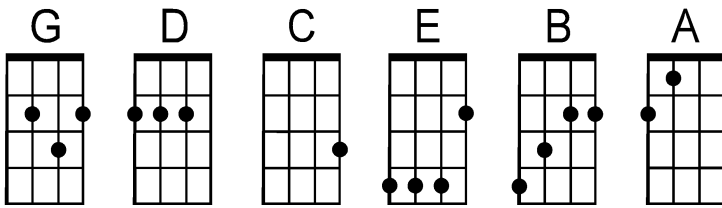


# When You Say Nothing At All

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**Intro:** G . D . | C . D . | G . D . | C . D . |

G . D . | C . D . | G . D . | C . D . |  
It's a - mazing how you can speak right to my heart.

G . D . | C . D . | G . D . | C . D . |  
With-out saying a word, you can light up the dar-ar-ark.

C . . . | D . . . |  
Try as I may, I can never ex-plain,

G . D . | C . D . | D . . . | . . . .  
What I hear when you don't say a thing.

## **Chorus:**

| G . D . | C . D .  
The smile on your face lets me know that you need me.

| G . D . | C . D .  
There's a truth in your eyes saying you'll never leave me.

| G . D . | C . D . | D . . . | C . D . |  
The touch of your hand says you'll catch me where-ever I fall-----.

C \ . . . | D \ -- -- -- | G . D . | C . D . | G . D . | C . D . |  
You say it best when you say nothing at all.

G . D . | C . D . | G . D . | C . D . |  
All day long I can hear peo-ple talking out loud.

G . D . | C . D . | G . D . | C . D . |  
But when you hold me near, you drown out the crow-ow-owd.

C . . . | D . . . |  
Try as they may, they can never de-fine,

G . D . | C . D . | D . . .  
What's been said be-tween your heart and mine.

## **Chorus:**

| G . D . | C . D .  
The smile on your face lets me know that you need me.

| G . D . | C . D .  
There's a truth in your eyes saying you'll never leave me.

| G . D . | C . D . | D . . . | C . D . |  
The touch of your hand says you'll catch me where-ever I fall-----.

C \ . . . | D \ -- -- -- | E . B . | A . B . | E . B . | A . B . |  
You say it best when you say nothing at **all**-----

**Inst.:** E . B . | A . B . | E . B . | A . B . | A . . . | B . . . |

**Chorus:**

|G . D . |C . D .  
The smile on your face lets me know that you need me.

|G . D . |C\ -- D\  
There's a truth in your eyes saying you'll ne-ver leave me.  
*(sing slowly)*

| G\ -- D\ -- |C\ -- -- -- | D . . . | C . D . |  
The touch of your hand says you'll catch me where-ever I fall-----.  
C . . . |D\ -- -- -- |G . D . |C . D . |G . D . |C . D . |  
You say it best when you say nothing at all.

**Outro:**

G . D . |C . D . |  
*You say it best when you say nothing at all.*

G . D . |C . D . |  
*You say it best when you say nothing at all.*

|G . D . |C . D . |  
That smile on your face, the truth in your eyes  
*(You say it best when you say nothing at all)*

|G . D . |C . D . |  
The touch of your hand, lets me know that you need me  
*(You say it best when you say nothing at all)*

G . D . |C . D . |  
*You say it best when you say nothing at all.*

G . D . |C . D . | G\  
*You say it best when you say nothing at all.*