

## **Kelli O'Hara**

# **"This Nearly Was Mine"**

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One dream in my heart  
One love to be living for  
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This nearly was mine

One man for my dream  
One partner in paradise  
This promise of paradise  
This nearly was mine

Close to my heart he came  
Only to fly away  
Only to fly as day  
Flies from moonlight

Now, now I'm alone  
Still dreaming of paradise  
Still saying that paradise  
Once nearly was mine

So clear and deep are my fancies  
Of things I wish were true  
I'll keep remembering evenings  
I wish I'd spent with you

I'll keep remembering kisses  
From lips I'll never own  
And all the lovely adventures  
That we have never known

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