

# Finally Got the Nerve

**Patti LaBelle**

Here you come, walking my way  
So much inside me  
I wanna say, I've been holding on  
For the longest, longest time And I finally got the nerve  
To tell you how I feel about you, the nerve  
I can't live without you  
The nerve to tell you what's been on my mind for a lifetime And I finally got the nerve  
I found the words to say, I've got the nerve  
Can't wait another day, I've got the nerve  
Don't wanna lose it this time I'm trying to make  
Tryin' to make a connection  
But I'm afraid that there might be rejection on your part  
It would break my heart in a million pieces Can't go through it  
(Through it)  
Another day  
I gotta let you know, I feel this way about you, baby  
I dream about you in my life And I finally got the nerve  
To tell you how I feel about you, the nerve  
I can't live without you, the nerve  
I got the nerve to tell you what's been on my mind for a lifetime When you walk by, my heart skips a beat  
I contemplate the thought of you and me  
I get weak for you  
I can't get you off of my mind I know I got to  
(Got to)  
Got to keep it real  
'Cause you know how, you know how I feel  
I'm wanting you and I'm needing you every day And I finally got the nerve  
To tell you how I feel about you, the nerve  
I've got the nerve, the nerve  
I've got the nerve to tell you what's been on my mind for a lifetime And I finally got the nerve  
To tell you how I feel about you, the nerve  
I can't wait another day, I got the nerve  
Don't wanna lose it, don't wanna lose it this time

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