**BEYOND COMPARE**

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VERSE 1

B G#7 F# A F#7 E

It’s time a poem like this was written, to measure things beyond compare.

A E7 F# A C#m B

There’s nothing softer than a kitten; there’s nothing thinner than a hair.

B G#7 F# A F#7 E

There’s nothing slower than a turtle; and nothing faster than a jet.

A C#m B D A E

Nothing tighter than a girdle; and nothing nicer since we met.

CHORUS

E C#m B C#m7 E7 F#

I’m very weak, but some endurer. (Till now I’ve never been aware.)

A F# B E C#m B Bb F# E

But I can think of nothing purer than the lasting love we share.

VERSE (instruments only)

REPEAT CHORUS

VERSE 2

There’s nothing sooner than hereafter; nothing happier than laughter;

Nothing fancier than fashion; nothing vigorous like passion.

You’re never lost when you’ve been found; no evil found where love abounds.

Nothing old when all is new, with none more beautiful than you.

CHORUS (instruments only)