

The Greatest Man I Never Knew
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[Intro]

C Am F G7 C Am F G C Am F G7 C Am Fadd9

[Verse]

C Am F G7
The greatest man I never knew
C Am F
Lived just down the hall
C Am F G7
And everyday we said hello
C Am F G
But never touched at all
Am Em
He was in his paper
F Esus E
I was in my room
F G7 C
How was I to know he thought I hung the moon

[Verse]

C Am F G7
The greatest man I never knew
C Am F
Came home late every night
C Am F G7
He never had too much to say
C Am F G
Too much was on his mind
Am Em
I never really knew him
F Esus E
Oh and now it seems so sad
F G7 C
Everything he gave to us took all he had

[Bridge]

Em F
Then the days turned into years
C G C Em
And the memories to black and white
Em F
He grew cold like an old winter wind
C Gsus G7
Blowing across my life

[Verse]

C Am F G7

The greatest words I never heard

C **Am** **F**

I guess I ll never hear

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

The man I thought would never die

C **Am** **F** **G**

Has been dead almost a year

Am **Em**

oH, He was good in business

F **Esus E**

But there was business left to do

F

He never said he loved me

F **G C**

Guess he thought I knew