

What's Going On

Marvin Gaye – *What's Going On* (1971)

Intro		Emaj % % %
A1	(Ah) Mother, mother (Ooh ooh) (Ah) There's too many of you crying (Ah) Brother, brother, brother (Ooh ooh) (Ah) There's far too many of you dying (Ah) You know we've got to find a way (Ah ah) (Ah) To bring some lovin' here today (Ah)	Emaj % C#m7 % Emaj % C#m7 % F#m7 % Amaj7/h H7
A2	(Ah) Father, father (Ooh ooh) (Ah) We don't need to escalate (Ah) You see, war is not the answer (Ooh ooh) (Ah) For only love can conquer hate (Ah) You know we've got to find a way (Ah ah) (Ah) To bring some lovin' here today , oh oh (oh oh)	Emaj % C#m7 % Emaj % C#m7 % F#m7 % Amaj7/h H7
B1	Picket lines (sister) and picket signs (sister) Don't punish me (sister) with brutality (sister) Talk to me (sister), so you can see (sister) Oh, what's going on (what's going on) What's going on (what's going on) Yeah, what's going on (what's going on) (Ooh ooh) Aw, what's going on (what's going on)	F#m7 H7sus F#m7 H7sus F#m7 H7sus – H7 Emaj C#m7 Emaj C#m7
Inst.	(Ooh ooh) <i>Vocal ad libs</i> (<i>Right on, brother – everything is everything...</i>)	: Am7 % % % : Amaj/h % % H7
A3	(Ah) Mother, mother – Everybody thinks we're wrong (Ooh ooh) (Ah) Oh, but who are they to judge us (Ooh ooh) (Ah) Simply 'cause our hair is long (Ooh ooh) (Ah) Oh, you know we've got to find a way (Ah) To bring some understanding here today , oh uh oh	Emaj % C#m7 % Emaj % C#m7 % F#m7 % Amaj7/h H7
B2	Picket lines (brother) and picket signs (brother) Don't punish me (brother) with brutality (brother) Come on, talk to me (brother), so you can see (brother) What's going on (what's going on) Yeah, what's going on (what's going on) Tell me what's going on (what's going on) I'll tell you what's going on (what's going on)	F#m7 H7sus F#m7 H7sus F#m7 H7sus Emaj C#m7 Emaj C#m7
Coda	Ooh ooh ooh (<i>Right on, baby – hey, what's happening...</i>) <i>Vocal ad libs</i>	: Am7 % % % : Amaj/h % % H7 : Am7 % % % : Amaj/h % % H7