

# It Only Takes a Moment

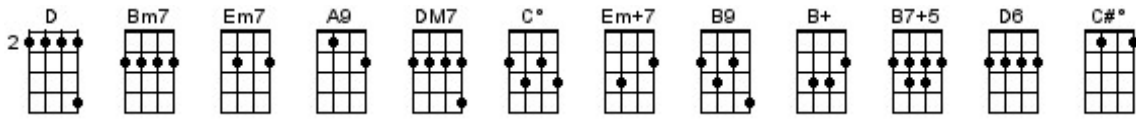
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Hello Dolly – [www.youtube.com/watch?v=kV8G\\_FjJzV4](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kV8G_FjJzV4)

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Intro: [D] [Bm7] [Em7] [A7] [D] [Bm7] [Em7] [A9]↓

It [D] on-[Bm7]ly [Em7] [A7] takes a [D] mo-[Bm7]ment [Em7] [A7] for your  
 [D] Eyes to [DM7] meet and [Cdim] then --- --- your  
 [Em7] Heart [Em+7] knows [B9] in a [Em7] mo-[Em+7]ment  
 [B9] You will [Em7] never [B+] be a-[Em7]lone a-[A7]gain [A9] I

[D] Held [Bm7] her [Em7] [A7] for an [D] in-[Bm7]stant [Em7] [A7] but my  
 [D] Arms felt [DM7] sure and [B7+5] strong --- --- it  
 [D] On-[Bm7]ly [Gm6] takes a [D] mo-[Bm7]ment [Gm6] to be  
 [D] Loved [Bm7] a [Em7] whole [A7] life [D] long ---

- I've heard it [DM7] said --- [D6] that love must [Em7] grow ---  
 [A7] That to be [DM7] sure --- [D6] you must be [Em7] slow ---  
 [A7] I saw you [Em7] smile ---- and now I [Am7] know ---  
 [Bm7] I'll listen to [Gm6] just my heart -- [Em7] that smile made me  
 [C#dim] Trust my heart ---- [A9] for it

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 [D] Loved [Bm7] a [Em7] whole [A7] life [D] long ---- and that is  
 [DM7] All --- [D6] that love's a-[Em7]bout ---  
 [A7] And we'll re-[DM7]call --- [Bm7] when time runs [B9] out ---  
 [Gm6] - That it [D] on-[Bm7]ly [Gm6] - took a [D] mo-[Bm7]ment [Gm6] to be  
 [D] Loved [Bm7] a [Em7] whole [A7] life [D] long [D6]