

# **BURNING LOVE**

**Elvis Presley**

INTRO: *[Guitar; 4 bars intro. Drums come in on 4<sup>th</sup> bar.]*

**D G A D**  
Lord Almighty, I feel my temperature risin'  
Higher and higher, it's burnin' through to my soul  
Girl, girl, girl, you gonna set me on fire  
My brain is flamin', I don't know which way to go, yeah

Key: D  
Speed: 144

CHORUS:

**Bm A G**  
Your kisses lift me higher  
Like the sweet song of my choir  
You light my mornin' sky  
**A D**  
With burning love.

Ooo hoo hoo - I feel my temperature risin'  
Help me, I'm flaming, I must be a hundred and nine, yeah  
Burnin', burnin', burnin' - And nothin' can cool me, yeah.  
I just might turn into smoke, But I feel fine.

CHORUS

*[Repeat Chorus progression without lead vocals.]*  
Aaah, aaah, aaah, etc.

It's comin' closer, The flames are now lickin' my body  
Won't you help me, I feel like I'm slippin' away  
It's hard to breathe, and my chest is a-heaving  
Lord have mercy! I'm burning a hole where I lay – yeh.

LAST CHORUS, PLUS CODA:

Cause your kisses lift me higher  
Like the sweet song of my choir  
And you light my morning sky  
**A D - G**  
with burning love  
**D G**  
Burning love, (burning love)

OUTRO:

**G D**  
I'm just a hunk, a hunk of burnin' love (aaaah) *Repeat ad lib*

END

On CHORUS PROG. Without vocals. End on **Bb- A - G - A - D**