Don’t Be Cruel
by Otis Blackwell (1956)

Intro:

D          . . . | . . . | . . . | . . . | . . . |
A |---------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------|
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G | ──| ──| ──| ──| ──| ──| ──| ──|

You know I can be found, sittin’ home all alone
      (bop) (bop) (bop-bop) (bop) (bop) (bop-bop)

|G . . . . . | D . . . . . |
If you can’t come around, at least please tel-e-phone.
      (bop) (bop) (bop) (bop) (bop) (bop-bop)

Don’t be cruel to a heart that’s true
      (ahh) (ahh) (ahh) (ahh)

Baby, if I made you mad, for something I might have said,
      (bop) (bop) (bop-bop) (bop) (bop) (bop-bop)

G . . . . . . | D . . . . . |
Please for-get my past, the future looks bright a-head.
      (bop) (bop) (bop-bop) (bop) (bop) (bop-bop)

Don’t be cruel to a heart that’s true
      (ahh) (ahh) (ahh) (ahh)

Bridge:

I don’t want no other love—Ba-by, it’s just you I’m—thinkin’ of. (hmmm)
      (ahh) (ahh) (ahh) (ahh)

Don’t stop thinkin’ of me, don’t make me feel this way.
      (bop) (bop) (bop-bop) (bop) (bop) (bop-bop)

| G . . . . . | D . . . . . |
C’mon over here and love me, you know what I want you to say.
      (bop) (bop) (bop-bop) (bop) (bop) (bop-bop)

Don’t be cruel to a heart that’s true
      (ahh) (ahh) (ahh) (ahh)
Don't be cruel to a heart that's true
(oo-Oo-oo)

Don't be cruel to a heart that's true
(oo-Oo-oo)

I don't want no other love— Ba-by, it's just you I'm— thinkin' of—
(ahh— ahh— ahh— ahh— ahh—)

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