

# FEVER (ROCK VERSION)

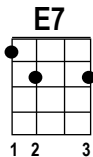
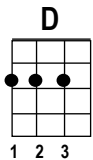
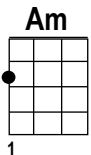
By Eddie Cooley &  
Otis Blackwell (John  
Davenport) in 1956

Originally recorded by  
R & B singer Little Willie  
John in 1956

Recorded by  
Peggy Lee in 1958

**KEY: Am**  
**4/4 TIME**  
**ROCK GROOVE**  
**TEMPO: 120-125**

Starting Note:



TACET: No Uke

TACET

Am/ . . .

black dots indicate  
the beats during the tacet,  
to guide your vocal

**FEVER!**  
(All caps)

Sing strong  
& octave higher

INTRO: Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
Mm\_\_mm\_\_mm\_\_mm\_\_mm\_\_mm\_\_mm\_\_

STANZA 1: Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
Never know how much I love you. Never know how much I care.

Am// D// Am// D// E7////  
When you put your arms a-round me, I get a fever that's so hard to

Am/ TACET . . . Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
bear. You give me fe\_ver, when you kiss me, fever when you hold me tight.

Am// D// Am// E7//// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
FEVER! in the morning, fever all through the night.\_\_\_\_

STANZA 2: Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
Sun lights up the daytime Moon lights up the night.

Am// D// Am// D// E7////  
I light up when you call my name and you know I'm gonna treat you

Am/ TACET . . . Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
right. You give me fe\_ver, when you kiss me, fever when you hold me tight.

Am// D// Am// E7//// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
FEVER! in the morning, fever all through the night.\_\_\_\_

STANZA 3: Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
Rome\_o loved Juliet. Juliet, she felt the same.

Am// D// Am// D// E7////  
When he put his arms a-round her. he said, "Julie baby you're my

Am/ TACET . . . Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
flame. Thou giveth fe\_ver, when we kisseth, fever with thy flaming youth.

Am// D// Am// E7//// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
FEVER! I'm a fire, fever, yeah I burn for-sooth.

STANZA 4 & END: Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
Now you've listened to my story. Here's the point that I have made.

Am// D// Am// D// E7////  
Chicks were born to give you fever, be it Fahrenheit or Cent-

Am/ TACET . . . Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D//  
grade. They give you fe\_ver, when you kiss them, fever if you live and learn.

Am// D// Am// E7//// Am// E7//// Am//  
FEVER! 'til you sizzle, what a lovely way to burn. What a lovely way to burn.

E7//// Am// D// Am// D// Am// D// Am//  
What a lovely way to b ---- u ---- r ---- n. "ss-ss-ss-ss-ss-ss-ss"

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