

## MOONLIGHTING

Music &amp; Lyrics by Gerard "Leo" Sayer and Frank Farell

4 bar intro

as sung by Leo Sayer

He sees her at the same time every night at the Mexican discotheque  
She gives him french kisses he gives her french cigarettes  
They sit at the same table every time the lights are low, but their eyes shine  
Just digging the music from those sweet soul bands  
She keeps him outta fights, holds on to his hand,  
he whispers slowly "tonight's the night" Months of planning so it's gotta be right,  
under the table her bag is busting at the seam she made sure to bring everything

**Chorus:**

Moonlighting, they're leaving everything  
Moonlighting, they're losing all their friends, moonlighting, it's the only way  
It's frightening, but it means they'll stay together, they're gonna make it together

His blue Morris van is parked in an alley just by Montague Street  
His friend Eddie he did the respray so he couldn't drive it all last week  
And it cost most of the money that he had saved up  
To pay Eddie's receipt, but he figures it's worth it 'cos the disguise is a must  
When they go missing they're gonna look for the van first  
She whispers slowly "it'll be alright", I took some cash from my building society  
and my monthly check came in just right,  
if only they knew they weren't giving it away

**Chorus**

9:15 monday morning at the printing works,  
the boss notices someone's not clocked in  
And the water department of the council offices has a message  
That Mrs. Park's daughter is missing  
Meanwhile the Carlisle turnoff off the M6 motorway  
Drinking cold black coffee eating hot cup cakes  
She stares at him with his beard unshaved  
wonders at his powers of staying awake  
He whispers slowly "you did just fine"  
they shared the driving all through the night  
She laughs "my mother will have lost her mind  
We're only ten miles to Gretna, they're three hundred behind. - **Chorus**