BLAME IT ON THE BOSSA NOVA

I was at a dance when she caught my eye, standin' all alone lookin' sad and shy
Now I'm glad to say she's my bride to be, and we're gonna raise a family
We began to dance, swaying' to and fro, and soon I knew I'd never let her go
And when our kids ask how it came about, I'm gonna say to them without a doubt
Blame it on the bossa nova with its magic spell
Blame it on the bossa nova that she did so well
Oh, it all began with just one little dance, but then it ended up a big romance
Blame it on the bossa nova, the dance of love

(Now was it the moon?) No, no, the bossa nova, (Or the stars above?) No, no, the bossa nova
1. (Now was it the tune?) Yeah, yeah, the bossa nova (The dance of love)

Instrumental:  |       |       |       |       |       | (Go on to 2nd verse)

2. (Now was it the tune?) Yeah, yeah, the bossa nova (The dance of love)
CHANGE PARTNERS (BAR)

Must you dance every dance... with that same fortunate man
Must you dance quite so close... with your lips touching his face

You have danced with him since the music began
Oh, can't you see I'm longing to be in his place.

1.
Won't you change partners, and dance with me.

2.
Won't you change partners, and dance with me.

Ask him to sit this one out, and while you're alone
I'll tell the waiter to tell him he's wanted on the telephone.

You've been locked in his arms... ever since heaven knows when
Won't you change partners and then you may never want to change partners a-gain.

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