

BABEL

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Capo on 1: play in G

INTRODUCTION: D4add9 C/G G: 2X

VERSE 1

G C9 G
We wanted you close, thought we deserved to be near. We believed we had nothing to fear.
G C9 G
A tower went up, and You knocked us down for letting our heads get too far off the ground.
G C9 G
You broke our tongue, then we couldn't relate, so we all went our separate ways.
G C9 D4add9
Now we are spread all over the earth. The babble continues using different words.

D4add9 C/G G D4add9 C/G G
CHANNEL Paradise lost, reality found. Arrogance tossed in a sea of sound.

VERSE 2

G C9 G
What will it take, when will it come, for us to all live together as one?
G C9 D4add9
When will we learn the lessons you teach, that true understanding comes from more than speech

CHANNEL: 2X

G/B C9 D/F# G G/B C9 D/F# G
CHORUS We all ba- - - bble on, ba- - - bble on :2X

INTRODUCTION

BRIDGE

C9 G C9 G C9 G D/F# G
Babble continues to this very day, we're still stuck down here under the weight.
C9 G C9 G C9 G D/F# C9
The stones that we used to take us to You have tumbled, and crumbled, and left us confused.

VERSE 3

G C9 G
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G C9 D4add9
A tower went up, and You knocked us down. For letting our heads get too far off the ground.

CHANNEL: 2X

CHORUS: 2X