

Caroline's Tips: A frequently requested song & a wonderful opportunity for multi layered vocals, it's perfect for us!!! Released in 1966 by The Beach Boys only a couple of months before 'Wouldn't it Be Nice' it has been enjoyed for decades across the world! Gentle to start with leading to a huge layered finale. A show stopper at any RC event! Cx



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# God Only Knows

Choir version created for Rock Choir by Rock Choir Leader Catherine Courtley 2020.

Intro

(L. Altos/Bass) Ooh..... ~ (Sops/U. Altos) Ooh..... ~ Ooh.... ~  
 (All) Ooh.... ~

Verse 1

(Sops/U. Altos) I may not al-ways love you.. ~  
 (L. Altos/Bass) But long as there are stars a-bove you.. ~  
 (All) You ne-ver need to doubt it.. ~  
 (L. Altos) I'll make you so (All) sure a-bout it.. ~

Chorus 1

(All) God on-ly knows what I'd be with-out you.... ~

Verse 2

(Sops/U. Altos) If you should ev-er leave me.. ~  
 (L. Altos/Bass) Please don't leave.. ~  
 (Sops/U. Altos) Though life would still go on be-lieve me.. ~  
 (L. Altos/Bass) On believe me..... ~  
 (Sops/U. Altos) The world could show no-thing to me.. ~  
 (L. Altos/Bass) No-thing to me, ~ so what good would li-ving do me..? ~

Chorus 2

(Sops/U. Altos) <sup>1</sup> God on-ly knows.. what.. I'd.. be with-out.. you.. ~  
 (L. Altos/Bass) <sup>2</sup> God on-ly knows what I'd be with-out.. you.. ~

Bridge

<p>(Sops)  <sup>1</sup> What I'd be...          with-out... ~           With-out.. you..          ba-by, ~           God on-ly knows..          what I'd be... ~</p>	<p>(U. Altos)    <sup>4</sup> What would I be..          with-out you.. ~           what would.. I..          be... ~</p>	<p>(L. Altos)  <sup>2</sup> With-out you what          would I be... ~           With-out.. you..          ba-by, ~           what would.. I..          be... ~</p>	<p>(Bass)  <sup>3</sup> On-ly God knows          what I'd be..          with-out you.. ~           what would.. I..          be... ~</p>
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(All) God only knows what I'd be with-out you.... ~

Verse 3

(L. Altos/Bass) If you should ev-er leave me.. ~  
 (Sops/U. Altos) Please don't leave.. ~  
 (L. Altos/Bass) Though life would still go on be-lieve me.. ~  
 (Sops/U. Altos) On believe me..... ~ No-thing to me.. ~  
 (L. Altos/Bass) The world could show no-thing to me... ~  
 So what good would li-ving do me..? ~

Chorus 3

(Sops/U. Altos) <sup>1</sup> God on-ly knows.. what.. I'd.. be with-out..  
 (L. Altos/Bass) <sup>2</sup> God on-ly knows what I'd be with-out.. (Bass) you.... ~  
 (Sops/Altos) God on-ly knows.. God on-ly knows.. ~



Finale

<p>(Bass) God on-ly knows what I'd be with-out.. you.. ~ (x6)</p>	<p>(L. Altos) God on-ly knows what I'd be with-out.. you.. ~ (x5)  With-out you.. God on-ly knows.. God on-ly knows.. ~ (x1)</p>	<p>(U. Altos) God on-ly knows what I'd be with-out.. you.. ~ (x3)  With-out you.. God on-ly knows.. God on-ly knows.. ~ (x3)</p>
<p>(L. Sops) What I'd be.. with-out.... ~ God on-ly knows.. ~ what I'd be... ~ (x1) With-out you.. God on-ly knows.. God on-ly knows.. ~ (x4)</p>	<p>(U. Sops) What I'd be... with-out.... ~ (x1)  God on-ly knows.. ~ What I'd be.. with-out.... ~ (x4)</p>	

(All) God on-ly knows what I'd be with-out.. you... ~