

# If I Wanted Someone

Dawes

Like the memory from your mother's house  
From before you got too old  
Like the feeling from a photograph  
Before it's meanings all got told

The words I say can be silver  
But what's left unsaid can be gold  
So get to know me once I go away

Maybe 'cause I come from such an empty-hearted town  
Or maybe 'cause some love of mine had really let me down  
But the only time I am lonely is when others are around  
I just never end up knowing what to say

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I'd find myself a maid  
If I wanted someone to spend my money  
I wouldn't need to get paid

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I'd have so much more to say  
I want you to make the days move easy

I took everything I thought from what it means to be a man  
We need words to be put to what we do not understand  
While you lean into the echoes and you do not raise a hand  
Oh woman, help me see it like it is

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If I wanted someone to cut me down  
I'd have handed you the blade  
I want you to make the days move easy  
I just want you to make the days move easy