

**If These Walls Could Speak**  
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{title:If These Walls Could Speak}  
{st:by Jim Webb}  
{st:(as performed by Shawn Colvin)}
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{define: D9/F# base-fret 1 frets 2 x 0 2 1 0}
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{D:Intro...}  
[G] [D] [A]  
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If [F]these old [G]walls, if [F]these old [G]walls could [C]speak  
[G]What **B** [D]tale they **E** [A]have to [**Bm**]tell  
[C]Hard headed [C/E]people [G]raisin [F]hell  
**B** [G]couple [D]in [A]love livin [D]week [D/E]to [G]week  
[D9/F#]Rooms full of [C/G]laughter, if [F]these old walls [C]could [G]speak

If these old halls, if hallowed halls could talk  
These would have a tale to tell  
The sun goin down and dinner bells  
And children playin at hide and seek  
>From floor to rafters, if these old walls could speak

[F] They would tell you [G]that I m [C]sorry [G]  
[F] For bein cold and [G]blind and [C]weak [G]  
[F] They would tell you [G]that it s [Am]only that I have a [G]stubborn  
[F]streak  
If these walls could [C]speak

If these old fashion window panes had eyes  
I guess they would have seen it all  
Each little tear and silent step fall  
And every dream that we came to seek  
And followed after, if these old walls could speak

They would tell you that I owe you  
More than I could ever pay  
Here s someone who really loves you  
Don t ever go away  
That s what these walls would say

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