

# If I Only Had a Heart

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When a [C] man's an empty kettle    He [Dm] should be on his mettle  
And [C] yet I'm torn apart    [C]  
Just be-[Dm] cause I'm presumin'    That I [G7] could be kind of human  
If I [C] only had a heart    [C]

I'd be [C] tender, I'd be gentle    And [Dm] awful sentimental  
Re-[C] garding love and art    [C]  
I'd be [Dm] friends with the sparrows    And the [G7] boy who shoots the arrows  
If I [C] only had a heart    [C]

Picture [F] me    a balco-[C] ny    a-Dm// bove a G7// voice sings [C] low  
Wherefore Dm// art thou E7// Ro-me- [Am] o  
I hear a D/ beat    ...    how [G7] sweet

Just to [C] register emotion, [Dm] jealousy, devotion  
And [C] really feel the part    [C]  
I could [Dm] stay young and chipper and I'd [G7] lock it with a zipper

(SLOWLY) If I [C] only had a heart    G7// C/