

The Sound of Silence (Simon&Garfunkel)

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Am G

SOPRANO ALTO

1. Hel-lo dark-ness my old friend I've come to talk to you a-

TENOR BASS

5 Am C F C

gain Be-cause a vi-sion soft ly___ cree ping_ left its seed while I was

9 F C F C

___ slee ping And the vi sion___ that was plan-ted in my brain___ still re-

14 Am C G Am

mains with-in the sound of si lence_ 2. In rest-less dreams I walked a-

19 G Am F C

lone narr-ow streets of cobb-le stone 'neath the ha-lo of a___ street lamp

24 F C F

I turned my col-lar to the cold and damp when my eyes were stabbed by the

28 C Am C G

flash of a ne-on light that split the night and touched the sound of

33 Am G

si-lence 3.And in the na-ked light I saw ten thou-sand peo-ple may-be

37 Am C F C

more Peo-ple talk-ing with out speak ing Peo-ple hear-ing with out

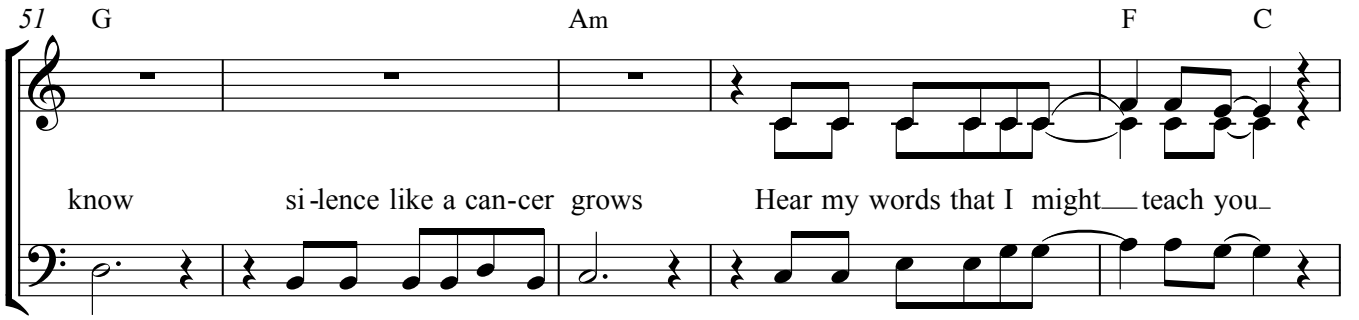
41 F C F C

listen ing Peo-ple writ-ing songs that voi-ces ne-ver share and no-one

46 Am C G Am

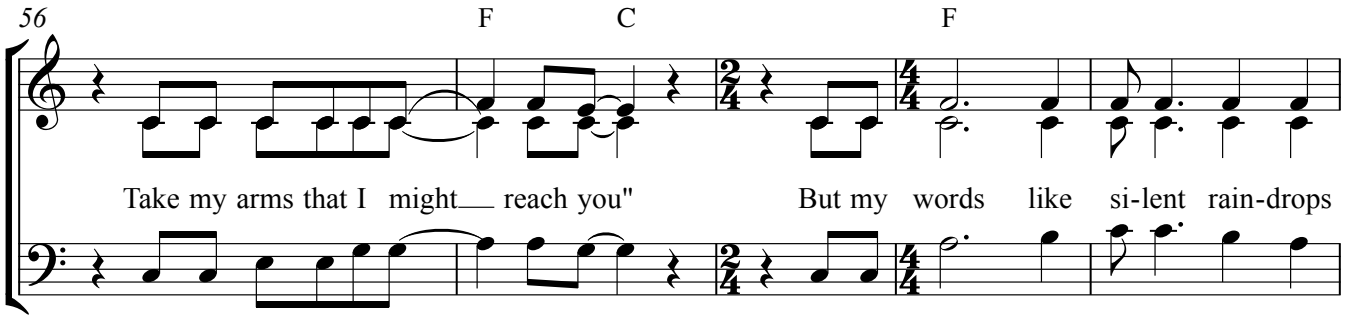
dared dis-turb the sound of si-lence 4."Fools" said I "you do not

51 G Am F C



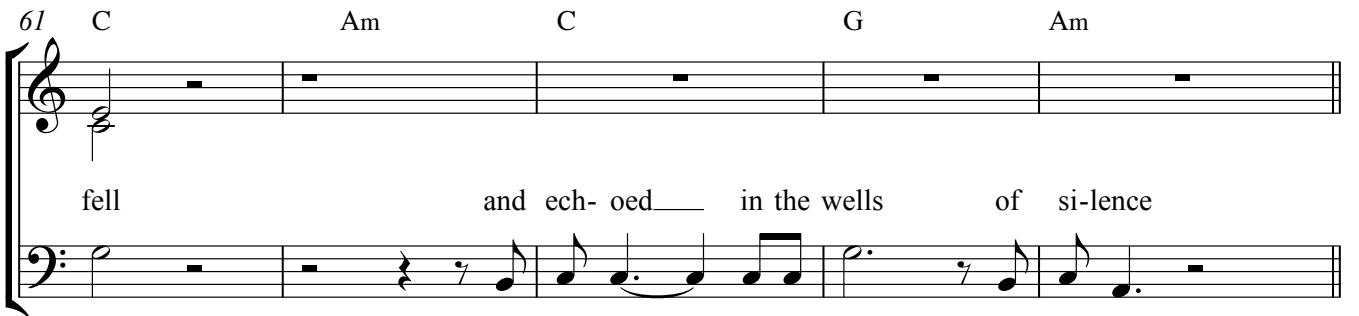
know si-lence like a can-cer grows Hear my words that I might teach you

56 F C F



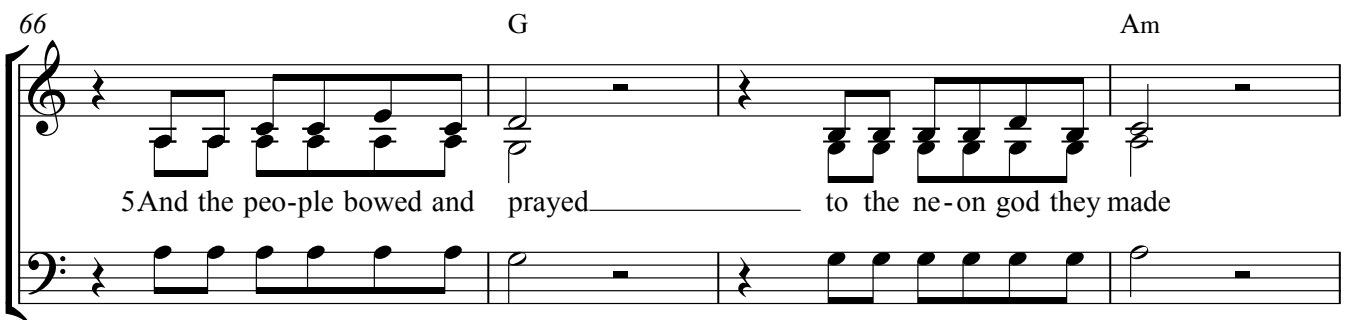
Take my arms that I might reach you" But my words like si-lent rain-drops

61 C Am C G Am



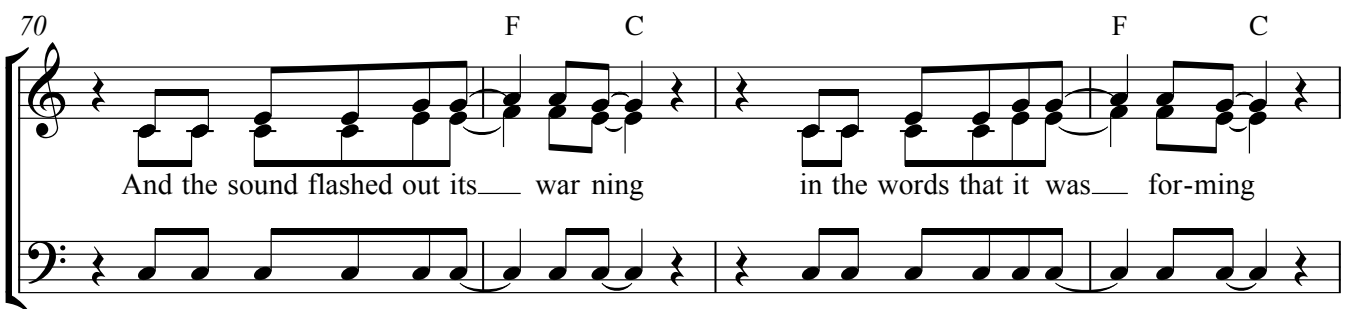
fell and ech-oed in the wells of si-lence

66 G Am



5And the peo-ple bowed and prayed to the ne-on god they made

70 F C F C



And the sound flashed out its war ning in the words that it was for-ming

74 F

And the sign said "The words of the pro-phets are writ-ten on the sub-way walls

77 C Am C

and te - ne - ment halls" and whis pered in the

80 G Am

sounds of si - lence