Thank You for the Music
by Benny Andersson and Bjorn Ulvaeus (1977)
(with different lyrics in the bridge)

D Fdim7 Em7 A7 Am7 D7 G B7 Em Gm Bm Bm7 B

Intro: D . Fdim7 . | Em7 . A7\ -- |

I'm no-thing special, in fact, I'm a bit of a bore—
If I tell a joke—you've proba-bly heard it be-fore—
    | D . . . | A7 . . .
But I have a talent, a won-der-ful thing—
Every-one listens when I start to sing I'm so gra-tu-ful and proud—
    | Em . Em7 . A7\ -- -- -- |
All I want is to sing it out loud, so I say


Chorus: Thank you for the music, the songs I'm singing
    | Thanks for all the joy they're bringing
Who can live with-out it— I ask in all hon-es-ty—
    | Gm . . . | D . . . . . . | B
What would life be—? Without a song or a dance, what are we?
    | Em . . . | G .
So I say thank you for the music
for giv-ing it to me—

Mother says I was a dancer be-fore I could walk
She says I be-gan to sing long be-fore I could talk
    | D . . . . | A7 . . . |
And I've of-ten won-dered, how did it all start—?
Who found out that nothing can capture a heart like a melody can—?
    | Em . Em7 . A7\ -- -- -- |
Well, who-ever it was, I'm a fan, so I say

Chorus:  Thank you for the music, the songs I’m singing
  Thanks for all the joy they’re bringing
Who can live without it— I ask in all honesty—
.  .  .  |  Gm  .  .  .  |  D  .  .  .  .  .  .  |  B
What would life be—? Without a song or a dance, what are we?
.  .  .  |  Em  .  |  G  .
So I say thank you for the music
for giving it to me—
Gm  .  .  .  |  D  .  .  .  .  |  Gm  .  .  .  |  D  .

Bridge:  We have a great time, we play our ukes so joyful—
.  .  .  |  Gm  .  .  .  |  Bm  .  Bm7  .  |
We want to sing it out to everybody
Em7  \   .  A7  \  .  |  Fdim7  .  A7  .  |  ~~~~ (— hold — )
(slowly)  Such good songs, what a group we have here———! So we say

Chorus:  Thank you for the music, the songs I’m singing
  Thanks for all the joy they’re bringing
Who can live without it— I ask in all honesty—
.  .  .  |  Gm  .  .  .  |  D  .  .  .  .  .  .  |  B
What would life be—? Without a song or a dance, what are we?
So I say thank you for the music, for giving it to me——
So I say thank you for the music, for giving it to me——

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