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| Hello darkness, my old <u>friend</u> | [Verse] | G | G |
| I've come to talk with you <u>again</u> | | Am | Am |
| Because a vision softly <u>creeping</u> | | F-C | C |
| Left its seeds while I was <u>sleeping</u> | | F-C | (C½) |
| And the <u>vision</u> that was <u>planted</u> | | F | F |
| <u>in my brain</u> - Still <u>remains</u> | | C | C |
| Within the <u>sound</u> of <u>silence</u> | | (C½) | |
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| In restless dreams, I walked <u>alone</u> | | | Am-X |
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| Narrow streets of cobble <u>stone</u> | | | |
| 'Neath the halo of a <u>street lamp</u> | | | [Intro] |
| I turned my collar to the <u>cold</u> and damp | | | Am Am |

When my eyes were stabbed by the flash
of a neon light - That split the night
And touched the sound of silence

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| | | | [Verse] |
| | | | (C) (...) |

And in the naked light I saw
Ten thousand people, maybe more
People talking without speaking
People hearing without listening
People writing songs that voices
 never shared - And no one dared
Disturb the sound of silence

The Sound
of Silence
Simon &
Garfunkel

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| Fools, said I, you do not <u>know</u> | | | [Verse] |
| Silence, like a cancer, <u>grows</u> | | | (...) (C) |

Hear my words that I might teach you
Take my arms that I might reach you
But my words, like silent raindrops, fell
And echoed - In the wells of silence

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| And the people bowed and <u>prayed</u> | | | [Verse] |
| To the neon god they <u>made</u> | | | (C) (C) |

And the sign flashed out its warning
In the words that it was forming
And the sign said, the words of the prophets are
 written on the subway walls - And tenement halls
And whispered - In the sound of silence