

Ripple

Chords And Lyrics

By The Grateful Dead

Intro – G-C-G-C-G-D-C-G

G C
If my words did glow - with the gold of sunshine

And my tunes - were played - on the harp – unstrung
G
C

Would you hear my voice - come through the music
G D C G
Would you hold it near - as it were your own?

C
It's a hand-me-down - the thoughts are broken
G
Perhaps - they're better - left unsung
C
I don't know - don't really care
G D C G
Let - there be songs - to fill the air

Am D
Ripple in still water
G C A7 D
When there is no pebble tossed - Nor wind to blow

G C
Reach out your hand - if your cup be empty
G
If your cup - is full - may it be – again
C
Let it be known - there is a fountain
G D C G
That was not made - by the hands of men

C
 There is a road - no simple highway
 G
 Between -the dawn-and the dark-of night
 C
 And if you go - no one may follow
 G D C G
 That path is for - your steps alone

Am D
 Ripple in still water
 G C A7 D
 When there is no pebble tossed - Nor wind to blow

G C
 You who choose - to lead must follow

G
 But if - you fall - you fall alone

C
 If you should stand - then who's to guide you?

G D C G
 If I knew the way - I would take you home

G C G C G D C G
 Da da da da