

**I'd Rather Have Nothing**

**Garth Brooks**

(Cold Start)

Verse 1

No Chord

Jumped in the truck and headed for Kansas

**G**

Morning found me in Port Aransas

**C**

Sipping on rum

**G**

In that warm Texas sun

**G**

I've never been good at keeping direction

**G**

And I believe schedules are one of life's worst infections

**C**

And I gotta be free

**D**

Cause I'd rather have nothing

**C**

**G**

Than a whole lot of something I don't need

Chorus 1:

**D**

I'd rather have nothing

**C**

Than a whole lot of something

**G**

**D**

That don't fit the life that I lead

**D**

**C**

Material things and all that wealth brings

**G**

**D**

Just must be for some other breed

**G**

Cause life ain't about the worries and doubts

**C**

That comes with the lust and the greed

**G**

And I'd rather have nothing

**D**

**C**

**G**

Than a whole lot of something I don't need

Solo:

**C,G D,C,G**

Verse 2:

**G**

I spent that evening in a tavern in town

**G**

With a bunch of my new friends my money brought round

**C**

And I told them bout you

**G**

And all the hell we d been through

**G**

Everyone there had a similar story

**G**

Years full of tears from all the heartache and worry

**C**

And we all agreed

**D**

That we d rather have nothing

**C**

**G**

Than a whole lot of something we don t need

Chorus 2:

**D**

I d rather have nothing

**C**

Than a whole lot of something

**G**

**D**

That don t fit the life that I lead

**D**

**C**

Commitments and strings and all that love brings

**G**

**D**

Just must be for some other breed

**G**

Cause life ain t about the worries and doubts

**C**

That comes with the lust and the greed

**G**

And I d rather have nothing

**D**

**Em**

Than a whole lot of something I don t need

**C**

Yeah Yeah

**G**

Oh, I d rather have nothing

**D**

**C**

**G** (ring out)

Than a whole lot of something I don t need

Solo Chords Until Fade