

Ruby (It's You)

Words & Music by Mitchell Parish & Heinz Roemheld, 1952

Recorded by Ray Charles, 1960

From the movie "Ruby Gentry"

A7+5 D6 DM7 Fdim C(7)  
They say, Ruby, you're like a dream,

A7 F#m7 DM7 Bm  
Not always what you seem;

Bm7 GM7 G6 Gm+7 Gm6  
And though my heart may break when I awake,

D+ D Em7-5 A7 A7+5 D Gdim A7  
Let it be so, I only know, Ruby, it's you.

A7+5 D DM7 Fdim C(7)  
They say, Ruby, you're like a song,

A7 F#m7 DM7 Bm  
You don't know right from wrong.

Bm7 GM7 G6 Gm+7 Gm6  
And in your eyes I see heartbreak for me;

D+ D Em7-5 A7 A7+5 D  
But from the start, who stole my heart? Ruby, it's you.

Bridge:

Gm A7+5 D  
I hear your voice and I must come to you

Gm A7+5 A7 Em7-5 A7  
I have no choice--what else can I do?

A7+5 D DM7 Fdim C(7)  
They say, Ruby, you're like a flame;

A7 F#m7 DM7 Bm  
Into my life you came.

Bm7 GM7 G6 Gm+7 Gm6  
And though I should beware, still, I don't care.

D+ D Em7-5 A7 Gm7-5 D Gm7 Em7-5 A7 D  
You thrill me so, I only know, Ruby, it's you.