

I Could Write A Book

From "Pal Joey"

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A musical score for the song "I Could Write A Book" from the musical "Pal Joey". The score is written for guitar and voice. It consists of eight staves of music, each with a guitar chord diagram above it and the corresponding lyrics below. The chords are: G, G/F#, G/F, C/E, Cm, G, C#dim7, D, D, GMA7, Am7, Bm7, Am7, G, G/F#, G, C, Cm, G, C#dim7, D, D, GMA7, Am7, Bm7, Am7, Gm7, C9sus4, C9, Fmaj7, Em7, A9, D7, GMA7, Dm7, G7, Cmaj7, Am7, Dm7, G13, Cmaj7, Am7, Dm, G7, Cmaj7, Am7, Dm11, Dm, G7, F#m7b5, G7, C, D#dim7, Dm7, G7, F#m7b5, B7b9, G7, F#m7b5, G7, C, D#dim7, Dm7, G7, F#m7b5, B7b9.

A B C D E F G I nev - er learned to spell, at least not
 well. One, two, three, four, five, six, sev - en, I
 nev - er learned to count a great a - mount.
 But my bus - y mind is burn - ing to use what learn - ing I've got.
 I won't waste an - y time, I'll strike while the i - ron is hot. If they
 asked me I could write a book,
 a - bout the way you walk and whis - per and look.
 I could write a pre - face on how we

2 32 **Em7** **G** **A#dim7** **Am7** **D7** **Dm11**

met. so the world would nev - er for - get.

36 **G7** **Cmaj7** **Am7** **Dm** **G13** **Cmaj7** **Am7**

And the sim - ple se - cret of the plot

40 **Dm** **G7** **Cmaj7** **C** **Am7** **Dm11**

is just to tell them that I love you a lot.

44 **G7** **F#m7b5** **G7** **C** **D#dim7** **Dm7** **G7** **Gm7** **C7b9**

Then the world dis - cov - ers as my book

48 **Fmaj7** **A#13** **Em7** **A7b9** **Dm7** **G7b9** **C6/9** **Dm7** **G7** **C6/9**

ends, how to make two lov - ers of friends. If they friends.