

The Seine

Words & music by Irving Burges (1959)

4/4 time Andante: ~ 96BPM

Soprano

Baritone

Intro: G/// Em/// Am7/// D7/// (x2)

G Em Am7 D7 G Em
One | night along the river at | St. Germain de Pré I | first met my beloved at a |

Am7 D7 G Em Am7 D7
small sidewalk café. We | walked along the river, | shadows passing by but we |

G Em Am7 D7 G / Em / | Am7 / D7 / |
only saw each other the | shining water and the | sky. **(to Chorus)**

G Em Am7 D7
Standing | there across the river mid | sound of horn and tram in |

G Em Am7 D7 G Em
all her quiet beauty the ca | thedral Notre Dame. And | as we passed beside her I |

Am7 D7 G Em
said a little prayer that | when this dream was over |

Am7 D7 G / Em / | Am7 / D7 / |
I'd awake and find you | there. **(to Chorus)**

G Em Am7 D7
We | walked along the river, till | dawn was coming nigh, be |

G Em Am7 D7
neath the Eiffel Tower we | said our last goodbye. There |

G Em Am7 D7 G Em
on that splendid morning, I | saw you all in tears, and the | beauty of that hour will |

Am7 D7 G / Em / | Am7 / D7 / |
shine within me through the | years. **(to Chorus)**

Chorus:

G Em Am7 D7 G Em
The | Seine, the Seine, | when will I again | meet her there, |

C Bm7 Am Am7^(2nd) D7 G
greet her there on the | moonlit banks of the | Seine.

Outro:

From end of last line of chorus: G / Em / Am7 / D7 / ^(2nd) G6 ^(3rd)

