

I Don't Know Why

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Words and music by Paul Gayten & Robert Guidry, 1961

Intro: G7 C7 F C
I don't know why I love you but I do (song leader plays)

 F Am Gm
I don't know why I love you but I do
 C7 F
I don't know why I cry so but I do
 F7
I only know I'm lonely
 Bb G7
And that I want you only
 C C7 F C7
I don't know why I love you but I do

 F Am Gm
I can't sleep nights because I feel so restless
 C7 F
I don't know what to do, I feel so helpless
 F7
And since you been away
 Bb G7
I cry both night and day
 C C7 F F7
I don't know why I love you but I do

 Bb F
||: My days have__ been so lonely, My nights have__ been so blue
 G7 C7 C
I don't know how I stand it—But I do

 F Am Gm
Each night I sit alone and tell myself
 C7 F
That I will fall in love with someone else
 F7
I guess I'm wastin' time,
 Bb G7
But I've got to clear my mind
 C C7 F [F7 only to bridge]
I don't know why I love you but I do. :|| (Tag)
 C C7 F ///// C7 F
I don't know why I love you but I do.