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The I Love You Song

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MR. PANCH (spoken)
Miss Ostrovsky. Chimerical

OLIVE (spoken)
May I have a definition?

MR. PANCH (spoken, voice fading out)
It means unreal, magical, visionary, wildly fanciful, highly
unrealistic

OLIVE'S MOM (sung)
Ooh.
Ooh.
Ohm.

OLIVE
If I go to Washington, will I be on my own?
Because if I go to Washington...

OLIVE'S MOM
Aaaaaaaah

OLIVE
who will be my chaperone?

OLIVE'S MOM
We always knew you were a winner.
We saw it when you smiled.
Start from the beginning, when you were a beginner;
you were the perfect child.
We always knew, we always knew you were a champion.
Your sadness filled my room.
Dear, if you should feel my gloom, blame it on me.
Blame it on your daddy and mummy,
'cause depression runs in our family.

I love you.
I love you.
I love ev'rything about you, dear.
And I swear it's true.
I love you.

OLIVE'S DAD

I love you.

OLIVE'S DAD and OLIVE'S MOM

I love you
I love everything about you [*DAD*: baby, *MOM*: babe]
And maybe it's true,
I love you.

OLIVE

I wrote you a letter, how I found the spelling bees such fun.
Mama, mama, mama, but you didn't react.
And you never asked me if I'd join you in the Bombay sun.
Mama, mama, mama, I had quietly packed.
When are you returning?
I know we agreed.
Tell me what you're learning.
Ma, I have, Oh God, this need.
I think Dad is angry, ma, and I do not know what to do
Mama, mama, mama, shanty, shanti and ohm.
I think he takes out on me what he wants to take out on you.
Mama, mama, mama, how I wish you were home.
How I wish you were home.
How I wish you were, wish you were home.

OLIVE'S MOM, OLIVE'S DAD

We always knew you were a winner.

OLIVE

How I wish you were home.

OLIVE'S MOM

A bathing beauty, you.

OLIVE (overlapping Olive's Mom)

How I wish you were, how I wish you were home.

OLIVE'S DAD

God, we loved the way you grew, since you were born.

OLIVE (overlapping Olive's Dad)

How I wish you were, how I wish you were home.

OLIVE'S MOM

Olive, we couldn't be prouder.

OLIVE

Mama, mama, mama, how I wish you were home.

OLIVE's MOM and DAD

I love you.

I love you.

I love ev'rything about you, [*DAD*: baby, *MOM*: babe]

OLIVE'S MOM

And I swear it's true.

OLIVE'S DAD

Maybe it's true.

OLIVE's MOM and DAD

I love you.

I love you.

I love you.

I love ev'rything about you, [*DAD*: baby, *MOM*: babe]

OLIVE (overlapping)

Mamma, I love you.

I love you, mamma.

I love you, mamma.

Mamma.

OLIVE'S MOM

And I swear it's true.

OLIVE'S DAD

Maybe it's true.

OLIVE's MOM and DAD

I love,

OLIVE (spoken)

"Chimerical.

C-H-I-M-E-R-I-C-A-L.

Highly unrealistic. Wildly fanciful."

ALL THREE

I love you.