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The Sound of Silence (Fingerstyle) - Nicola Mandorino (4/4)
Arranged By: Nicola Mandorino (https://www.guitarnick.com)
Intro:
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 e | ---7---7---7- | ---7---7--|
B|----7-----7---|
G|-9-----9-----|-9------|
D | -----|
A | ----- |
E | ----- |
Melody:
Part 1 - w/basic chord voicings of the song:
          D
 Εm
                         Εm
 BI-----I----I
G|-----2-2-|-0-----|
D|---2-2-----|-4-----|-4-4-----|-2-----|
A|----|---|-5-----|
E | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -0----- |
 e | ----- | -0-0----- | ----- | -0-0----- |
B|----0-0-3-3-|-1---3-----|
G|---0-0-----|-0----|----|-----|-0-----|
DI-----I----I----I
A|----|-3-----|
E|-----|---3----|
 e|-----|-0-0----0-2-|-3---3---2-0-|-----0---|
G | ----- | -0 ---- | -0 ---- | -0 ---- | -0 ---- |
D|----|-0----|
A | ----- | -3----- | ----- | ----- |
E | ----- | -3----- |
           D/F#
   Εm
                  Em
 e|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|-0--
B|-0-----|-----|-3------|-----|-----
G|-0-----|---0-0-0-|-2-----|-0-----0-|----
D|-0-----|-----|-0-----2s4-|---2---2---|----
A | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -----
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E | -3-----| -3-----| -2-----| -----0-----|

Part 2 - w/arpeggios for a richer sound:

Em	D	Em
e		
G   D 2-2	-22 -22-2- -4-444- 4-4 -55 5-5	-0
G	C G	C G
e	-0-0	-0-0
G   -0-0-0-0	-000 00	-00
	-3	
	С	G
e		3-   3-   0   01
Em	G D/F# Em	
B -00 G 02A		

## Lyrics and Chords:

Intro: Em

Em D
Hello darkness, my old friend
D Em
I've come to talk with you again
[Em G ][C G]
Because a vision softly creep... ing
G [C G]
Left its seeds while I was sleep...ing
G C ' G
And the vision that was planted in my brain
Em
Still remains
G D Em '
Within the sound of silence

In restless dreams I walked alone
Narrow streets of cobblestone
'Neath the halo of a street lamp
I turned my collar to the cold and damp
When my eyes were stabbed by the flash of a neon light
That split the night
And touched the sound of silence

And in the naked light I saw
Ten thousand people, maybe more
People talking without speaking
People hearing without listening
People writing songs that voices never share
And no one dared
Disturb the sound of silence

"Fools" said I, "You do not know Silence like a cancer grows Hear my words that I might teach you Take my arms that I might reach you" But my words like silent raindrops fell And echoed in the wells of silence

Within the sound of silence

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This version of the song is arranged by: Nicola Mandorino (2015). In the first part of his arrangement he played the basic chord voicings of the song and in the second part he added some arpeggios to get a richer sound.

At his website - <a href="https://www.guitarnick.com">https://www.guitarnick.com</a> you will find lots of guitar lessons and full songs with tabs, sheet music, backing tracks, chords and tutorials, for beginners or advanced guitarists. Turn your computer on, take your guitar, watch the tutorial, play the tab and learn the songs. The teacher is at your home. Have fun! Currently there are 900 tutorials on his website.

Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6\_cNrOHudUo