

CLOSER TO HER

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Music and Lyrics by
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EDWARD: "Look, I may not have much, but I have more determination than any man you're ever going to meet. I'm gonna find that woman and marry her and spend the rest of my life with her."

AMOS: "Go write your Harlequin Romance somewhere else. I got a circus to run." [MUSIC]

Aggressive

EDWARD:

If you tell me who she is, I'll work night and day. And you won't

e - ven have to pay me. **AMOS:** "Okay." **Repeat (vocal 2nd x)** **AMOS:** Once a month, if you work, if you slave,

if you cry__ for me, then I'll give you a clue. Once a month, if you clean, if you haul,

if you die__ for me, then the clue will be true. Once a month it could be what she thinks,

what she likes, where she lives, what she drinks, what she hopes. And all you have to

do is pull the ropes. Clos - er to her. I'll get you

clos er to her. You on - ly need to be my de - vo - tee be cause

I'll tell you where she was born or if she plays the french horn. Then you'll be

EDWARD:

clo ser than you _____ e - ver was. First clue: She likes dan-cing. Dan-cing...

L'istesso, boisterous circus waltz

AMOS: Back to work!

ALL CIRCUS FOLK: Clos - er to her. You're one step clos - er to her.

EDWARD:

I'm not a - fraid to stoop to scoop - ing poop be

AMOS:

cause You'll learn what per fume she wears or what she says in her prayers

ALL CIRCUS FOLK:

He'll stoop for poop!

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EDWARD:

and be much clo - ser than I _____ e - ver was.

EDWARD: "Mr. Calloway! It's time."

AMOS: "For what?"

EDWARD: "My clue! About the girl I'm gonna marry."

AMOS: "If you got a clue, you wouldn't get married at all." [GO ON]

Vamp

AMOS:

Back to work!