlight,

Gdim D F#m Bm7 Em7 F#7
I love the old fashioned things;

D9 Bm7-5 E7 D9 Bm7-5 E7
The sound of rain upon a window pane,

G Gdim Cdim En7 G/B A7
The starry song that A - pril sings.

Gdim F#m Em7 A7 DM7 F#m C#m7-5 F#7
This year's fancies are pass - ing fan - cies,

G Am7 G/B C D Cdim Em7 A7
But sighing sighs, holding hands -- these my heart understands.

D F#m Em7 A7 D F#m7 Em7 A7
I'm old fashioned, but I don't mind it;

D F#m B7 Edim
That's how I want to be,

A7 D9 F#m7 E7/9 A7 D F#m Em7 A7 D
As long as you agree to stay old fashioned with me.