

**Holding On To Nothing**  
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Intro:

**C** **F** **C** **G7** **C**  
We re holding on with nothing left to hold on to

**F** **C**  
I m so tired of holding on to nothing

**F**  
The years have shown no kindness

**C** **G7**  
For the hard times we ve been through

**C** **F**  
We ve squeezed the life from every dream

**C**  
And still go right on bluffing

**F** **C** **G7** **C**  
With really nothing left to hold on to

**F**  
Oh why do we keep holding on

**C**  
With nothing left to hold on to

**F**  
Let s be honest with each other

**C** **G7**  
That s the least that we can do

**C** **F** **C**  
I feel guilty when they envy me and you

**F** **C** **G7** **C**  
We re holding on with nothing left to hold on to

**F** **C**  
We were young and foolishly mistaken

**F** **C** **G7**  
Victims of a passion much too strong to be denied

**C** **F** **C**  
With only tears to show for all the years that we ve been faking

**F** **C** **G7** **C**  
God only knows how long how hard we ve tried

Repeat #2

**F** **C** **G7** **C**  
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