

Lead: No way was I gonna write in all of Carl's grace notes. Grace it up, baby!

Backups: The Pre-Chorus notes are guesses... With horns in the mix, can't determine for sure. There are at least 4 backup singers there.

In every Chorus, the backup vocals bar 1 might be "dreamin' of", not "dreamin' it". Staccatto instruments sound like "it".

And this is the studio version, much more sparse than the live versions.

Darlin'

(3 backup voices)

BEACH BOYS

♩ = 126

Chorus 1

BV's

Lead

B

E/B

G#m7

C#7

Awh_____ keep dream-in' it dar- lin', ooh, ooh my dar - ling you're so fine.____

B/F#

F#7

C#m/G#

/A#

A/B

E

A/B

A/F#

A/B

E

F#

Awh_____

Don't know if

Verse 1

C#m7

F#

C#m7

F#

F#aug

words could say,_____ but dar-lin' I'll find a way_____ to let you know what you've

B

F#aug

B

G#

meant to me,_____ guess it was meant to be._____ I hold you

C#m7

F#

C#m7

F#

F#aug

in my heart_____ as life's most pre-cious part._____ Woh_____ dar-

Chorus 2

B

E/B

G#m7

C#7

Awh_____ keep dream-in' it dar- lin', ooh, ooh my dar - ling you're so fine.____

- lin'_____ I dream 'bout you of-ten my_ pret-ty dar-li - hin', I love the way you've soft-ened my

B/F# F#7 C#m/G# /A# A/B E A/B A/F# A/B E F#

Awh

life with your love, your pre - cious love, uh - huh_____ Oh! I was liv in' like

Verse 2

C#m7 F# C#m7 F# F#aug

half a man, then I could-n't love but now I can. You've picked me up when I'm

B F#aug B G#

feel - in' sad, a-more soul than I e - ver had. Gon-na love ya ev'-ry

C#m7 F# C#m7 F# F#aug

sin- gle night 'cause I think you're too out - ta sight. Oh hoh Dar-

Chorus 3

B E/B G#m7 C#7

Awh keep dream-in' it dar-lin', ooh, ooh my dar - ling you're so fine. lin' I dream 'bout you of-ten my pret-ty dar-lin' I love the way you've soft-ened my

B/F# F#7 C#m/G# /A#

Awh

life with your love, your pre - cious love, uh - huh_____ huh_____

Instrumental interlude

Example 1

Chord progression: A/B, E, F#7, A/B, E, F#7

Melodic line: (Notes and rests corresponding to the chords)

Woah ooh woh oh___hoh

Ev-er-y ni - hight woh dar-

A/B
 E F#
 - lin' Gon - na love ya ev' - ry

- lin'

Gon - na love ya ev' - ry

Pre-Chorus

Chorus

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Whuh

sin-gle night, yes I will, 'cause I think you're too dog-gone out-ta sight.

Whuh

sin -gle night, yes I___ will, 'cause I think you're too dog-gone out - ta sight.

Chorus 4 (out)

B E/B G#m7 C#7

Awh___ keep dream-in' it dar- lin', ooh, ooh my dar - ling you're so fine.___

Dar-lin'_ I dream 'bout you of-ten my_ pret-ty dar-li__ hin, I love the way you've soft-ened my

Awh____ keep dream-in' it dar- lin', ooh, ooh my dar - ling you're so fine.____

Dar-lin'_

I dream 'bout you of-ten my_ pret-ty dar-li__ hin, I love the way you've soft-ened my

life with your love, your pre - cious love, uh - huh

Oh!

The record has faded out by the start of the fi

Awh.

life with your love, your pre - cious love,uh - huh____

Oh!

The record has faded out by the start of the final bar

ppp