

Oh Sweet Nuthin
The Velvet Underground

Album: Loaded (1970)

[Intro]

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B|-----|
G|--5--9b(7)--5----5-----|
D|-----7-----5--6--7--|   (x2)
A|-----|
E|-----|
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[Verse]

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C                Bb
Say a word for Jimmy Brown
F                C
    He ain t got nothing at all
C                Bb
He knocked the shirt right of his back
F                C
    He ain t got nothing at all
C                Bb
And say a word for Ginger Brown
F                C
    He walks with his head down to the ground
C                Bb
Took the shoes right off his feet
F                C
    And threw the poor boy right out in the street
C
And this is what he said:
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[Chorus]

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C                Bb
Oh sweet nuthin
F                C
    She ain t got nothing at all
C                Bb
Oh sweet nuthin
F                C
    She ain t got nothing at all
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[Verse]

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C                Bb
Say a word for Pearly May
F                C
    She can t tell the night from the day
C                Bb
They threw her out in the street
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F **C**
But just like a cat she landed on her feet
C **Bb**
And say a word for Joana Love
F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all
C **Bb**
With every day she falls in love
F **C**
And every night she falls and when she does
C
She says:

[Chorus]

C **Bb**
Oh sweet nuthin
F **C**
You know she ain t got nothing at all
C **Bb**
Woe Oh sweet nuthin
F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all

Oh let me hear you!

[Solo]

[Verse]

C **Bb**
Oh say a word, say a word for Jimmy Brown
F **C**
He ain t got nothing at all, not a thing
C **Bb**
And not a shirt, shirt on his back
F **C**
No, he ain t got nothing at all
C **Bb**
And say a word for Ginger
F **C**
He walks with his head to the ground
C **Bb**
He took the shoes, took the shoes from his feet, from his feet
F **C**
And threw the poor boy out into the street
C
And then he said:

[Chorus]

C **Bb**
Oh sweet, sweet nuthin
F **C**
She ain t got, she ain t got, she ain t got nothing at all

C **Bb**
Sweet sweet sweet sweet nuthin

F **C**
She ain t got

C **Bb**
Sweet Sweet nuthin

F **C**
Ain t got nothing at all

C **Bb**
Sweet Sweet nuthin got nothing Oh nothing

F **C**
Oh she ain t got nothing at all

Oh let me hear:

[Solo]

[Outro]

F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all

F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all

F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all

F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all

F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all

C **Bb**
Sweet nuthin

F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all

C **Bb**
Sweet Sweet nuthin

F **C**
She ain t got nothing at all