

People Want Peace  
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[Intro]

C Am Em G

[Verse 1]

C  
Ladies and gentlemen  
Am Em G  
Standing before you with something important to say  
C Em  
With some trepidation I crave your attention but  
Am G C  
I m not gonna let anything get in my way  
C Em  
The message is simple, it s straight from my heart  
Am G  
And I know that you ve heard it before  
C Em  
But what does it matter, we re in it together  
Am G  
And I m not quitting while people are crying for more

[Chorus]

C G/C  
People want peace  
C F  
People want peace  
C G/C F  
A simple release from their suffering  
F C  
People want peace  
F C G  
C  
People want peace  
F C G C

[Verse 2]

Cm F/C  
Nothing in life is as sad as the lonely, so  
Cm F/C  
Searching for peace  
Cm F/C  
Only to find disappointment is waiting  
Dm/G G  
Behind every door that we open  
Dm/G G

Every catch, we release

**C** **Am**

A-brothers and sisters, I beg you to listen

**Em** **G**

I know that it isn't too late

**C** **Am**

For we as the people, the voices of freedom

**Em** **G7**

And we're all perfectly clear that we don't wanna wait

[Chorus]

**C** **G/C**

People want peace

**Am** **F**

People want peace

**C** **G/C** **F**

A simple release from their suffering

**F** **C**

People want peace

**F C G**

**C**

People want peace

**F C G C**

[Outro]

**C**

People want peace

N.C.

People want peace

N.C.

Yes, we want peace!

N.C.

People want peace

N.C.

People want peace

**F C G Am**