

# The Sound of Silence

**Key** Gm **Author** Paul Simon  
**Time** 4:4 **Lyrics**  
**Tempo**

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**Verses 1** *hello darkness...* Just guitar & voices

<b>Verse 2</b> <i>In restless dreams...</i>		F	F	Gm	Gm	Bb	
		Eb Bb	Bb	Eb Bb	<---- 6:4 for one bar		
	4:4	Eb	Eb	Bb Eb	Bb	Gm	Bb <---- 6:4 for one bar
	4:4	F	Gm	Gm			

<b>Verse 3</b> <i>In the naked light...</i>		F	F	Gm	Gm	Bb	
		Eb Bb	Bb	Eb Bb			
		Eb	Eb	Bb Eb	Bb	Gm	Bb <---- 6:4 for one bar
	4:4	F	Gm	Gm			

<b>Verse 4</b> <i>Fools said I...</i>		F	F	Gm	Gm	Bb	
		Eb Bb	Bb	Eb Bb	<---- 6:4 for one bar		
	4:4	Eb	Eb	Bb Eb	Bb	Gm	Bb <---- 6:4 for one bar
	4:4	F	Gm	Gm			

<b>Verse 5</b> <i>And the people...</i>		F	F	Gm	Gm	Bb	
		Eb Bb	Bb	Eb Bb			
		Eb	Eb	Bb Eb	Bb	Gm	
		Bb	F	Gm	Gm		