

Heat Wave

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(As sung by Martha Reeves and the Vandellas)

Medium-Up Shuffle

♩ = 165

1. When - ev - er I'm

with him

some - thing in - side

starts to

burn - in'

and I'm filled with de - sire.

Could it be a dev - il in me or is this the way love's sup - posed to be? It's like a

heat wave

burn - in' in my heart,

I can't keep from

cry - in',

it's tear - in' me a - part.

2. When - ev - er he

(horns)

B F_{MI}^7 G_{MI}^7 C_{MI} F_{MI}^7 G_{MI}^7

(bkgr. vocals) Ooh, _____ Ooh, Heat Wave. Ooh, _____

C_{MI} F_{MI}^7 G_{MI}^7 A^b B^b7

Ooh, Heat Wave. (sax solo for 11 bars)

E^b B^b break -----

(pn.) (end solo)

3. Some -'times I
D.S. al Coda (3rd verse)

E^b B^b break -----

C F_{MI}^7 G_{MI}^7 C_{MI}

lead vocal Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, _____ Oh _____

bkgr. vocals _____ You know it's all right, girl, _____ Go a -

C_{MI} F_{MI}^7 G_{MI}^7 C_{MI}

yeah, _____ Yeah, Yeah yeah, _____ Oh

head, girl. _____ Know it's all right, girl, _____ Ain't noth - in' but

C_{MI} F_{MI}^7 G_{MI}^7 A^b

yeah, _____ I feel it burn - in', I hear it

love, girl. _____ Don't pass up this chance, _____ This time it's

(start to fade) **((fade))**

Horn line at 2nd ending of letter A is played at every "break". Comping rhythms from Intro continue through the head. Piano figure 4 before letter A is played whenever the chord is E^b .

Second and third verses

2. Whenever he calls my name, soft, low, sweet and plain,
I feel, yeah, yeah, I feel that burnin' flame.
Has high blood pressure got a hold on me
Or is this the way love's supposed to be?
It's like a heat wave...

3. Sometimes I stare in space, tears all over my face.
I can't explain it, don't understand it, I ain't never felt
like this before.
Now that funny feelin' has me amazed,
I don't know what to do, my head's in a haze.
It's like a heat wave...