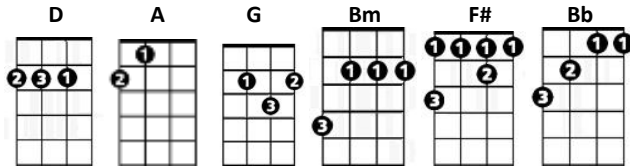


New York Telephone Conversation

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CHORDS USED IN THIS SONG



[D] I was [A] sleeping, [G] gently [A] napping
 [Bm] when [F#] I heard the [Bm] phone [F#] [Bm]
 [G] Who is [A] on the [D] other end [A] talking
 [G] am I [A] even [D] home? [A] [D]

[D] Did you [A] see what [G] she did [A] to him?
 [Bm] Did you [F#] hear what they [Bm] said? [F#] [Bm]
 [G] Just a [A] New York [D] conver-[A]-sation
 [G] rattling [A] in my [D] head [A] [D]

[Bb] Oh, [A] oh, [D] my, [A] [D]
 and [G] what [A] shall we [D] wear? [A] [D]
 [Bb] Oh, [A] oh, [D] my, [A] [D]
 and [G] who [A] really [D] cares? [A][D]

[D] Just a [A] New York [G] conver-[A]-sation
 [Bm] gossip [F#] all of the [Bm] time [F#] [Bm]
 [G] Did you [A] hear who [D] did what [A] to whom?
 [G] happens [A] all the [D] time [A] [D]

[D] Who has [A] touched and [G] who has [A] dabbled
 [Bm] here in the [F#] city of [Bm] shows? [F#] [Bm]
 [G] Openings, [A] closings, [D] bad rep-[A]-artee
 [G] every-[A]-body [D] knows [A] [D]

[Bb] Oh, [A] how [D] sad [A] [D]
 and [G] why [A] do we [D] call? [A] [D]
 [Bb] Oh, [A] I'm, [D] glad, [A] [D]
 to [G] hear [A] from you [D] all [A][D]

[D] I am [A] calling, yes [G] I'm [A] calling
 [Bm] just to [F#] speak to [Bm] you [F#] [Bm]
 [G] For I [A] know this [D] night will [A] kill me
 If [G] I can't [A] be with [D] you [A] [D]
 If [G*] I can't [A*] be with [D*] you