

We Coulda Tried
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F C
Just someone I knew in school
F C
I haven't seen him in years
F C
Cuz now we've gone our separate ways
Dm G
And he has disappeared

My friends say I should tell him
I say he'll never know
They say I'd better speak up now
Or forever let it go

Chorus:

C Am
And why don't you say something now
F G
After all this time oh
C Am
Why don't you say something now
F G
While you still have time

But he went off to Michigan
And we said goodbye for good
He married his sweetheart from school
Like he always said he would

I didn't see the wedding
Saw pictures on Facebook
And when my invitation went out
Bet he didn't even look cuz

*He never said anything
After all these years and
He never said anything
Through all the tears*

Each Christmas time a letter comes
Each year another kid
Mom, who is the handsome man
Tell us 'bout him again

He's just a friend from college
I haven't seen him in years
I thought he had forgot about me
I thought he had disappeared

*Cause he never said anything
After all these years oh
He never said anything
Through all the tears*

But many years later
Standing on the street
a handsome man with
Eyes that shine and could it really be?

A tap upon the shoulder
Is it really true?
I look into his eyes that shine,
Is it really you?

*Well why didn't you say something now?
After all this time oh
Why didn't you say something now
We coulda tried*

But just for a second
We're back on the first day
Our graying hair and wrinkled smiles
Have almost gone away

He says he isn't married
And I say I got a divorce
We say we could've got it right
But you were always taken of course and

*Why didn't we say something now?
After all this time oh
Why didn't we say something now*

We coulda tried and

*We never said anything
After all this time
Oh we never said anything
But we can still try*

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