

49. The Sound Of Silence. **Mim. CHORDU=**

Simon & Garfunkel

Capo: 6th fret Key: Ebm

[Verse 1]

Em **D**
Hello darkness, my old friend
D **Em**
I've come to talk with you again
C **G**
Because a vision softly creeping
C **G**
Left its seeds while I was sleeping
C **G**
And the vision that was planted in my brain
Em
Still remains
D **Em**
Within the sound of silence

[Verse 2]

Em **D**
In restless dreams I walked alone
D **Em**
Narrow streets of cobblestone
C **G**
'Neath the halo of a street lamp
C **G**
I turned my collar to the cold and damp
C **G**
When my eyes were stabbed by the flash of a neon light
Em
That split the night
G **D** **Em**
And touched the sound of silence

[Verse 3]

Em **D**
And in the naked light I saw
D **Em**
Ten thousand people, maybe more
C **G**
People talking without speaking

C **G**
People hearing without listening
C **G**
People writing songs that voices never share
Em
And no one dared
G **D** **Em**
Disturb the sound of silence

[Verse 4]

Em **D**
"Fools", said I, "You do not know
D **Em**
Silence like a cancer grows
C **G**
Hear my words that I might teach you
C **G**
Take my arms that I might reach you"
C **G** **Em**
But my words, like silent raindrops fell
G
And echoed
D **Em**
In the wells of silence

[Verse 5]

Em **D**
And the people bowed and prayed
D **Em**
To the neon god they made
C **G**
And the sign flashed out its warning
C **G**
In the words that it was forming
C **G**
And the sign said, "The words of the prophets are written on the subway walls
Em
And tenement halls"
G **D** **Em**
And whispered in the sounds of silence