“Baby, It’s Cold Outside”

D Dmaj7 D Dmaj7
I really can't stay - *Baby it's cold outside*
Em A7 Em A7
I've got to go away - *Baby it's cold outside*
D Dmaj7 D Dmaj7
This evening has been - *Been hoping that you'd drop in*
Am7 D7
So very nice - *I'll hold your hands, they're just like ice*
G
My mother will start to worry - *Beautiful, what's your hurry*
Gm
My father will be pacing the floor - *Listen to the fireplace roar*
D
So really I'd better scurry - *Beautiful, please don't hurry*
Em A7
Maybe just a half a drink more - *Put some records on while I pour*

D Dmaj7 D Dmaj7
The neighbors might think - *Baby, it's bad out there*
Em A7 Em A7
Say, what's in this drink - *No cabs to be had out there*
D Dmaj7 D Dmaj7
I wish I knew how - *Your eyes are like starlight now*
Am7 D7
To break this spell - *I'll take your hat, your hair looks swell*
G
I ought to say no, no, no - *Mind if I move a little closer*
Gm A7
At least I'm gonna say that I tried - *What's the sense in hurting my pride*
D (walk-down) B7
I really can't stay - *Baby don't hold out*
E7 A7 D
Ahh, but it's cold outside

INSTRUMENTAL SOLO

D Dmaj7 D Dmaj7
I've got to go home - *Oh, baby, you'll freeze out there*
Em A7 Em A7
Say, lend me your comb - *It's up to your knees out there*

D Dmaj7 D Dmaj7
You've really been grand - *I'm thrilled when you touch my hand*
Am7 D7
But don't you see - *How can you do this thing to me*
G
There's bound to be talk tomorrow - *Making my life long sorrow*
Gm A7
At least there will be plenty implied - *If you caught pneumonia and died*

D (walk-down) B7
I really can't stay - *Get over that hold out*
E7 A7 D
Ahh, but it's cold outside
E7 A7 D
Oh, baby, it's cold outside
E7 A7 D [Big dramatic finish]
Oh, baby, it's cold out side

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