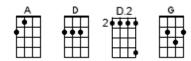
## **Stop Stop (Abridged)**

Allan Clarke, Tony Hicks, Graham Nash 1966 (recorded by the Hollies)



INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 / [D] / [D] / [D] /

- [D] See the girl with cymbals on her fingers, entering through the door
- [D] Ruby glistening from her navel, shimmering around the floor
- [D] Bells on feet go ting-a-linging, going through my head
- [D] Sweat is falling just-a like-a tear drops, running from her head

## [D] / [D] / [D] / [D] /

- [D] Now she dancing, going through the movements, swaying to and fro
- **[D]** Body moving, bringing back a memory, thoughts of long ago
- [D] Blood is rushing, temperature is rising, sweating from my brow
- [D] Like a snake, her body fascinates me, I can't look away now
- [G] Stop, stop, stop all the dancing [A] give me time to breathe
- [G] Stop, stop, stop all the dancing [A] or I'll have to lea-[D]ve [D] / [D] / [D] /
- [D] Now she's moving all around the tables, luring all in sight
- [D] But I know that she cannot see me, hidden by the light
- [D] Closer, closer, she is getting nearer, soon she'll be in reach
- [D] As I enter into a spotlight, she stands lost for speech
- [G] Stop, stop, stop all the dancing [A] give me time to breathe
- [G] Stop, stop, stop all the dancing [A] or I'll have to lea-[D]ve [D] / [D] /
- [D] Now I hold her, people are staring, don't know what to think
- [D] And we struggle, knocking over tables, spilling all the drinks
- [D] Can't they understand that I want her, happens every week
- [D] Heavy hand upon my collar, throws me in the street
- [G] Stop, stop, stop all the dancing [A] give me time to breathe
- [G] Stop, stop, stop all the dancing [A] or I'll have to lea-[D]ve [D] / [D] / [D] /

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