

## Georgia Gibbs

### "Kiss Of Fire"

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- Artist: Georgia Gibbs as sung on "Her Nibs Miss Georgia Gibbs"
- Polygram Records DPSM 5126/138024
- peak Billboard position # 1 for 7 weeks in 1952
- competing versions charted by Tony Martin (#6), Toni Arden (#14), Billy Eckstine (#16), Louis Armstrong (# 20), and Guy Lombardo (#30)
- adapted from the Argentine tango "El Choclo"
- Music by A. G. Vilodo and English Words by Lester Allen and Robert Hill

I touch your lips and all at once the sparks go flying  
Those devil lips that know so well the art of lying  
And though I see the danger, still the flame grows higher  
I know I must surrender to your kiss of fire

Just like a torch, you set the soul within me burning  
I must go on, I'm on this road of no returning  
And though it burns me and it turns me into ashes  
My whole world crashes without your kiss of fire

I can't resist you, what good is there in trying?  
What good is there denying you're all that I desire?  
Since first I kissed you my heart was yours completely  
If I'm a slave, then it's a slave I want to be  
Don't pity me, don't pity me

Give me your lips, the lips you only let me borrow  
Love me tonight and let the devil take tomorrow  
I know that I must have your kiss although it dooms me  
Though it consumes me, your kiss of fire

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Though it consumes me. your kiss of fire!!!

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