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I am not a quiet person, I talk more than most, $\quad \boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{G}-\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{A}-\boldsymbol{G}-\boldsymbol{A}$
If I contract laryngitis, I feel like a ghost, $D-G-D-E 7-A$
But I saw your Facebook quote, and l've taken it to heart, G-A-D-G-A
I T.H.I.N.K. before I speak, now here's my art: $\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{G}-\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{E} 7$ - $\boldsymbol{A}$
Before I say a single word, I ask myself if... A - A7

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T -- Is it true? D
H -- Is it helpful too? E7
I -- Is it inspiring? A
N -- Is it necessary? D - A7
K -- Is it kind? 'Cause that is the bottom line, D D E7
T -- H -- I -- N -- K -- before you speak, and you won't be sorry. G - D - A - D
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Though my gossip has some fizz, you might prefer to stay clear of it, $\quad D-G-D-A-G-A$ And humble as my opinion is, you might not want to hear of it, $\quad \boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{G}-\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{E} 7-\boldsymbol{A}$ And wise as my advice may seem to me, you still might fear it, $\boldsymbol{G}-\boldsymbol{A}-\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{G}-\boldsymbol{A}$ So l'll share the following in a somewhat different spirit, $\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{G}-\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{E 7}$ - $\boldsymbol{A}$ Before you say a single word, just ask yourself if... A - A7

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T -- Is it true? D
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I -- Is it inspiring? A
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K -- Is it kind? 'Cause that is the bottom line, D - E7
T -- H -- I -- N -- K -- before you tell the same old story. G - D - A - D
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And l've found another thing, when I talk to myself, D-G-D-A-G-A
Some of the words that I may think are not good for my health, $\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{G}-\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{E} 7-\boldsymbol{A}$
So I have decided to apply these questions here G-A-D-G-A
Inside my head, so emotionally and mentally l'll be clear, $\boldsymbol{D}-\mathbf{G}-\boldsymbol{D}-\boldsymbol{E 7}$ - $\boldsymbol{A}$
So before I catch that train of thought, I ask myself if... A - A7
T -- Is it true? D
H -- Is it helpful too? E7
I -- Is it inspiring? $\quad A$
N -- Is it necessary? $\boldsymbol{D}$ - $\boldsymbol{A} \mathbf{7}$
K -- Is it kind? 'Cause that is the bottom line, $\boldsymbol{D}$ - $\boldsymbol{E} 7$
T -- H -- I -- N -- K -- before you speak, and you won't be sorry. G-D-A-Bm
Yes, T -- H -- I -- N -- K -- before you tell the same old story. G-D - A - Bm
Yes, T -- H -- I -- N -- K -- and the world will be so grateful for ye. G - D-A D

