

The Sound of Silence

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Verse 1

sax.

1 hello Darkness my old friend.. 2 3 4 I've come to talk with you a- gain 5
6 because a vision soft- ly cree-ping 7 8 left - its seeds while I was slee-ping and the
9 vision that was plan-ted in my brain... 10 11 still -re mains 12 13 with in the sound... 14 15 of si- lence

Verse 2

16 in rest less dream I walk a- lone... 17 18 na-row streets of co-bble stone 19 20 'neath the ha- lo of a
21 street - lamp 22 I turned co-lar to the cold and damp when my eyes werestabbed by the
23 flash of a ne- on light 24 25 that split-the night 26 27 and touched the sound 28 29 of si- lence

Verse 3

30 And in the nak-ed light I saw... 31 32 tenthousand people may-be more 33 34 peo-ple tal-king with o-
35 out spea-king 36 peo-ple hea-ring with- out list-ening 37 38 peo-ple writ - ing songs that voices ne -ver
39 share.. 40 41 And no one dare 42 dis-turb the sound of si- lence 43 44 "Fools" saidI "youdo not
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Verse 4

46 know 47 Silence like a cancer grows 48 49 hear my words that I might teach you 50

takemy arms that I mightreach you" but my words like silent raindrops fell And

Verse 5

echoed... in the wells of si - lence And the peo ple bowed and prayed to the ne - on god they

made and the sign flas hed out it's war-ning in the words that it was for-ming

and the signsaid "the wordsof the pro pheta re written on the subway walls And tenemanthalls and whispeirethe

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