

Make Your Own Kind of Music

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Verse 1 Nobody can tell ya
There's only one song worth singing
They may try and sell ya
'Cause it hangs them up
To see someone like you

But you gotta make your own kind of music
Sing your own special song
Make your own kind of music
Even if nobody else sings along

Verse 2 You're gonna be nowhere
The loneliest kind of lonely
It may be rough going
Just to do your thing's the hardest thing to do

But you gotta make your own kind of music
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Even if nobody else sings along

So if you cannot take my hand
And if you must be going, I will understand

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PERFORMANCE NOTES

- **Intro** - 2 bars (i.e. 2 x the same refrain) before the first verse starts
- **Chorus 1 and 2** - 2 part harmony (alto and main melody)
- **Verse 2** - starts immediately after first chorus
- **Middle 8** - 'If you cannot take my hand' - on the word 'understand, altos hold the melody line, sopranos sing upper harmony at the end.
- **Last 2 chorus** - run back-to-back and are in 3 part harmony (main melody, alto and soprano)