

# Marvin Gaye, Take This Heart Of Mine

(Smokey Robinson/Pete Moore/Marv Tarplin)

Ooo, you say you're feelin' bad 'cause  
The least thing makes you cry  
Sounds like a real bad case  
Of a girl who needs a guy  
I think I know the perfect jewel  
One you ought to try  
Take a heart that's full of love  
On this you can rely

[Chorus:]

If you need some quick reaction, take this heart of mine  
And if you need some satisfaction, take this heart of mine  
And if you're tired of being lonely, take this heart of mine  
I think I can help you if you'll only take this heart of mine

I may not be a doctor who can cure your ills  
Goodbye to all those different drugs and hard-swallowed pills  
My remedy is older than the tale of Jack and Jill  
My prescription is the kind you love to have refilled

[Chorus]

Got a lovin' side (this heart of mine)  
That's pure as gold (this heart of mine)  
Take it, it's yours (this heart of mine)  
To have and to hold (this heart of mine)  
And if you do that, baby (this heart of mine)  
After we grow old (this heart of mine)  
It'll be the greatest love story (this heart of mine)  
That was ever told (this heart of mine)  
Oh, baby (one more time, let's hold)

Oh, medicine won't cure you  
Just leave you at the most  
The relief is only temporary  
Pretty soon will go  
But love can last a lifetime  
When two hearts are close  
Take as much as you want to  
There is no overdose

[Repeat chorus and fade]