

I Can't Promise

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Capo III

Verse 1:

 G C G Em D
I can't promise you a brand new car that never will break down.
 G C G Em D
I can't promise you a fancy house with no one else around.
 C D Bm Em
I can't promise you a great big rock, to wear upon your hand.
 C Em Bm D
But I can promise you I'll love you, with everything I am.

Verse 2:

 G C G Em D
I can't promise you times won't be tough; life is no fairy tale.
 G C G Em D
I can't promise you I'll be perfect; I tend to always fail.
 C D Bm Em
I can't promise you we'll never fight; we won't always agree.
 C Em Bm D
But I can promise you I'll love you, with all that is in me.

Chorus 1:

 C G C G
I'll defend you when you're threatened; I'll be strong when you are weak.
 C Bm Em D
I can be the man you've been longing for; you need no longer seek.
 C G C G
I will hold you close all through the night; I will never leave your side.
 C Bm Em D
When things get rough, I'll stay by you, I won't run off and hide.

Verse 3:

G C G Em D
I can't promise you silver and gold; my net worth ain't that high.
G C G Em D
I can't promise you a private jet, but with me you'll always fly.
C D Bm Em
I can't promise you worldwide fame; no one knows who I am.
C Em Bm D
But I can promise you I'll love you, the very best I can.

Chorus 2:

C G C G
You're the air that keeps me breathing. You're the wine to quench my thirst.
C Bm Em D
You are everything I'll ever need; I'll always love you first.
C G C G
I was nothing before I found you; I was lost without a home.
C Bm Em D
You're the one that fills this void in me; I will no longer roam.

Verse 4:

G C G Em D
I can promise you I'll stay by you in sickness and in health.
G C G Em D
I can promise you I'll still be here in poverty and wealth.
C D Bm Em
I can promise you I'll love you like our Savior loves His wife,
C Em C D G
And if the need ever arises, for you I'll give my life.