

More Than A Whisper
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D
Oh, I wish that you would call
G
We have not spoken since last fall
C G D
That smoky conversation s coming home
D
Do I just read between your lines
G
Yeah it could be this winter wine
C G
So sweet upon my tongue tonight
D
It recalls your tender eyes
G
And I need more than a whisper
C
So much more than a whisper
G
It takes more than a whisper
A D
To wake this weary fool
G
Oh give me more than a whisper
C
If you re saying I love you
G A D
Cuz it s the whispers that I ve never understood
D
And it s snowing up in the northlands
G
I read your warm words from the plains
C G
While the poets say that I should never
D
Be thinking of you this way
D
They say that I misread your lines
G
Because I ve been lonely all my life
C G
And I d be reaching for some silver
D
And leave my heart out in the fire

G

And I need more than a whisper

C

So much more than a whisper

G

It takes more than a whisper

A

D

To wake this weary fool

G

Oh give me more than a whisper

C

If you re saying I love you

G

A

D

Cuz it s the whispers that I ve never understood

D

Well I will drink my winter wine

G

When I get home I ll change my life

C

G

I ll only whisper that I love you

D

In those smoky bars at night

D

And though the poets say I m lonely

G

There s still this woman here inside

C

G

And I ve never been a fool

D

When my heart was on the line

G

Cuz I need more than a whisper

C

So much more than a whisper

G

It takes more than a whisper

A

D

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