

If Tomorrow Never Comes

Words & Music by Garth Brooks & Kent Blazy

Originally a 1989 hit for American country music artist Garth Brooks, this has subsequently become his signature song and one of his most popular songs for other artists to perform. Ronan Keating recorded his version in 2001 for the album *Destination* and in May 2002 it went on to become his third UK No. 1 single.

Hints & Tips: Playing the suggested fingerings in this song would be advisable; there is a lot of movement for the left hand and bars 20–21 are tricky for the right hand, requiring slow, hands separate practice.

Pop ballad $\text{♩} = 80$

N.C. Gm C

Some-times late at night I lie a - wake and watch her

3 B^b F B^b/F F C Gm

sleep - ing. She's lost in peace-ful dreams so I turned

6 C B^b F B^b

off the light, lay there in the dark.

8 F Gm

And the thought cross - es my mind,