

# Perry Como, By The Way

By the way,  
Wasn't that a dream last night?  
Seems I barely closed my eyes and you were there . . .  
By the way,  
And to my complete surprise,  
You and I were dancing on a cloud somewhere . . .

I held you in my arms,  
The joy of it was thrilling . . .  
And then I pleaded for a kiss  
And you were willing . . .

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&lt; instrumental verse &gt;

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~ from the film "When My Baby Smiles At Me"  
Music by Joseph Myrow and lyrics by Mack Gordon, 1948