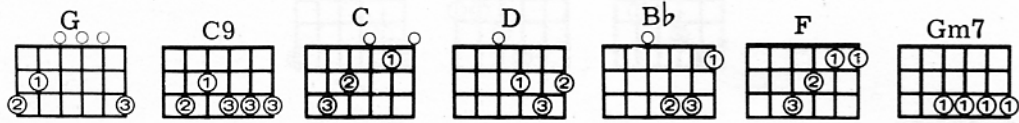


The Word

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CHORDS USED IN THIS SONG:



Moderato G

Musical notation for the first five lines of the song, showing the melody and guitar chords. The tempo is marked **Moderato**. The key signature is one sharp (F#).

Chords used in the notation: G, C9, B \flat , C, G, D, F, Gm7.

Pattern: 1. 2. 3.

Pattern: 4. G

G // / // // / // // C9 // / // //
 Say the word and you'll be free, Say the word and be like me. Say the word I'm thinking of
 / G // / // // C / D / B \flat / C / G // // //
 Have you heard the word is love? It's so fine, it's sun-shine, It's the word love.
 / / / F / // B \flat / / / C / / / G // /
 In the beginning I misunderstood, But now I've got it, the word is good; Say the word and you'll be
 / // // // // // // // C9 // / // // G // // //
 Free, Say the word and be like me. Say the word I'm thinking of Have you heard the word is love?
 C / D / B \flat / C / G // // // // // // // F / // B \flat / /
 It's so fine, it's sun-shine, It's the word love. Ev'rywhere I go I hear it said, In the good
 / / / C / // // // G // // // // // // // // //
 And the bad books that I have read, Say the word and you'll be free, Say the word and be like me.
 / C9 // // // // // G // // // // // C / D / B \flat / C
 Say the word I'm thinking of Have you heard the word is love? It's so fine, it's sun-shine,
 / G // // // // // // // // // // // F / // B \flat / / / C / /
 It's the word love. Now that I know what I feel must be right, I mean to show ev-'rybody the
 / / G // / // // // // // // // // C9 // // // //
 Light. Give the word a chance to say that the word is just the way. It's the word I'm thinking of
 / G // // // // // // C / D / B \flat / C / G // // // // //
 And the on - ly word is love. It's so fine, it's sun-shine, It's the word love. Say the word
 // // // Gm7 // // // // C9 / G // // // //
 Love Say the word, love.