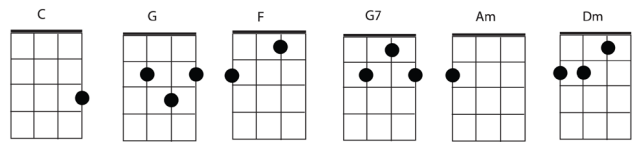


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[INTRO]: C G C C/

C G C F C

I don't want a know-it-all for a teacher, I don't need an anthem for a song

F C G G7

I don't want a saint for a preacher, I don't want a landfill for a lawn

C G C F C

I don't want a loudmouth for a president, I don't cheer for the red or blue team

F C Am C G C

All I want is a neighbor I can learn something from. Be good to them and they be good to me

Am G C

Compassion is only in fashion when someone is watching

Am G C

Is it only worth something if someone is willing to buy it

Am G C

The flow of traffic is slow and it seems to be stopping

F G G7/

like we're all livin' in one big advertisement

C G C F C

I don't want a know-it-all for a teacher, I don't need an anthem for a song

F C G G7

I don't want a saint for a preacher, I don't want a landfill for a lawn

C G C F C

I don't want a loudmouth for a president, I don't need same-day delivery

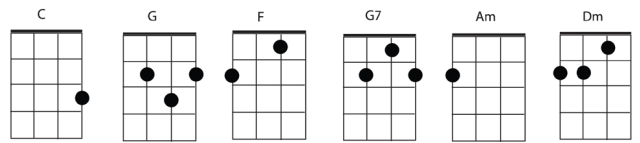
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All I want is a neighbor I can learn something from. Be kind to them and they be kind to me

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**Am**                      **G**                      **C**                      **Am**      **G**                      **C**  
When did everyone's day become my business? If I try to escape I feel left out

**Am**                      **G**                      **C**  
Politicians on TV are fightin' like families on Christmas

**F**                                      **G**  
So far each other's failures is all they've talked about

**F**                                      **C**                                      **Dm**                                      **Am**  
You're right, I'm cranky. That'll happen when you're aging. Interested less and less in relevancy

**F**                                      **C**                                      **F**                                      **G**                                      **G G7**  
I'm a critic of the critics, A lover of the classics. A hopeless romantic and a realist in the making.

**Am**      **G**                                      **C**                      **Am**                      **G**                      **C**  
I only look for reason when it's hiding. I only search in the shadow of doubt

**Am**                      **G**                                      **C**                      **F**                                      **G G7/**  
I only understand living when someone is dying. So I should've reached enlightenment by now.

**C**      **G**                                      **C**                                      **F**                                      **C**  
I don't want a know-it-all for a teacher, I don't need an anthem for a song

**F**                                      **C**                                      **G**                                      **G7**  
I don't want a saint for a preacher, I don't want a landfill for a lawn

**C**      **G**                                      **C**                                      **F**                                      **C**  
I don't want a loudmouth for a president, more nonsense is just what I don't need.

**F**                                      **C**                                      **Am**      **C**                                      **G**                                      **C**  
All I want is a neighbor I can learn something from. Be there for them and they be there for me

**C**                                      **G**                                      **C C/**  
Be there for you and you be there for me