

Baby, Can I Hold You?

Words & Music:
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Kudos to Songhound Bill Biddlecome for the much better chords in the transitions and at the end of this tune.

D A7sus4 A7

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"Sorry," is all that you can't say.
A7sus4 A7 D A7sus4 A7 Em
Years gone by and still words don't come easily,
G A A7sus4 A7
Like, "Sorry." Like, "Sorry."

"Forgive me," is all that you can't say
Years gone by and still words don't come easily,
Like, "Forgive me, forgive me."

CHORUS:

[n.c.] D Em G D
But, you can say, "Baby, baby, can I hold you tonight?"
Em G Bm A D G A7
Baby, if I told you the right words, at the right time, you'd be mine.

"I love you." is all that you can't say.
Years gone by and still words don't come easily
Like, "I love you. I love you."

CHORUS: [2x]

D G A7 D
You'd be mine-----, you'd be mine.