

# Pete Seeger, The First Time

The first time ever I saw your face  
I thought the sun rose in your eyes  
And the moon and stars were the gifts you gave  
To the dark and the empty skies, my love,  
To the dark and the empty skies.

The first time ever I kissed your mouth  
And felt your heart beat close to mine  
Like the trembling heart of a captive bird  
That was there at my command, my love  
That was there at my command.

The first time ever I lay with you  
I felt the earth move in my hand  
I thought our joy would fill the earth  
And last 'till the end of time, my love,  
And last 'till the end of time.