

The Garden Rules
Snow Patrol

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NOTE! **Bb** is also **A#**

Intro: ||: **F** (Pause) **C** (Pause) :||

VERSE 1

F

C

F

There s the river, there s the house, and there s the church.

C

And there s us years ago.

F

C

F

Deep in your garden where the nettle met the rose

C

Is where we hide ourselves.

PRE-CHORUS

Bb

C

Yes we were just kids, but you couldn t tell us that.

Bb

These are the garden rules,

C

That s what you always said.

CHORUS

Bb

Oh, you will never know,

C

How much I love you so,

Bb

Oh, you will never know,

C

How much I love you.

VERSE 2

You would call the garden rules out like commands,
And we would all obey.
But you'd stifle giddy laughter as you spoke,
And puncture the pretend.

PRE-CHORUS

And we would chase our tails until the sun forgot to shine.
And our parents called our names,
Until just you and I were left.

CHORUS

Oh, you will never know,
How much I love you so,
Oh you will never know,
How much I love you.

BRIDGE

F
From your house we walk the river,
C
to the church by the silent fields,
F
Amongst the lavender of headstones,
C
And the larks in our Sunday clothes.
Bb **C**
Your father comes to you as he's looking at his watch,
Bb **C**
You leave me with a kiss on my quickly heating cheek.

CHORUS

Oh, you will never know,
How much I love you so.
Oh you will never know,
How much I love you.
Oh you will never know,
How much I love you so,
Oh, you will never know,
How much I love you.

etc. etc. etc.