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# If I Can't Have You

(I don't want nobody else)

Words & Music  
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Adagio

Violin

Guitar

Fretless Electric Bass

Viola

Violin

Detailed description: This system contains the first five staves of the musical score. The top staff is Violin, followed by Guitar, Fretless Electric Bass, Viola, and another Violin. The music is in 4/4 time and begins with a rest in the first measure. The guitar part features a complex chordal texture with many accidentals. The bass line is a simple, steady eighth-note pattern. The violas play a block-chord accompaniment. The bottom violin part has a few notes in the final measure.

Vln.

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.

What can I say if I love...

*p*

Detailed description: This system contains the second five staves of the musical score. The top staff is Violin (Vln.), followed by Guitar (Guit.), Fretless Electric Bass (Frtl. El. B.), Viola (Vla.), and another Violin (Vln.). The vocal line is written in the first violin staff, starting with a measure rest and then singing "What can I say if I love...". The guitar part continues with its complex accompaniment. The bass line remains steady. The violas continue with their block-chord accompaniment. The bottom violin part starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic and plays a series of chords.

7

Vln. *you?\_* *What can I say if I need\_*

Guit. *8*

Frtl. El. B. *8*

Vla.

Vln.

9

Vln. *you\_* *How can I help my - self I've*

Guit. *8*

Frtl. El. B. *8*

Vla.

Vln.

46

Vln. *Why we e-ver said good - bye?*

Guit. *8*

Frtl. El. B. *8*

Vla.

Vln. *mp*

48

Vln. *If I can't have you I don't want no - bo - dy*

Guit. *8*

Frtl. El. B. *8*

Vla.

Vln.

50

Vln. else if I can't love you I'll just walk a way

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.

52

Vln. If I can't need you I don't need no - bo - dy

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.

54

Vln.  else this is all that I can say

Guit. 

Frtl. El. B. 

Vla. 

Vln. 

56

Vln.  If I can't need you I don't need no - bo - dy

Guit. 

Frtl. El. B. 

Vla. 

Vln. 

58

Vln. *else this is all that I can say*—

Guit. <sub>8</sub>

Frtl. El. B. <sub>8</sub>

Vla.

Vln.

60

Vln.

Guit. <sub>8</sub>

Frtl. El. B. <sub>8</sub>

Vla.

Vln. *p*

11

Vln.  got to have your love. Tell me what else can I

Guit. 

Frtl. El. B. 

Vla. 

Vln. 

13

Vln.  do. If I can't have you I don't

Guit. 

Frtl. El. B. 

Vla. 

Vln. 

15

Vln. want no - bo - dy else if I can't love you I'll just

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.

17

Vln. walk a way If I can't need you I don't

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.



19

Vln. need no - bo - dy else this is all that I can say\_\_\_

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.

22

Vln. Well I know\_\_\_ that youlove\_\_\_ me\_\_\_

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.

25

Vln. 

Yes I know that you need \_\_\_\_\_ me \_\_\_\_\_

Guit. 

Frtl. El. B. 

Vla. 

Vln. 

27

Vln. 

What's the use if we can't ev - ver share our love \_\_\_\_\_

Guit. 

Frtl. El. B. 

Vla. 

Vln. 

29

Vln.

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.

31

Vln.

Guit.

Frtl. El. B.

Vla.

Vln.

33

Vln.  else if I can't love you I'll just walk a way

Guit.  8

Frtl. El. B.  8

Vla. 

Vln. 

35

Vln.  If I can't need you I don't need no - bo - dy

Guit.  8

Frtl. El. B.  8

Vla. 

Vln. 

37

Vln. *else this is all that I can say*—

Guit. <sub>8</sub>

Frtl. El. B. <sub>8</sub>

Vla. *p*

Vln. *mp* *p*

40

Vln. *We both know - that it's o - ver*—

Guit. <sub>8</sub>

Frtl. El. B. <sub>8</sub>

Vla.

Vln.

42

Vln. 

Tho our hearts - ques - tion why \_\_\_\_\_

Guit. 

Frtl. El. B. 

Vla. 

Vln. 

44

Vln. 

There's this thing I know I'll ne - ver un - der-stand \_\_\_\_\_

Guit. 

Frtl. El. B. 

Vla. 

Vln. 