## Heatwave

Holland-Dozier-Holland 1963 (as recorded by Martha and the Vandellas)

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 /

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[D] / [D] / [D] / [D] /
[Am] / [Bm] / [Em] / [Em] /
[Am] / [Bm] / [Em] / [Em] /
[Am] / [Bm] / [C] / [D] / [G] / [G] / [G] / [G]↓
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Whenever I'm **[Am]** with him **[Bm]** Something in-**[Em]**side **(something in-[Em]side)** Starts to **[Am]** burning **[Bm]** And I'm **[Em]** filled with desire **[Am]** Could it be a **[Bm]** Devil in me Or is **[C]** this the way love's sup-**[D]**posed to be?

It's like a **[G]** heatwave, burning in my heart **[G]** I can't keep from crying, it's tearing me apart **[G]**↓

Whenever he [Am] calls my name
[Bm] Sounds [Em] soft, sweet and plain
Right [Am] then, right [Bm] there
I [Em] feel this burning pain
Has [Am] high blood pressure got a [Bm] hold on me
Or is [C] this the way love's sup-[D]posed to be?

It's like a **[G]** heatwave, burning in my heart **[G]** I can't keep from crying, it's tearing me apart **[G]** 

## [Am] Oo-oo-Oo-[Bm]oo-oo [Em] ooo [Em] heat wave [Am] Oo-oo-Oo-[Bm]oo-oo [Em] ooo [Em] heat wave [Am] / [Bm] / [C] / [D] / [D]↓

Sometimes I **[Am]** stare in space **[Bm]** Tears all **[Em]** over my face I can't ex-**[Am]**plain it, don't under-**[Bm]**stand it I ain't **[Em]** never felt like this before Now **[Am]** that funny feeling, has **[Bm]** me amazed Don't **[C]** know what to do, my **[D]** head's in a haze

It's like a **[G]** heatwave **[G]** yeah yeah yeah

## <Part 1 and Part 2 sung together>

<PART 1 - lead>
[Am] Yeah, yeah [Bm] yeah, oh-oh
[Em] Oh [Em] yeah, yeah
[Am] Yeah, yeah [Bm] yeah
[Em] Oh-oh-oh [Em] yeah
I [Am] feel it [Bm] burning
Right [C] here in my [D] heart, don't you know it's like a
[G] Heatwave [G] yeah

[Am] Yeah, yeah [Bm] yeah
[Em] Oh [Em] yeah, don't you know it's like a
[Am] Heatwave [Bm] burning
Right [Em] here in my [Em] heart, oh
[Am] Yeah, yeah [Bm] ye-ah [Em] oh [Em]↓ yeah!

<PART 2 - backup> [Am] (But it's al-[Bm]right girl) [Em] (Go a-[Em]head girl) [Am] (Well it's al-[Bm]right girl) [Em] (Can't miss it that's [Em] love girl) [Am] (Don't pass up [Bm] this chance) [C] (It sounds like [D] true romance) Don't you know it's like a [G] heatwave [G]

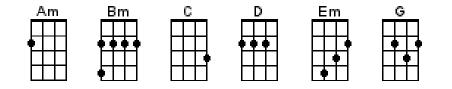
[Am] (Burning [Bm] burning)

[Em] (Burning [Em] burning burning)

[Am] (Burning [Bm] burning)

[Em] (Burning [Em] burning burning)

[Am] (Burning [Bm] burning [Em] oh [Em]↓ yeah!)



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