

# The Supremes, I Wanna Mother You, Smother You

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I wanna mother you, smother you  
with a love you've never known  
I wanna talk to you,  
say sweet things to you  
Let you know that I'm yours alone  
Now, you need a lot of loving,  
and my darlin', you need it now  
You've been alone for so long  
You've forgotten what love is all about  
Let me rock you in the cradle of my arms,  
let my love protect you from all harm  
I'll be your shelter when you want me to  
I'll be your comfort when you need me to

I wanna mother you, smother you  
with a love that's gentle and true  
I wanna talk to you,  
say sweet things to you  
and my love will see you through  
Put your head on my shoulder  
Put your hand, darling, in mine  
Just let me take you in my arms,  
and love away the loneliness you hide  
And when life sometimes gets you down,  
and you need to cry  
Oh, I'll be standing by your side  
To be your strength and be your guide

I wanna mother you, smother you  
Show me what love is about  
I wanna talk to you,  
say sweet things to you  
Take away all of your doubt

Just let me mother you, smother you  
with a love you've never known  
I wanna talk to you,  
say sweet things to you  
Let me know that I'm yours alone

Ooh, mother you, smother you  
with a love you've never known  
I wanna talk to you,  
say sweet things to you  
Let me know that I'm yours alone

Mother you,  
smother you