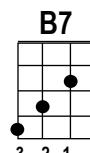
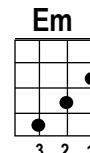
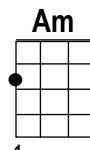


# DANCE ME TO THE END OF LOVE

By Leonard Cohen  
in 1984

**KEY:** Em (G)  
**4/4 TIME**  
**SHUFFLE**  
**GROOVE**

**Starting Note:**



**INTRO:** Am/// //

**VOCAL LICK 1:** Am/// // La-la, La-la-la-la, Em/// // La-la, La-la-la-la, B7/// // La-la, La-la, B7// // La-la, Em/// // La.

Am/// // La-la, La-la-la-la, Em/// // La-la, La-la-la-la, B7/// // La-la, La-la, Em/// // La.

**STANZA 1:** Am/// // Em/// // Am/// // Em/// //  
Dance me to your beauty with a burning vio-lin. Dance me through the panic 'til I'm  
Em/// // Am/// // Em/// // gathered safely in. Lift me like an olive branch and be my homeward dove.  
B7/// // Em/// // B7/// // Em/// //  
Dance me to the end of love. Dance me to the end of love.

**STANZA 2:** Am/// // Em/// // Am/// // Em/// //  
Let me see your beauty when the witnesses are gone. Let me feel you moving like  
Em/// // Am/// // Em/// // they do in Baby-lon. Show me slowly what I only know the limits of.  
B7/// // Em/// // B7/// // Em/// //  
Dance me to the end of love. Dance me to the end of love.

**STANZA 3:** Am/// // Em/// // Am/// // Em/// //  
Dance me to the wedding now. Dance me on and on. Dance me very tenderly and  
Em/// // Am/// // Em/// // dance me very long. We're both of us be-neath our love. We're both of us a-bove.  
B7/// // Em/// // B7/// // Em/// //  
Dance me to the end of love. Dance me to the end of love.

**VOCAL LICK 2:** Am/// // Em/// // B7/// // Em/// //  
La-la, La-la-la-la, Em/// // La-la, La-la-la-la, B7/// // La-la, La-la, B7// // La. Em/// // La.  
Am/// // Em/// // B7/// // B7// // Em/// // La.

**STANZA 4:** Am/// // Em/// // Am/// //  
Dance me to the children who are asking to be born. Dance me through the curtains that  
Em/// // Am/// // Em/// // our kisses have out-worn. Raise a tent of shelter now though ev'ry thread is torn.  
B7/// // Em/// // B7/// // Em/// //  
Dance me to the end of love. Dance me to the end of love.

**STANZA 5 & END:** Am/// // Em/// // Am/// //  
Dance me to your beauty with a burning vio-lin. Dance me through the panic 'til I'm  
Em/// // Am/// // Em/// // gathered safely in. Touch me with your naked hand. Touch me with your glove.  
B7/// // Em/// // B7/// // Em/// //  
Dance me to the end of love. Dance me to the end of love.

B7/// // B7/// // B7/// // Em/// // SLOW SLOWER  
Dance me to the end of love. Em/ REST REST REST

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