

**On A Quiet Night**  
**The Association**

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On A Quiet Night  
(P.F. Sloan)

Intro:

(harpsichord arr. for guitar):

**A/B**

v	v	v	v	v	v	v	v	v	v	v	v	v
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Verse 1:

**Emaj7 F#m7 Emaj7/G# Amaj7**  
On a quiet night  
**Gmaj7 Amaj7 Emaj7 Bsus4**  
You can hear the rustling of the leaves  
**Emaj7 F#m7 Emaj7/G# Amaj7**  
On a quiet night  
**Gmaj7 Amaj7 Emaj7 Bsus4**  
Distant voices carry softly in the breeze

Chorus 1:

**C#m**  
And I m inside my room  
**G#m**  
Captured in a moment s thought  
**Gmaj7 F#m7**  
Strumming on a chord from my guitar  
A/B [N.C.; harpsichord as per intro]  
Silently, silently (silently)  
So silently (so silently)

Verse 2:

On a quiet night  
Time hangs heavy in the air just like a cloud

I m lying on my bed  
Scratching my head, wondering what it s about

Chorus 2:

Are we all minstrels  
Playing in a three-ring circus  
Searching for a purpose that s not there  
Silently, silently (silently)  
So silently (so silently, so silently, so silently)

Bridge:

bass:

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**D#7**                      **G#m**  
Everybody s thinking  
      **F#**                      **B**  
Gotta get ahead, gotta get ahead  
**D#7**                      **G#m**  
Everybody s drinking  
**F#**                      **A**  
Hurrying, worrying, playing the game  
      **G#m**  
All acting the same  
      **B**            **A**                      **G#m**    **F#m**  
As I look out through my windowpane

Verse 3:

On a quiet night  
The wind, it can play tricks on your ear  
Like some unsolved mystery  
We all guess at the ending, but nobody comes near

[repeat chorus 2]

Coda:

A/B (harpsichord, recorder, drums, backward tambourine to fade)

-- another ace 60 s tab from Andrew Rogers