

## The Supremes

# "Ain't Nothing Like The Real Thing"

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Ain't nothing like the real thing, baby  
Ain't nothing like the real thing, no no  
Ain't nothing like the real thing, baby  
Ain't nothing like the real thing, oh honey

I've got your picture hangin' on the wall  
But it can't see or come to me  
When I call your name  
I realize it's just a picture in a frame

I read your letters when you're not near  
But they don't move me  
And they don't groove me like when I hear  
Your sweet voice whispering in my ear, don't you know

Ain't nothing like the real thing, baby  
Ain't nothing like the real thing

I play my game, a fantasy  
I pretend but I know in reality  
I need the shelter  
Of your arms to comfort me

No other sound is quite the same as your name  
No touch can do half as much  
To make me feel better  
So let's stay together

I got some memories to look back on  
And though they help me when you phone  
I'm well aware  
Nothing can take the place of your being there

So glad we got the real thing, baby  
So glad we got the real thing, oh, Marvin

Ain't nothing like the real thing, baby  
Ain't nothing like the real thing, talk to me  
Ain't nothing like the real thing, baby  
Ain't nothing like the real thing

