

# Hangin' on the Garden Gate (Sayin' Good Night)

Gus Kahn and Ted Fiorito 1929 practice sheet at ukesterbrown.com (1st note sung is G)

## Verse 1:

C Am Dm G7 C Am G#7  
Everything is strange and new, dear, Since I said goodnight to you, dear,  
E7 A7 D7 G7  
In the long, long ago-- With the moon swingin' low;  
C Am Dm G7 C Am G#7  
I recall a garden gate, dear, Garden gates are out of date, dear,  
E7 A7 D7 G7  
I remember one still, It was life's greatest thrill.

## Chorus:

C Gm A7 Gm A7 Gm A7  
Hangin' on the garden gate, Sayin', "Goodnight, goody goodnight,"  
D7 Dm G7 C G7 D7 G7  
Didn't care if it was late, Sayin', "Goodnight," goody, goodnight,"  
C Gm A7 Gm A7 Gm A7  
I forgot the time and date, Sayin' "Goodnight, holding you tight,"  
D7 Dm G7 C D7 G7 C  
Hangin' on the garden gate, Sayin', Goodnight, goody goodnight".  
Dm Cdim C E7 A9 A7  
Tho' when we started the moon was peeping,  
D7 A9 A7 Dm7 G7  
Before we parted dawn was creeping;  
C Gm A7 Gm A7 Gm A7  
I'd let the horse and buggy wait, Sayin', "Goodnight! Kiss me goodnight,"  
D7 Dm7 G7 C G7 C  
Hangin' on the garden gate, Sayin', Goodnight, goody goodnight".

## Verse 2:

C Am Dm G7 C Am G#7  
There'd be lots of joy in finding, Just a little lane a-winding,  
E7 A7 D7 G7  
Back to days that we knew, When I first courted you;  
C Am Dm G7 C Am G#7  
My love just kept growing stronger, And that's why I'd linger longer,  
E7 A7 D7 G7  
Sayin', "Kiss me!" and then, Sayin', "Kiss me again".