



(Highway 11 Corridor Ukulele Players)

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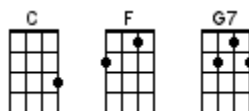
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# Worried Man Blues v2 (short)

Traditional



**INTRO:** [C] [C]

**CHORUS:** It [C] takes a worried [C] man to [C] sing a worried [C] song  
 It [F] takes a worried [F] man to [F] sing a worried [C] song  
 It [C] takes a worried [C] man to [C] sing a worried [C] song  
 I'm worried [G7] now [G7], but I [G7] won't be worried [C] long [C]

I [C] went across the [C] river and I [C] lay down to [C] sleep  
 I [F] went across the [F] river and I [F] lay down to [C] sleep  
 I [C] went across the [C] river and I [C] lay down to [C] sleep  
 When I woke [G7] up, [G7] I had [G7] shackles on my [C] feet [C]

**CHORUS:** It [C] takes a worried [C] man to [C] sing a worried [C] song  
 It [F] takes a worried [F] man to [F] sing a worried [C] song  
 It [C] takes a worried [C] man to [C] sing a worried [C] song  
 I'm worried [G7] now [G7], but I [G7] won't be worried [C] long [C]

The [C] train came to the [C] station, [C] 21 coaches [C] long  
 The [F] train came to the [F] station, [F] 21 coaches [C] long  
 The [C] train came to the [C] station, [C] 21 coaches [C] long  
 The one I [G7] love [G7] is [G7] on that train and [C] gone [C]

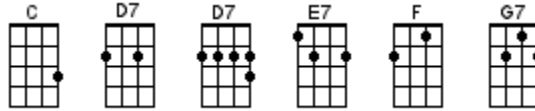
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 It [C] takes a worried [C] man to [C] sing a worried [C] song  
 I'm worried [G7] now [G7], but I [G7] won't be worried [C] long [C]

I [C] looked down the [C] track, just as [C] far as I could [C] see  
 I [F] looked down the [F] track, just as [F] far as I could [C] see  
 I [C] looked down the [C] track, just as [C] far as I could [C] see  
 A little bitty [G7] hand [G7] was [G7] wavin' after [C] me [C]

**CHORUS:** It [C] takes a worried [C] man to [C] sing a worried [C] song  
 It [F] takes a worried [F] man to [F] sing a worried [C] song  
 It [C] takes a worried [C] man to [C] sing a worried [C] song  
 I'm worried [G7] now [G7], but I [G7] won't be worried [C] long [C↓] [G7↓]  
 [C↓]

# Bad, Bad Leroy Brown (short) v2

Jim Croce 1973



**INTRO:** [C] [C] [D7] [D7] [E7] [F] [G7/F] [C]

Well the [C] South side of Chi[C]-ago  
Is the [D7] baddest part of [D7] town  
And if you [E7] go down there, you better [F] just beware  
Of a [G7/F] man named Leroy [C] Brown

Now [C] Leroy, more than [C] trouble  
You see he [D7] stand 'bout six foot [D7] four  
All the [E7] downtown ladies call him [F] 'Tree-top Lover'  
All the [G7/F] men just call him [C] 'Sir'

**CHORUS:** And he's [C] bad, bad [C] Leroy Brown  
The [D7] baddest man in the [D7] whole damned town  
[E7] Badder than old King [F] Ko-o-ong  
And [G7/F] meaner than a junkyard [C] dog

Now [C] Leroy, he a [C] gambler  
And he [D7] like his fancy [D7] clothes  
And he [E7] likes to wave his [F] diamond rings  
In [G7/F] front of everybody's [C] nose

He got a [C] custom Conti[C]-nental  
He got an [D7] Eldorado [D7] too  
He got a [E7] 32 gun in his [F] pocket for fun  
He got a [G7/F] razor in his [C] shoe

**CHORUS:** And he's [C] bad, bad [C] Leroy Brown  
The [D7] baddest man in the [D7] whole damned town  
[E7] Badder than old King [F] Ko-o-ng  
And [G7/F] meaner than a junkyard [C] dog

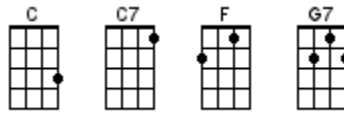
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[E7] Badder than old King [F] Ko-o-ong  
And [G7/F] meaner than a junkyard [C] dog

**OUTRO:**

Yeah, he were [E7] badder than old King [F] Ko-o-ng  
And [G7/F] meaner than a junkyard [C↓] dog [F↓] [C↓]

# Folsom Prison Blues v3

Johnny Cash and Gordon Jenkins 1953 (recorded by Cash in 1955)



## INTRO: [C] [C]

I [C] hear the train a-[C] comin', It's [C] rollin' round the [C] bend  
And [C] I ain't seen the [C] sunshine since, [C7] I don't know [C7] when  
I'm [F] stuck in Folsom [F] Prison [F] And time keeps [F] draggin' [C] on [C] [C]  
[C] ... But that [G7] train keeps a-rollin',  
[G7] On down to [G7] San An-[C]tone [C] [C] [C]

When [C] I was just a [C] baby, My [C] mama told me [C] "Son  
[C] Always be a [C] good boy, Don't [C7] ever play with [C7] guns"  
But I [F] shot a man in [F] Reno, [F] Just to [F] watch him [C] die [C] [C]  
[C] ... When I [G7] hear that whistle [G7] blowin',  
[G7] I hang my [G7] head and [C] cry [C] [C] [C]

## INSTRUMENTAL: < OPTIONAL >

When [C] I was just a [C] baby, My [C] mama told me [C] "Son  
[C] Always be a [C] good boy, Don't [C7] ever play with [C7] guns"  
But I [F] shot a man in [F] Reno, [F] Just to [F] watch him [C] die [C] [C]  
[C] When I [G7] hear that whistle [G7] blowin',  
[G7] I hang my [G7] head and [C] cry [C] [C] [C]

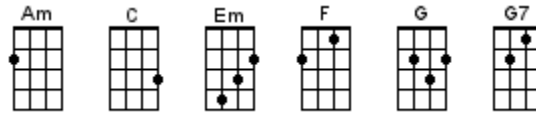
I [C] bet there's rich folks [C] eatin', In a [C] fancy dinin' [C] car  
They're [C] probably drinkin' [C] coffee, And [C7] smokin' big [C7] cigars  
Well I [F] know I had it [F] comin', [F] I know I [F] can't be [C] free [C] [C]  
[C] ... But those [G7] people keep a-[G7] movin'  
[G7] And that's what [G7] tortures [C] me [C] [C] [C]

Well if they [C] freed me from this [C] prison, If that [C] railroad train was [C] mine  
I [C] bet I'd move it [C] on, A little [C7] farther down the [C7] line  
[F] Far from Folsom [F] Prison, [F] That's where I [F] want to [C] stay [C] [C]  
[C] And I'd [G7] let that lonesome [G7] whistle  
[G7] Blow my [G7] blues a-[C]way [C] [C]

[C] ... And I'd [G7] let that lonesome [G7] whistle  
[G7] Blow my [G7] blues a-[C]way [C] [C] [C↓]

# Rhythm Of The Rain v4

John Claude Gummoe 1962 (as record by The Cascades)



**INTRO:** [C] [Am] [C] [G7]

**Chorus:** [C] Listen to the rhythm of the [F] falling rain  
[C] Telling me just what a fool I've [G7] been  
I [C] wish that it would go and let me [F] cry in vain  
And [C/G7] let me be alone a-[C]gain

The [C] only girl I care about has [F] gone away  
[C] Looking for a brand new [G7] start  
But [C] little does she know  
That when she [F] left that day  
A-[C/G7] long with her she took my [C] heart

[F] Rain please tell me now does [Em] that seem fair  
For [F] her to steal my heart away when [C] she don't care  
I [Am] can't love another  
When my [F/G7] heart's somewhere far a-[C]way [G7]

The [C] only girl I care about has [F] gone away  
[C] Looking for a brand new [G7] start  
But [C] little does she know  
That when she [F] left that day  
A-[C/G7] long with her she took my [C] heart

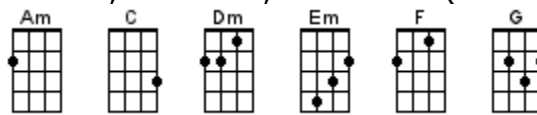
[F] Rain won't you tell her that I [Em] love her so  
[F] Please ask the sun to set her [C] heart aglow  
[Am] Rain in her heart  
And let the [F/G7] love we knew start to [C] grow [G7]

**Chorus:** [C] Listen to the rhythm of the [F] falling rain  
[C] Telling me just what a fool I've [G7] been  
I [C] wish that it would go and let me [F] cry in vain  
And [C/G7] let me be alone a-[C]gain

**Outro:** [C] ...Oh, listen to the [Am] fa-alling rain  
[C] ....pitter patter, pitter [Am] patter  
Oh, oh, oh, oh, [C] listen, listen to the [Am] fa-alling rain  
[C] ....pitter patter, pitter [Am] patter  
Oh, oh, oh, oh, [C↓] oh

# Karma Chameleon v5

Written by George O'Dowd, Jon Moss, et al 1983 (recorded by Culture Club)



## INTRO: [C] [G] [C] [C] [C] [G] [C] [C]

There's a [C] loving in your [G] eyes all the [C] way [C]  
If I [C] listened to your [G] lies would you [C] say [C]  
I'm a [F] man, [F] without con-[G]viction [G]  
I'm a [F] man, [F] who doesn't [G] know [G]  
How to [F] sell, [F] the contra-[G]diction [G]  
You come and [F] go, [F] you come and [Am] go [G↓]

**CHORUS:** [C] Karma karma karma karma [G] karma chamele-[Am]on  
[Am] You come and [Dm] go, [Dm] you come and [C] go [G]  
[C] Loving would be easy if your [G] colors were like my [Am] dreams  
[Am] Red gold and [Dm] green, [Dm] red gold and [C] green [G]

Didn't [C] hear your wicked [G] words every [C] day [C]  
And you [C] used to be so [G] sweet, I heard you [C] say [C]  
That my [F] love, [F] was an ad-[G]diction [G]  
When we [F] cling, [F] our love is [G] strong [G]  
When you [F] go, [F] you're gone for-[G]ever [G]  
You string [F] along, [F] you string [Am] along [G↓]

**CHORUS:** [C] Karma karma karma karma [G] karma chamele-[Am]on  
[Am] You come and [Dm] go, [Dm] you come and [C] go [G]  
[C] Loving would be easy if your [G] colors were like my [Am] dreams  
[Am] Red gold and [Dm] green, [Dm] red gold and [C] green [G]

**BRIDGE:** [F] Every day [F] is like sur-[Em]vival [Em]  
[F] You're my lover, not my [Am] rival [Am],  
[F] Every day i[F] s like sur-[Em]vival [Em]  
[F] You're my lover, [F] not my [Am] ri-[G↓]val

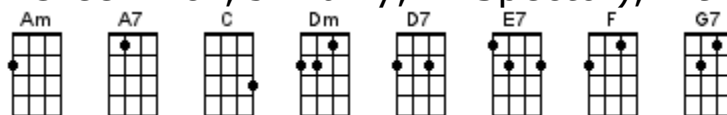
## [C] [G] [C] [C] [C] [G] [C] [C]

I'm a [F] man, [F] without con-[G]viction [G]  
I'm a [F] man, [F] who doesn't [G] know [G]  
How to [F] sell, [F] a contra-[G]diction [G]  
You come and [F] go, [F] you come and [Am] go [G↓]

**CHORUS:** [C] Karma karma karma karma [G] karma chamele-[Am]on  
[Am] You come and [Dm] go, [Dm] you come and [C] go [G]  
[C] Loving would be easy if your [G] colors were like my [Am] dreams  
[Am] Red gold and [Dm] green, [Dm] red gold and [C] green [G][C↓]

# Be My Baby v9

E. Greenwich, J. Barry, P. Spector), 1963



**Intro: [C] [C] [Dm] [G7] [C] [C] [Dm] [G7]**

**[C]** The night we **[C]** met I knew I **[Dm]** needed you **[G7]** so  
**[C]** And if I had the **[C]** chance I'd **[Dm]** never let you **[G7]** go  
**[E7]** So won't you **[E7]** say you love me  
**[A7]** I'll make you **[A7]** so proud of me  
**[D7]** We'll make 'em **[D7]** turn their heads **[G7]** ev-ry place we **[G7]** go

(Part 1); So won't you,  
**[C]** pleee-ease, **[C]**...Be my little  
**[Am]** ba-by,  
**[Am]** ...Say you'll be my  
**[F]** da-aa-rlin',  
**[F]**...Be my baby  
**[G7]** no-oo-ow,  
**[G7]** oh oh oh oh

(Part 2) So won't you,  
**[C]** be my **[C]** be my baby  
**[Am]** my one and  
**[Am]** only baby  
**[F]** be my  
**[F]** be my baby  
**[G7]** no-oo-ow,  
**[G7]** oh oh oh oh

**[C]** I'll make you **[C]** happy, baby, **[Dm]** just wait and **[G7]** see  
**[C]** For every **[C]** kiss you give me **[Dm]** I'll give you **[G7]** three  
**[E7]** Oh, since the **[E7]** day I saw you  
**[A7]** I have been **[A7]** waiting for you  
**[D7]** You know I **[D7]** will adore you '**[G7]** til eterni-**[G7]** ty

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**[C]** pleee-ease, **[C]**...Be my little  
**[Am]** ba-by,  
**[Am]** ...Say you'll be my  
**[F]** da-aa-rlin',  
**[F]**...Be my baby  
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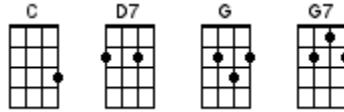
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**[G7]** oh oh oh oh **[C↓]**

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**[Am]** only baby  
**[F]** be my  
**[F]** be my baby  
**[G7]** no-oo-ow,  
**[G7]** oh oh oh oh **[C↓]**

# Bye Bye Love v7

Everly Brothers, 1958



**INTRO:** [C] [G] [C] [C]

**Chorus:** [C] Bye bye [G] love [C] ...bye bye [G] happiness  
[C] Hello [G] loneliness,  
[G/D7] I think I'm a-gonna [G] cry-y,  
[C] Bye bye [G] love [C] ...bye bye [G] sweet caress  
[C] Hello [G] emptiness,  
[G/D7] I feel like I could [G] di-ie  
Bye [G/D7] bye my love good-[G]by-ye. [G↓]

There goes my [D7] ba-by, [D7] with someone [G] new [G]  
She sure looks [D7] hap-py, [D7] I sure am [G] blue [G]  
She was my [C] ba-by, [C] 'til he stepped [D7] in-nn [D7]  
Goodbye to ro-mance, [D7] that might have [G] be-en [G7]

**Chorus:** [C] Bye bye [G] love [C] ...bye bye [G] happiness  
[C] Hello [G] loneliness,  
[G/D7] I think I'm a-gonna [G] cry-y,  
[C] Bye bye [G] love [C] ...bye bye [G] sweet caress  
[C] Hello [G] emptiness,  
[G/D7] I feel like I could [G] di-ie  
Bye [G/D7] bye my love good-[G]by-ye. [G↓]

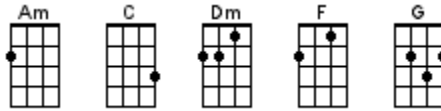
I'm through with [D7] ro-mance, [D7] I'm through with [G] love [G]  
I'm through with [D7] coun-tin', [D7] the stars a-[G]bove [G]  
And here's the [C] re-ason, [C] that I'm so [D7] free-ee [D7]  
My lovin' ba-by, [D7] is through with [G] me-ee [G7]

**Chorus:** [C] Bye bye [G] love [C] ...bye bye [G] happiness  
[C] Hello [G] loneliness,  
[G/D7] I think I'm a-gonna [G] cry-y,  
[C] Bye bye [G] love [C] ...bye bye [G] sweet caress  
[C] Hello [G] emptiness,  
[G/D7] I feel like I could [G] di-ie  
Bye [G/D7] bye my love good-[G]by-ye.  
Bye [G/D7] bye my love good-[G]by-ye. [G↓]



# Cousin Mary v3

Fludd 1973



**Intro:** [C] [Dm] [F] [C] [C] [Dm] [F] [C]

Cousin [C] Mary was a [Dm] lady  
Who could [F] really hold her [C] own  
She went [C] fighting for her [Dm] country  
She went [F] fighting for her [C] home  
Then there's the [G] time she lost her [Am] husband  
He was [Dm] fighting for the [Am] ri-iigh [Am]-t  
She'll be [C] leaving in the [Dm] morning  
Won't you [F] please say goodni-[C]-i-ght

[C] [Dm] [F] [C]

All the [C] money in the [Dm] world  
Couldn't [F] tie old Mary [C] down  
You can be-[C]lieve her when she [Dm] tells you  
She's [F] had her turn a[C]-round  
There could be [G] knights and kings in [Am] armour  
Horses [Dm] waiting just to [Am] fi-[Am]-i-ight  
She'll be [C] leaving in the [Dm] morning  
Won't you [F] please say goodni-[C]-i-ght  
She'll be [C] leaving in the [Dm] morning  
Won't you [F] please say goodni-[C]-i-ght

**Bridge:** [G] Oh-oh-[G] oh, lovely [C] lady [C]  
[G] Oh-oh-[G] oh, lovely [C] lady  
[Dm] always out there [F↓] <2,3,4,5,6,7>  
She'll be [C] leaving in the [Dm] morning  
Won't you [F] please take good ca[C]-are

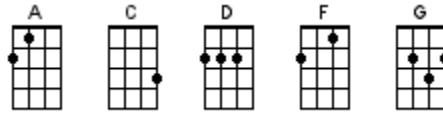
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**Bridge:** [G] Oh-oh-[G]oh, lovely [C] lady [C]  
[G] Oh-oh-[G]oh, lovely [C] lady  
[Dm] always out there [F↓] <2,3,4,5,6,7>  
She'll be [C] leaving in the [Dm] morning  
Won't you [F] please take good ca[C]-are

**Outro:** [C] [Dm] [F] [C↓]

# I Can See Clearly Now v5

Johnny Nash 1972



**Intro:** [D] [G] [D] [D]

[D] I can see [G] clearly now the [D] rain is gone [D]  
[D] I can see [G] all obstacles [A] in my way [A]  
[D] Gone are the [G] dark clouds that [D] had me blind [D]  
It's gonna be a [C] bright [G] bright sun-shiny [D] day [D]  
It's gonna be a [C] bright [G] bright sun-shiny [D] day [D]

[D] I think I can [G] make it now the [D] pain is gone [D]  
[D] All of the [G] bad feelings have [A] disappeared [A]  
[D] Here is that [G] rainbow I've been [D] prayin for [D]  
It's gonna be a [C] bright [G] bright sun-shiny [D] day [D]

**Bridge:**

[F] Look all [F] around there's nothing but [C] blue skies [C]  
[F] Look straight [F] ahead nothing but [A] blue skies [A]

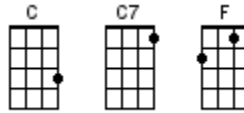
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[D] I can see [G] all obstacles [A] in my way [A]  
[D] Gone are the [G] dark clouds that [D] had me blind [D]  
It's gonna be a [C] bright [G] bright sun-shiny [D] day [D]

**Outro:**

It's gonna be a [C] bright [G] bright sun-shiny [D] day [D]  
It's gonna be a [C] bright [G] bright sun-shiny [D] day [D↓]

# Jambalaya v3

Hank Williams and Moon Mullican, 1942



## INTRO: [F] [F]

Goodbye [F] Joe, me gotta [F] go, me oh [C] my oh [C]  
Me gotta [C] go pole the [C7] pi-rogue down the [F] bayou [F]  
My Y-[F]vonne, the sweetest [F] one, me oh [C] my oh [C]  
Son of a [C] gun, we'll have big [C7] fun on the [F] bayou [F]

**Chorus:** Jamba-[F]laya, crawfish [F] pie and filé [C] gumbo [C]  
'Cause to-[C]night I'm gonna [C] see ma chère a-[F]mie-o [F]  
Pick gui-[F]tar, fill fruit [F] jar and be [C] gay-o [C]  
Son of a [C] gun, we'll have big [C7] fun on the [F] bayou [F]

Thibo-[F]deaux, Fountain-[F] eaux, the place is [C] buzzin' [C]  
Kinfolk [C] come to see Y-[C7]vonne by the [F] dozen [F]  
Dress in [F] style, go hog [F] wild, me oh [C] my oh [C]  
Son of a [C] gun, we'll have big [C7] fun on the [F] bayou [F]

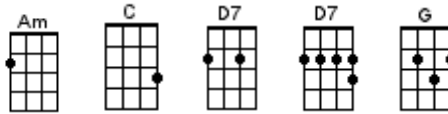
**Chorus:** Jamba-[F]laya, crawfish [F] pie and filé [C] gumbo [C]  
'Cause to-[C]night I'm gonna [C] see ma chère a-[F]mie-o [F]  
Pick gui-[F]tar, fill fruit [F] jar and be [C] gay-o [C]  
Son of a [C] gun, we'll have big [C7] fun on the [F] bayou [F]

Settle [F] down, far from [F] town, get me a [C] pirogue [C]  
And I'll [C] catch all the [C7] fish in the [F] bayou [F]  
Swap my [F] guy to buy Y-[F] vonne what she [C] need-o [C]  
Son of a [C] gun, we'll have big [C7] fun on the [F] bayou [F]

**Chorus:** Jamba-[F]laya, crawfish [F] pie and filé [C] gumbo [C]  
'Cause to-[C]night I'm gonna [C] see ma chère a-[F]mie-o [F]  
Pick gui-[F]tar, fill fruit [F] jar and be [C] gay-o [C]  
Son of a [C] gun, we'll have big [C7] fun on the [F] bayou [F]  
Son of a [C] gun, we'll have big [C7] fun on the [F] bayou [F]  
Son of a [C] gun, we'll have big [C7] fun on the [F] bayou  
[F↓] [C7↓] [F↓]

# JAMAICA FAREWELL v5

Irving Burgie, 1957



## INTRO: [G] [C] [G] [G]

[G] Down the way where the [C] nights are gay,  
And the [D7] sun shines daily on the [G] mountain top,  
[G] I took a trip on a [C] sailing ship,  
And when I [D7] reached Jamaica I [G] made a stop.

**Chorus:** But I'm [G] sad to say I'm [Am] on my way,  
[D7] Won't be back for [G] many a day,  
My [G] heart is down, my head is [Am] turning around,  
I had to [D7] leave a little girl in [G] Kingston town. [G]

[G] Down the market [C] you can hear,  
Ladies [D7] cry out while on their [G] heads they bear,  
[G] 'Akee' rice, salt [C] fish are nice,  
And the [D7] rum is fine any [G] time of year.

**Chorus:** But I'm [G] sad to say I'm [Am] on my way,  
[D7] Won't be back for [G] many a day,  
My [G] heart is down, my head is [Am] turning around,  
I had to [D7] leave a little girl in [G] Kingston town. [G]

[G] Sounds of laughter [C] everywhere,  
And the [D7] dancing girls sway [G] to and fro,  
[G] I must declare my [C] heart is there,  
Though I've [D7] been from Maine to [G] Mexico.

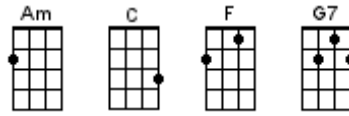
**Chorus:** But I'm [G] sad to say I'm [Am] on my way,  
[D7] Won't be back for [G] many a day,  
My [G] heart is down, my head is [Am] turning around,  
I had to [D7] leave a little girl in [G] Kingston town. [G]

[G] Down the way where the [C] nights are gay,  
And the [D7] sun shines daily on the [G] mountain top,  
[G] I took a trip on a [C] sailing ship,  
And when I [D7] reached Jamaica I [G] made a stop.

**Chorus:** But I'm [G↓] sad to say I'm [Am↓] on my way,  
[D7↓] Won't be back for [G↓] many a day,  
My [G↓] heart is down, my head is [Am↓] turning around,  
I had to [D7↓] leave a little girl in [G↓] Kingston town

# Let's Twist Again v4

Kal Mann (performed by Chubby Checker), 1961



**Intro:** <speaks> [C] Come on everybody, [C] clap your hands  
[Am] Aww, you're looking [Am] good  
I'm gonna [F] sing my song, and it [F] won't take long  
We're [G7] gonna do the twist and it [G7] goes like this [G7] [G7]

Come on let's [C] twist again [C] like we did last [Am] summer [Am]  
Let's [F] twist again [F] like we did last [G7] year [G7]  
Do you re[C]-member when [C] things were really [Am] hummin' [Am]  
Let's [F] twist again [G7] twistin' time is [C] here [C]

a[F]-round and round and [F] up and down we [C] go a[C]-gain  
Oh [F] baby make me [F] know you love me [G7] so **and [G7] then**

[C] Twist again [C] like we did last [Am] summer [Am]  
Come on let's [F] twist again [G7] like we did last [C] year [C↓] **TWIST! <2,3,4>**

## Bridge:

[C] [C] [Am] [Am] [F] [F] [G7] [G7] ..<lead> WHO'S THAT FLYING UP  
[C] THERE? [C] IS IT A BIRD?  
[Am] <group> **NOOOO!** [Am] IS IT A PLANE?  
[F] **NOOOO!** [F] IS IT THE TWISTER? [G7] **YES!** [G7]

Come on let's [C] twist again [C] like we did last [Am] summer [Am]  
Let's [F] twist again [F] like we did last [G7] year [G7]  
Do you re- [C]member when [C] things were really [Am] hummin' [Am]  
Let's [F] twist again [G7] twistin' time is [C] here [C]

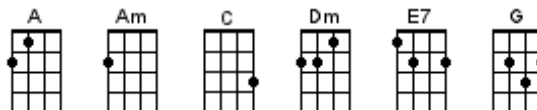
a[F]-round and round and [F] up and down we [C] go a[C]-gain  
Oh [F] baby make me [F] know you love me [G7] so **and [G7] then**

[C] Twist again [C] like we did last [Am] summer [Am]  
Come on let's [F] twist again [G7] like we did last [C] year

**Outro:** Come on let's [F] twist again [G7] twistin' time is  
[C] Here [C↓↓] bop! bop!

# Sweet Pea v2

Amos Lee, 1966



**Intro:** [C] [E7] [Am] [Dm] [C/A] [Dm/G] [C/Am] [Dm/G]

[C] Sweet pea, [E7] apple of my eye  
[Am] Don't know when and I [Dm] don't know why  
[C/A] You're the only reason I [Dm/G] keep on  
coming [C/Am] home [Dm/G]

[C] Sweet pea, what's all [E7] this about?  
[Am] Don't get your way, all you do is [Dm] fuss and pout  
[C/A] You're the only reason I [Dm/G] keep on  
coming [C/Am] home [Dm/G]

**Bridge:** I'm like the [E7] Rock of Gibraltar I  
[E7] always seem to falter  
And the [Am] words just get in the [Am] way  
Oh, I [D] know I'm gonna crumble  
I'm [D] trying to stay humble  
Coz I [G↓] never think be[G7↓]fore I say

[C] [E7] [Am] [Dm] [C/A] [Dm/G] [C/Am] [Dm/G]

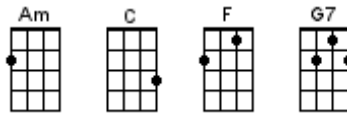
[C] Sweet pea, [E7] keeper of my soul  
[Am] I know, sometimes, I'm [D] out of control

**Outro:**

[C/A] You're the only reason I [Dm/G] keep on coming  
[C/A] You're the only reason I [Dm/G] keep on coming  
[C/A] You're the only reason I [Dm/G] keep on coming  
[C/A] home [Dm/G][C↓]

# Only You (Yazoo) v2

Vince Clarke (performed by Yazoo), 1982



## Intro: [C] [Am] [F] [G7]

[C] Looking from a window a[Am]-bove, it's like a story of [F] love  
Can you [C/G7] hear me

[C] Came back only yester[Am]-day  
I'm moving further a[F]-way, want you [C/G7] near me

**Chorus:** [F] All I needed was the [G7] love you gave

[C] All I needed for a[Am]-nother day  
And [F] all I ever [G7] knew [C] Only you [C]

[C] Sometimes when I think of her [Am] name  
When it's only a [F] game, And I [C/G7] need you  
[C] Listen to the words that you [Am] say  
It's getting [F] harder to stay, When I [C/G7] see you

**Chorus:** [F] All I needed was the [G7] love you gave

[C] All I needed for a[Am]-nother day  
And [F] all I ever [G7] knew [C] Only you [C]

**Instrumental:** [C] [Am] [F] [C/G7] [C] [Am] [F] [C/G7]

**Chorus:** [F] All I needed was the [G7] love you gave

[C] All I needed for a[Am]-nother day  
And [F] all I ever [G7] knew [C] Only you [C]

[C] This is going to take a long [Am] time  
And I wonder what's [F] mine, Can't [C/G7] take no more  
[C] Wonder if you'll under[Am]-stand  
It's just the touch of your [F] hand, Behind a [C/G7] closed door

**Chorus:** [F] All I needed was the [G7] love you gave

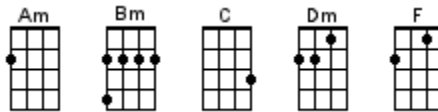
[C] All I needed for a[Am]-nother day  
And [F] all I ever [G7] knew [C] Only you [C]

**Chorus:** [F↓] All I needed was the [G7↓] love you gave

[C↓] All I needed for a[Am↓]-nother day  
And [F↓] all I ever [G7↓] knew Only [C↓] you

# Sweet Caroline v7

Neil Diamond 1969



## INTRO: [G] [G]

[G] Where it be-[G] gan  
[C] I can't be[C]-gin to knowin'  
[G] But then I [G] know it's growin' [D] strong [D]  
[G] Was in the [G] spring (da-da-da-[C]-da)  
And spring be-[C]came the summer  
[G] Who'd have be-[G] lieved you'd come a-[D]long [D]

## BRIDGE: <start soft and build intensity>

[G] Hands [G] [Em] Touchin' hands [Em]  
[D] ...Reachin' out [D] [C] Touchin' [C] me Touchin' [D] you [D]

## CHORUS:

[G] Sweet Caro-[C]line (da da [C] daaaaa)  
Good times [C] never seemed so [D] good (so good, so [D] good, so good)  
[G] I've been in-[C]clined (da da [C] daaaa)  
To be-[C]lieve they never [D↓] would [C↓] but [Bm↓] now [Am↓] I

<softer again> [G] Look at the [G] night  
[C] And it don't [C] seem so lonely  
[G] We fill it [G] up with only [D] two [D]  
[G] And when I [G] hurt  
[C] Hurtin' runs [C] off my shoulders  
[G] How can I [G] hurt when holdin' [D] you? [D]

## BRIDGE: <start soft and build intensity>

[G] Warm [G] [Em] ..Touchin' warm [Em]  
[D] ...Reachin' out [D] [C] Touchin' [C] me Touchin' [D] you [D]

## CHORUS:

[G] Sweet Caro-[C]line (da da [C] daaaaa)  
Good times [C] never seemed so [D] good (so good, so [D] good, so good)  
[G] I've been in-[C]clined (da da [C] daaaa)  
To be-[C]lieve they never [D↓] would [C↓] but [Bm↓] now [Am↓] I

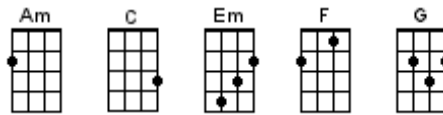
## CHORUS:

[G] Sweet Caro-[C]line (da da [C] daaaaa)  
Good times [C] never seemed so [D] good (so good, so [D] good, so good)  
[G] I've been in-[C]clined (da da [C] daaaaa)  
To be-[C]lieve they never [D↓] would [C↓] oh [Bm↓] no [Am↓] no  
[G] [G] [C] [C] [G] [G] [D] [D↓]



# It's My Life v1

Bon Jovi, Sambora, Martin, 2000



**Intro:** [Am↓↓] do do do do do [Am↓↓] do do do do do

[Am] This ain't a song for the [Am] broken-hearted [Am↓↓] do do do do do  
[Am] No silent prayer for the [Am] faith departed [Am↓↓] do do do do do  
And [Am] I ain't gonna be just a [F] face in the crowd  
You're gonna [C] hear my voice when I [G↓] shout it out loud [G↓↓]

**Chorus:** It's my [Am] life, it's [F] now or never [C] I ain't gonna  
[G] live forever [Am] I just wanna [F] live while I'm a-[C]live  
[G] .. Its my [Am] life, my heart is like an [F] open highway  
[C] Like Frankie said, "I [G] did it my way" [Am] I just wanna  
[F] live while I'm a-[G]live 'Cause [G/Em] it's my

[Am↓↓] life, do do do do do [Am↓↓] do do do do do

[Am] This is for the ones who [Am] stood their ground [Am↓↓] do do do do do  
[Am] For Tommy and Gina who [Am] never backed down [Am↓↓] do do do do do  
To-[Am]morrow's getting harder, [F] make no mistake  
Luck ain't [C] even lucky, gotta make [G] your own breaks [G↓↓]

**Chorus:** It's my [Am] life, it's [F] now or never [C] I ain't gonna  
[G] live forever [Am] I just wanna [F] live while I'm a-[C]live  
[G].. Its my [Am] life, my heart is like an [F] open highway  
[C] Like Frankie said, "I [G] did it my way" [Am] I just wanna  
[F] live while I'm a-[G] live 'Cause [G/Em] it's my [Am] **Li-ife** [Am]

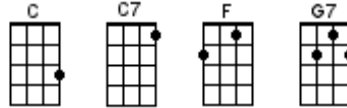
**Bridge:** [Am↓] You better stand tall, when they're calling you out, don't  
[Am↓] bend, don't break, baby, don't back down [Am↓↓]

**Chorus:** It's my [Am] life, it's [F] now or never [C] I ain't gonna  
[G] live forever [Am] I just wanna [F] live while I'm a-[C]live  
[G] .. Its my [Am] life, my heart is like an [F] open highway  
[C] Like Frankie said, "I [G] did it my way" [Am] I just wanna  
[F] live while I'm a-[G]live 'Cause [G/Em] it's my

**Chorus:** [Am] life, it's [F] now or never [C] I ain't gonna  
[G] live forever [Am] I just wanna [F] live while I'm a-[C]live  
[G] .. Its my [Am] life, my heart is like an [F] open highway  
[C] Like Frankie said, "I [G] did it my way" [Am] I just wanna  
[F] live while I'm a-[G]live 'Cause [G↓] it's [Em↓] my [Am↓] **Li-ife**

# Island Style v6

John Cruz, 1997



**INTRO: INTRO: [F] [F] [C] [C] [C] [G7] [C] [C↓]**

**Chorus:** On the [F] Island, [F] we do it Island [C] style [C]  
From the [C] mountain to the ocean, from the [G7] windward to the leeward [C]  
side **[C7-first time/C-second time]** (repeat)

[C] Mama's in the kitchen cooking [F/C] dinner real nice  
Beef [C] stew on the stove, lomi [G7/C] salmon with the ice  
[C] ...We eat and drink and we [F/C] sing all day  
[C] ...Kanikapila in the [G7/C] old Hawaiian way

**Chorus:** On the [F] Island, [F] we do it Island [C] style [C]  
From the [C] mountain to the ocean, from the [G7] windward to the leeward [C]  
side **[C7-first time/C-second time]** (repeat)

[C] we go grandma's house on the [F/C] weekend clean yard  
[C] If-we-no-go, grandma [G7/C] gotta work real hard  
[C] You-know-my-grandma, like the [F/C] poi real sour  
[C] I love my grandma every [G7/C] minute, every hour

**Chorus:** On the [F] Island, [F] we do it Island [C] style [C]  
From the [C] mountain to the ocean, from the [G7] windward to the leeward [C]  
side [C]

**<fade & slow each line>**

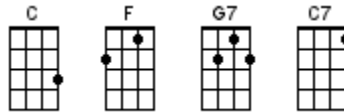
From the [C] mountain to the ocean, from the [G7] windward to the leeward [C]  
side [C]

From the [C] mountain to the ocean, from the [G7] windward to the leeward [C]  
side **[C-tremolo for 3 counts]**

*[Kanikapila (can-ee-ca-peela) is a style of Hawaiian music produced in an impromptu jam session, most commonly taking place at a beach, or family gathering]*

# SLOOP JOHN B v5

Gallienne, 1916 redone by the Beach Boys, 1961



## Intro: [C] [G7] [C] [C]

We [C] come on the sloop John [C] B, my [C] grandfather and [C] me  
A-[C]round Nassau [C] town, we did [G7] roam [G7]  
Drinkin' all [C] night [C7], got into a [F] fight [F]  
Well, I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I wanna go [C] home [C]

## CHORUS:

So [C] hoist up the John B's [C] sails, [C] see how the mainsail [C] sets  
[C] Call for the Captain a-[C] shore and let me go [G7] home [G7]  
Let me go [C] home [C7], I wanna go [F] home, yeah, [F]yeah  
Well, I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I wanna go [C] home [C]

The [C] first mate he got [C] drunk, and [C] broke in the Captain's [C] trunk  
The [C] constable had to [C] come, and take him a-[G7]way [G7]  
Sheriff John [C] Stone [C7], why don't you leave me a-[F]lone, yeah, [F]yeah.  
Well, I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I wanna go [C] home [C]

## CHORUS:

So [C] hoist up the John B's [C] sails, [C] see how the mainsail [C] sets  
[C] Call for the Captain a-[C] shore and let me go [G7] home [G7]  
Let me go [C] home [C7], I wanna go [F] home, yeah, [F]yeah  
Well, I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I wanna go [C] home [C]

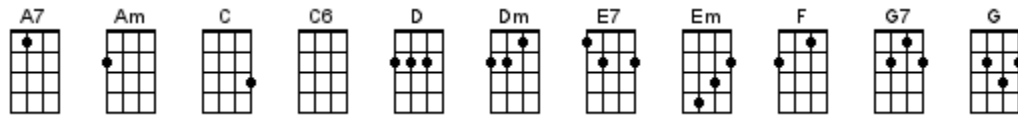
The [C] poor cook he caught the [C] fits, [C] threw away all my [C] grits  
And [C] then he took, and he [C] ate up all of my [G7] corn [G7]  
Let me go [C] home [C7], why don't they let me go [F] home? [F]  
This [C] is the worst trip [G7] I've ever been [C] on! [C]

## CHORUS:

So [C] hoist up the John B's [C] sails, [C] see how the mainsail [C] sets  
[C] Call for the Captain a-[C] shore and let me go [G7] home [G7]  
Let me go [C] home [C7], I wanna go [F] home, yeah, [F]yeah  
Well, I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I wanna go [C] home [C↓] [G7↓] [C↓]

# Tequila Sunrise v3

Don Henley & Glenn Frey (as performed by the Eagles), 1973



**Intro:** [C] [C6] [C] [C6] [Dm] [G] [C] [C6]

[C] It's another Te[C]-quila sunrise [G] Staring [G] slowly across the  
[Dm] sk-y-yy, [G7] said good [C] bye [C6]  
[C] He was just a [C] hired hand [G] Working on the  
[G] dreams he planned to [Dm] tr-y-y, [G7] the days go [C] by [C6]

[Am] Every night when the [F] sun goes down  
[Am] He's just another [F] lonely boy in [Am] town  
[Dm] she's out running [G] round [G]

[C] She wasn't just a[C]-nother woman [G] And I couldn't  
[G] keep from coming [Dm] on, [G7] it's been so [C] long [C6]  
[C] Oh and it's a [C] hollow feeling [G] When it comes [G] down to dealing  
[Dm] friends, [G7] it never [C] ends [C6]

[C] [C] [G] [G] [Dm] [G] [C] [C]

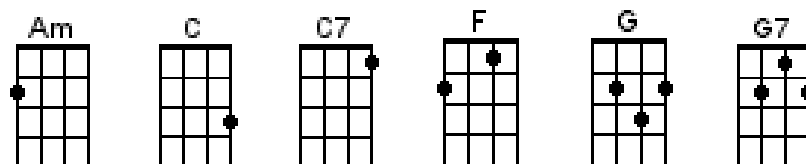
**Bridge:** [Dm] Take another [G] shot of courage,  
[Em] Wonder why the [A7] right words never [Dm] come  
[E7] You just get [C6] numb [D]

[C] It's another Te[C]-quila sunrise [G] This old [G] world still looks the  
[Dm] same [G7] another [C] frame [C6]

**Outro:** [C] [C6] [C] [C6] [Dm] [G] [C] [C6] [C↓]

# Have You Ever Seen The Rain v1

John Fogerty 1971 (recorded by Creedance Clearwater Revival)



## INTRO: [C] [C]

[C] Someone told me [C] long ago  
[C] There's a calm be-[C] fore the storm  
I [G7] know, [G7] it's been comin' [C] for some time [C]  
[C] When it's over [C] so they say  
[C] It'll rain on a [C] sunny day  
I [G7] know, [G7] shinin' down like [C] water [C/C7]

[F] I wanna [G7] know, have you [C] ever seen the [Am] rain  
[F] I wanna [G7] know, have you [C] ever seen the [Am] rain  
[F] Comin' [G7] down on a sunny [C] day [C]

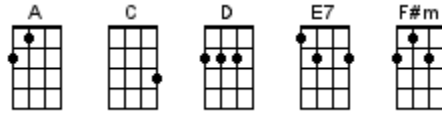
[C] Yesterday and [C] days before  
[C] Sun is cold and [C] rain is hard  
I [G7] know, [G7] it's been that way for [C] all my time [C]  
[C] Till forever [C] on it goes  
[C] Through the circle [C] fast and slow  
I [G7] know, [G7] it can't stop I [C] wonder [C/C7]

[F] I wanna [G7] know, have you [C] ever seen the [Am] rain  
[F] I wanna [G7] know, have you [C] ever seen the [Am] rain  
[F] Comin' [G7] down on a sunny [C] day [C]  
, yeah

[F] I wanna [G7] know, have you [C] ever seen the [Am] rain  
[F] I wanna [G7] know, have you [C] ever seen the [Am] rain  
[F] Comin' [G7] down on a sunny [C] day [C↓]

# Stand By Me v4

King, Leiber, Stoller, 1960



\*\*Lead talk about [F#m]\*\*

**Intro:** [A] [F#m] [A] [A]

When the [A] night has [A] come,  
[F#m] and the land is [F#m] dark,  
And the [D] moon is the [E7] only light we'll [A] see, [A]  
No I [A] won't be a-[A] fraid,  
No I [F#m] won't be a-[F#m] fraid,  
Just as [D] long as you [E7] stand, stand [A] by me.

**Chorus:** [A] So darlin' darlin'  
[A] stand by [A] me, oh-hh [F#m] stand by [F#m] me,  
Oh [D] stand, [E7] stand by me, [A] stand by me,

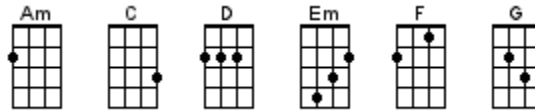
[A] If the [A] sky that we look [A] upon,  
[F#m] Should tumble and [F#m] fall,  
And the [D] mountains should [E7] crumble to the [A] sea,  
[A] ....I won't [A] cry, I won't [A] cry,  
No-oo I [F#m] I won't shed a [F#m] tear,  
Just as [D] long as you [E7] stand,  
stand by [A] me,

**Chorus:** [A] So darlin' darlin'  
[A] stand by [A] me, oh-hh [F#m] stand by [F#m] me,  
Oh [D] stand, [E7] stand by me, [A] stand by me,

**Outro:**  
[E7] whenever-you're-in-trouble-won't-you  
[A] stand by [A] me, oh now  
[F#m] stand by me, oh [D] stand,  
[E7] stand by me, [A] stand by me. [A↓↓↓↓]

# Take It Easy v2

Jackson Browne and Glenn Frey (released by The Eagles 1972)



Well I'm a-[G]runnin' down the road tryin' to [G] loosen my load  
I got [G] seven women [D/C] on my mind  
[G] Four that wanna own me [D] two that wanna stone me  
[C] One says she's a friend of [G] mine

Take it [Em] ea-[Em]sy, take it [C] ea-ea-ea-[G]sy  
Don't let the [Am] sound of your own [C] wheels drive you [Em] crazy [D]  
Lighten [C] up while you still [G] can, don't even [C] try to under-[G]stand  
Just find a [Am] place to make your [C] stand and take it [G] ea-[G]sy

Well I'm a-[G]standin' on a corner in [G]Winslow, Arizona  
[G] Such a fine [D/C] sight to see  
It's a [G] girl my Lord in a [D] flat-bed Ford  
Slowin' [C] down to take a look at [G] me

Come on [Em] ba-[D]by, don't say [C] may-[G]be  
I gotta [Am] know if your sweet [C] love is gonna [Em] save me [D]  
We may [C] lose and we may [G] win, though we will [C] never be here a-[G]gain  
So open [Am] up I'm climbin' [C] in, so take it [G] ea-[G]sy

## INSTRUMENTAL: < OPTIONAL >

Well I'm a-[G]standin' on a corner in [G] Winslow, Arizona  
[G] Such a fine [D/C] sight to see  
It's a [G] girl my Lord in a [D] flat-bed Ford  
Slowin' [C] down to take a look at [G] me  
Come on [Em] ba-[D]by, don't say [C] may-[G]be  
I gotta [Am] know if your sweet [C] love is gonna [Em] save me [D]

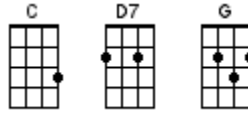
Well I been [G] runnin' down the road tryin' to [G] loosen my load  
Got a [G] world of trouble [D/C] on my mind  
[G] Lookin' for a lover who [D] won't blow my cover  
She's [C] so-o-o hard to [G] find

Take it [Em] ea-[Em]sy, take it [C] ea-ea-ea-[G]sy  
Don't let the [Am] sound of your own [C] wheels make you [Em] crazy [D]  
Come on [C] ba-[G]by, don't say [C] may-[G]be  
I gotta [Am] know if your sweet [C] love is gonna [G]↓ save me-e-e

[C] Oo oo-oo, oo oo-oo [G] oo oo-oo, oo oo-oo  
[C] Oo oo-oo, oo oo-oo [G] oo oo-oo, oo oo-oo  
[C] Oo oo-oo, oo oo-oh we've got it [G] ea-ea, ea-[F]ea-ea-[C]sy [C]  
We oughta take it [G] ea-ea, ea-[F]ea-ea-[C]sy [C] / [G]↓

# Three Little Birds v9

Bob Marley 1977 (recorded by Bob Marley and the Wailers)



**Try: Reggae Strum dDdD**

**INTRO:** [G] [G] [G] [G]

## CHORUS:

Don't [G] worry, (**don't [G] worry**) about a  
[G] thing (**about a [G] thing**)  
'Cause [C] every little thing, [C] is gonna be all [G] right [G]  
Singin' Don't [G] worry, (**don't [G] worry**) about a  
[G] thing (**about a [G] thing**)  
'Cause [C] every little thing, [C] gonna be all [G] right [G]

Rise up this [G] mornin', [G] smiled with the [D7] risin' sun [D7]  
Three little [G] birds, [G7] perched by my [C] doorstep [C]  
Singin' [G] sweet songs, [G] of melodies [D7] pure and true [D7]  
Sayin' [C] this is my [C] message to you-[G]ou-ou [G]

## CHORUS:

Don't [G] worry, (**don't [G] worry**) about a  
[G] thing (**about a [G] thing**)  
'Cause [C] every little thing, [C] is gonna be all [G] right [G]  
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[G] thing (**about a [G] thing**)  
'Cause [C] every little thing, [C] gonna be all [G] right [G]

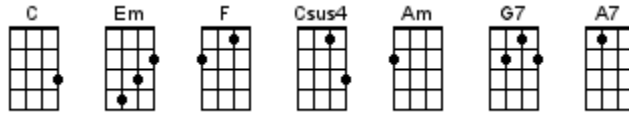
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Three little [G] birds, [G7] perch by my [C] doorstep [C]  
Singin' [G] sweet songs, [G] of melodies [D7] pure and true [D7]  
Sayin' [C] this is my [C] message to you-[G]ou-ou [G]

**[Ending vocals only]** Don't worry, (**don't worry**) about a thing  
(**about a thing**) 'Cause every little thing, gonna be all right



# Rainbow Connection vs

The Muppets, 1979



<alternative intro: picking strings. [C] 3-2-1-2-1-2 [CSus4] 3-2-1>

**INTRO:** [C ↓↑↓↑↓↑] [Csus4 ↓↑↓][C ↓↑↓↑↓↑][Csus4 ↓↑↓] x2

## <Waltz strum>

[C] Why are there [Am] so many [F] Songs about [G7] rainbows,

[C] And what's on the [Am] other [F] side [G7].

[C] Rainbows are [Am] visions, [F] but only [G7] illusions,

[C] And rainbows have [Am] nothing to [F] hide [G7].

[F] So we've been [F] told and some [F] choose to [F] believe it

[Em] I know they're [Em] wrong wait and [Em] see [Em]

**Chorus:** [F] Someday we'll [G7] find it

[Em] The Rainbow [A7] Connection, [F] the lovers, [G7] the dreamers and

[C ↓↑↓↑↓↑] me [Csus4 ↓↑↓][C ↓↑↓↑↓↑][Csus4 ↓↑↓]

## <Waltz strum>

[C] Who said that [Am] every wish, would [F] be heard and [G7] answered  
Has [C] wished on the [Am] morning [F] star [G7].

[C] Somebody [Am] thought of that, [F] and someone [G7] believed it

And [C] look what it's [Am] done so [F] far [G7]

[F] What's so [F] amazing, that [F] keeps us star [F] gazing

and [Em] What do we [Em] think we might [Em] see [Em]

**Chorus:** [F] Someday we'll [G7] find it

[Em] The Rainbow [A7] Connection, [F] the lovers, [G7] the dreamers and

[C] me

**Bridge:** [G7] All of us [Am] under it's [C] spell, we [F] know that it's

[C] probably [G7] magic. [G7] [G7] [G7]

[C] Have you been [Am] fast asleep and [F] have you heard [G7] voices,

[C] I've heard them [Am] calling my [F] name, [G7]

[C] Is this the [Am] sweet sound that [F] calls the young [G7] sailors,

The [C] voice might be [Am] one and the [F] same. [G7]

[F] I've heard it [F] too many [F] times to [F] ignore it

It's [Em] something that [Em] I'm supposed to [Em] be, [Em]

**Chorus:** [F] Someday we'll [G7] find it

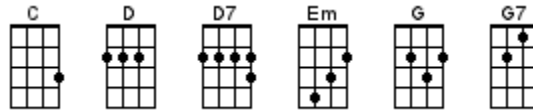
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[C ↓↑↓↑↓↑] me [Csus4 ↓↑↓] <fade> [C ↓↑↓↑↓↑][Csus4 ↓↑↓]

<fade>[C ↓↑↓↑↓↑] me [Csus4 ↓↑↓] <fade> [C ↓↑↓↑↓↑][Csus4 ↓↑↓] [C↓]

# Under The Boardwalk v1

Kenny Young and Arthur Resnick 1964 (as recorded by The Drifters)



Oh when the **[G]** sun beats down  
And burns the **[G]** tar upon the **[D7]** roof **[D7]**  
And your **[D7]** shoes get so hot  
You wish your **[D7]** tired feet were fire-**[G]**proof **[G7]**  
Under the **[C]** boardwalk, **[C]** down by the **[G]** se-e-ea, **[G]** ye-a-ah  
On a **[G]** blanket with my ba-**[D7]**by, is where I'll **[G]** be **[G↓]** **[G↓]**

**Under the [Em] boardwalk** (out **[Em]** of the sun)  
**Under the [D] boardwalk** (we'll be **[D]** having some fun)  
**Under the [Em] boardwalk** (people **[Em]** walking above)  
**Under the [D] boardwalk** (we'll be **[D]** falling in love)  
Under the **[Em↓]** board-**[Em↓]**walk **[Em↓]** board-**[Em↓]**walk

From the **[G]** park you hear  
The happy **[G]** sound of a carou-**[D7]**sel, mm-**[D7]**mm  
You can **[D7]** almost taste  
The hot **[D7]** dogs and french fries **[G]** they sell **[G7]**  
Under the **[C]** boardwalk, **[C]** down by the **[G]** se-e-ea, **[G]** ye-a-ah  
On a **[G]** blanket with my ba-**[D7]**by, is where I'll **[G]** be **[G↓]** **[G↓]**

**Under the [Em] boardwalk** (out **[Em]** of the sun)  
**Under the [D] boardwalk** (we'll be **[D]** having some fun)  
**Under the [Em] boardwalk** (people **[Em]** walking above)  
**Under the [D] boardwalk** (we'll be **[D]** falling in love)  
Under the **[Em↓]** board-**[Em↓]**walk **[Em↓]** board-**[Em↓]**walk

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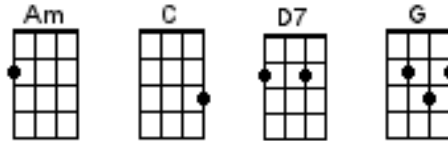
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You can **[D7]** almost taste  
The hot **[D7]** dogs and french fries **[G]** Oh... **[G7]**

Under the **[C]** boardwalk, **[C]** down by the **[G]** se-e-ea, **[G]** ye-a-ah  
On a **[G]** blanket with my ba-**[D7]**by, is where I'll **[G]** be **[G↓]** **[G↓]**

**Under the [Em] boardwalk** (out **[Em]** of the sun)  
**Under the [D] boardwalk** (we'll be **[D]** having some fun)  
**Under the [Em] boardwalk** (people **[Em]** walking above)  
**Under the [D] boardwalk** (we'll be **[D]** falling in love)  
Under the **[Em↓]** board-**[Em↓]**walk **[Em↓]** board-**[Em↓]**walk

# Peaceful Easy Feeling v3

Jack Tempchin (recorded by the Eagles 1972)



**INTRO: [G] [C] [G] [G]**

[G] I like the [C] way your sparkling [G] earrings [C] lay  
[G] Against your [C] skin so [D7] brown [D7]  
[G] And I wanna [C] sleep with you in the [G] desert to-[C]night  
[G] With a billion [C] stars all a-[D7]round [D7]

'Cause I got a [C] peaceful, [C] easy [G] feeling [G]  
[C] And I know you [C] won't let me [Am] down [D7]  
'Cause I'm [G] al-[Am]ready [C] standing [D7] on the [G] ground  
[G] [G] [G]

[G] And I found [C] out a long [G] time a-[C]go  
[G] What a woman can [C] do to your [D7] soul [D7]  
[G] Oh, but [C] she can't take you [G] any [C] way  
[G] You don't already [C] know how to [D7] go [D7]

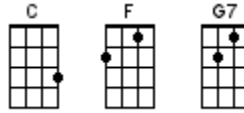
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[C] And I know you [C] won't let me [Am] down [D7]  
'Cause I'm [G] al-[Am]ready [C] standing [D7] on the [G] ground  
[G] [G] [G]

[G] I get this [C] feeling I may [G] know [C] you  
[G] As a [C] lover and a [D7] friend [D7]  
[G] This voice keeps [C] whispering [G] in my other [C] ear  
Tells me [G] I may never [C] see you a-[D7]gain [D7]

'Cause I got a [C] peaceful, [C] easy [G] feeling [G]  
[C] And I know you [C] won't let me [Am] down [D7]  
'Cause I'm [G] al-[Am]ready [C] standing [D7]  
I'm [G] al-[Am]ready [C] standing [D7]  
Yes, I'm [G] al-[Am]ready [C] standing [D7] on the [G] ground [Am]  
[C] Oo-oo [D7] oo-oo [G↓] ooh

# Cover Of The Rolling Stone (The) v2

Shel Silverstein 1972 (as recorded by Dr. Hook & the Medicine Show)



## INTRO: [C] [C] [C] [C]

Well we're [C] big rock singers, we've got [C] golden fingers  
And we're [C] loved everywhere we [G7] go **(that sounds like us)**  
We [G7] sing about beauty and we [G7] sing about truth  
At [G7] ten thousand dollars a [C] show **(right)**, We take  
[C] all kind of pills, to give us [C] all kind of thrills  
But the [C] thrill we've never [F] known  
Is the [G7] thrill that'll get ya when ya [G7] get your picture  
On the [G7↓] cover of the Rolling [C↓] Stone

**CHORUS: (Rolling [G7] Stone)** Wanna see my [G7] picture on the cover  
[C] **(Rolling Stone)** Wanna buy five [C] copies for my mother **(yeah!)**  
[G7] **(Rolling Stone)** Wanna see my [G7] smilin' face  
On the [F↓] cover of the Rolling [C] Stone [C] [C] [C]

I got a [C] freaky old lady name of [C] Cocaine Katy, Who em-[C]broi-ders  
on my [G7] jeans. I got my [G7] poor old gray-haired [G7] Daddy  
[G7] Drivin' my limou-[C]sine  
Now it's [C] all designed, to [C] blow our minds  
But our [C] minds won't really be [F] blown  
Like the [G7] blow that'll-get-ya-when-ya [G7] get your picture  
On the [G7↓] cover of the Rolling [C↓] Stone

**CHORUS: (Rolling [G7] Stone)** Wanna see my [G7] picture on the cover  
[C] **(Rolling Stone)** Wanna buy five [C] copies for my mother **(yeah!)**  
[G7] **(Rolling Stone)** Wanna see my [G7] smilin' face  
On the [F↓] cover of the Rolling [C] Stone [C] [C] [C]

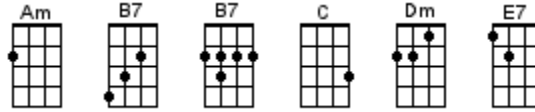
We got a [C] lotta little teenage [C] blue-eyed groupies  
Would [C] do anything we [G7] say, We got a [G7] genuine Indian [G7] guru  
He's [G7] teachin' us a better [C] way  
We got [C] all the friends, that [C] money can buy  
So we [C] never have to be a-[F]lone  
And we [G7↓] keep-gettin'-richer-but-we [G7↓] can't get our picture  
On the [G7↓] cover of the Rolling [C] Stone

**CHORUS: (Rolling [G7] Stone)** Wanna see my [G7] picture on the cover  
[C] **(Rolling Stone)** Wanna buy five [C] copies for my mother **(yeah!)**  
[G7] **(Rolling Stone)** Wanna see my [G7] smilin' face  
On the [F↓] cover of the Rolling [C↓] Stone  
On the [F↓] cover of the Rolling [G7]

**CHORUS:** Gonna see my [G7] picture on the cover  
[C] **(Rolling Stone)** Gonna buy five [C] copies for my mother  
[G7] **(Rolling Stone)** Gonna see my [G7] smilin' face  
On the [F↓] cover of the Rolling [C↓] Stone

# Love Potion #9 v2

Leiber/Stoller 1959



*\*Lead tip: for [Dm] to [B7] slide your fingers down a fret, your pointer finger is on the top of the [B7]\**

**Intro: [Am] [Dm] [Am] [Dm] [C] [C/Am] [Dm] [E7] [Am] [Am]**

**[Am]** I took my troubles down to **[Dm]** Madam Ruth

**[Am]** You know that Gypsy with the **[Dm]** gold-capped tooth

**[C]** She's got a pad on **[C/Am]** 34th and Vine

**[Dm]** Sellin' little bottles of **[E7↓]** Love Potion Number **[Am] 9 [Am]**

**[Am]** I told her that I was a **[Dm]** flop with chicks

**[Am]** I've been this way since 19-**[Dm]**56

She **[C]** looked at my palm and she **[C/Am]** made a magic sign

She **[Dm]** said what you need is **[E7↓]** Love Potion Number **[Am] 9 [Am]**

## **Bridge:**

She **[Dm]** bent down and turned around and **[Dm]** gave me a wink

She **[B7]** said I'm goin' to make it up right **[B7]** here in the sink

It **[Dm]** smelled like turpentine and looked like **[Dm]** India Ink

I **[E7↓]** held my nose, I closed my eyes **[E7↓]** I took a drink

**[Am]** I didn't know if it was **[Dm]** day or night

**[Am]** I started kissin' every-**[Dm]**thing in sight

But **[C]** when I kissed a cop at **[C/Am]** 34th and Vine

He **[Dm]** broke my little bottle of **[E7↓]** Love Potion Number **[Am] 9 [Am]**

**[Dm] [Dm] [B7] [B7] [Dm] [Dm]**

I **[E7↓]** held my nose, I closed my eyes **[E7↓]** I took a drink

**[Am]** I didn't know if it was **[Dm]** day or night

**[Am]** I started kissin' every-**[Dm]**thing in sight

But **[C]** when I kissed a cop at **[C/Am]** 34th and Vine

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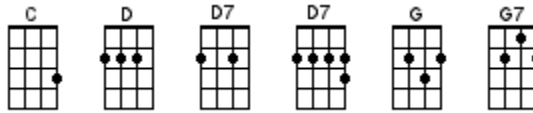
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**[Dm]** Love Potion Number **[Am] 9**

**[Dm]** Love Potion Number **[Am] 9 [Am↓]**

# MARGARITAVILLE v9

Jimmy Buffett (1977)



**Intro:** [G] [C] [D7] [G] [G]

[G] Nibblin' on [G] sponge cake, [G] watchin' the [G] sun bake  
[G] All of those [G] tourists covered with [D7] oil [D7]  
[D7] Strummin' my [D7] four-string, [D7] on my front [D7] porch swing  
[D7] Smell those [D7] shrimp, they're beginning to [G] boil [G7]

**Chorus:** [C] Wastin' a-[D7]way again in Marga-[G]itaville [G7]  
[C] Searching for my [D7] lost shaker of [G] salt [G7]  
[C] Some people [D7] claim that there's a [G↓] wo-[D↓]man to [C↓] blame  
But I [D7] know, [D7] it's nobody's [G] fault [G]

[G] I don't know the [G] reason, [G] I stay here all [G] season  
[G] Nothin' is [G] sure but this brand new ta-[D7]too [D7]  
[D7] But it's a real [D7] beauty, [D7] a Mexican [D7] cutie  
[D7] How it [D7] got here, I haven't a [G] clue [G7]

**Chorus:** [C] Wastin' a-[D7]way again in Marga-[G]itaville [G7]  
[C] Searching for my [D7] lost shaker of [G] salt [G7]  
[C] Some people [D7] claim that there's a [G↓] wo-[D↓]man to [C↓] blame  
Now I [D7] think, [D7] hell, it could be my [G] fault [G]

[G] I blew out my [G] flip-flop, [G]stepped on a [G]pop-top  
[G] Cut my [G]heel, had to cruise on back [D7] home [D7]  
[D7] But there's booze in the [D7] blender, and [D7] soon it will [D7] render  
[D7] That frozen con-c[D7]oction that helps me hang [G] on [G7]

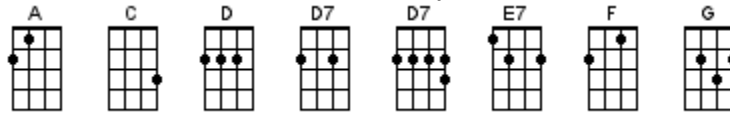
**Chorus:** [C] Wastin' a-[D7]way again in Marga-[G]itaville [G7]  
[C] Searching for my [D7] lost shaker of [G] salt [G7]  
[C] Some people [D7] claim that there's a [G↓] wo-[D↓]man to [C↓] blame  
But I [D7] know, [D7] it's my own damned [G] fault [G7] yes and

**Outro:**

[C] Some people [D7] claim that there's a [G↓] wo-[D↓]man to [C↓] blame  
And I [D7] know, [D7] it's my own damned [G] fault [G↓] [D7↓] [G↓]

# Beautiful Sunday v4

Daniel Boone, 1972



**Intro:** [C] [C] [C] [C] [F] [G] [C] [C]

[C] Sunday morning, [C] up with the lark,

[C] I think I'll take a [C] walk in the park

[F] Hey hey [G] hey, it's a beautiful [C] day [C]

[C] I've got someone [C] waiting for me

[C] And when I see her [C] I know that she'll say

[F] Hey hey [G] hey, what a beautiful [C] day [C]

**Chorus:** [C] Hi hi [C] hi, beautiful [F] Sunday [F]

This is [G] my my [G] my beautiful [C] day [C]

When you [C] said said [C] said said that you [D7] loved me [D7]

Oh [F] my my [G]↓ my its a beautiful [C] day [C]

[C] Birds are singing, [C] you by my side

[C] Lets take a car and [C] go for a ride

[F] Hey hey [G] hey, it's a beautiful [C] day [C]

[C] We'll drive on and [C] follow the sun

[C] Making Sunday [C] go on and on

[F] Hey hey [G] hey, it's a beautiful [C] day [C]

**Chorus:** [C] Hi hi [C] hi, beautiful [F] Sunday [F]

This is [G] my my [G] my beautiful [C] day [C]

When you [C] said said [C] said said that you [D7] loved me

[D7] .... Oh [F] my my [G]↓ my its a beautiful [C] day [C]

**(key change) Chorus:** [D] Hi hi [D] hi, beautiful [G] Sunday [G]

This is [A] my my [A] my beautiful [D] day [D]

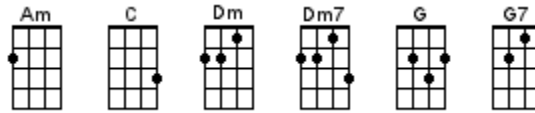
When you [D] said said [D] said said that you [E7] loved me [E7]

Oh [G] my my [A]↓ my its a beautiful [D] day [D]

Oh [G] my my [A]↓ my its a beautiful [D] day [D↓] [A↓] [D↓]

# Hungry Heart v2

Bruce Springsteen 1980



\*\*Lead talk about: [Dm] instead of [Dm7]\*\*

**INTRO:** [C] [Am] [Dm7] [G7] [C] [Am] [Dm7] [G7]

[C] Got a wife and kids in [Am] Baltimore, Jack  
I went [Dm7] out for a ride and I [G7] never went back  
[C] Like a river that don't [Am] know where it's flowing  
[Dm7] I took a wrong turn and I [G7] just kept going

**Chorus:** [C] Everybody's got a [Am] hungry heart  
[Dm7] Everybody's got a [G7] hungry heart  
[C] Lay down your money and you [Am] play your part  
[Dm7] Everybody's got a [G7] hu-hu-hungry [C] heart [Am][Dm7][G7]

[C] I met her in a [Am] Kingstown bar  
[Dm7] We fell in love I knew it [G7] had to end  
[C] We took what we had and we [Am] ripped it apart  
[Dm7] Now here I am down in [G7] Kingstown again

**Chorus:** [C] Everybody's got a [Am] hungry heart  
[Dm7] Everybody's got a [G7] hungry heart  
[C] Lay down your money and you [Am] play your part  
[Dm7] Everybody's got a [G7] hu-hu-hungry [C] heart [Am][Dm7][G7]

[C] Everybody needs a [Am] place to rest  
[Dm7] Everybody wants to [G7] have a home  
[C] Don't make no difference what no-[Am]body says  
[Dm7] Ain't nobody like to [G7] be alone

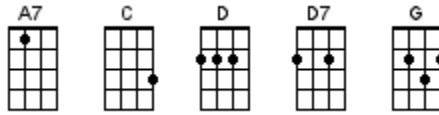
**Chorus:** [C] Everybody's got a [Am] hungry heart  
[Dm7] Everybody's got a [G7] hungry heart  
[C] Lay down your money and you [Am] play your part  
[Dm7] Everybody's got a [G7] hu-hu-hungry [C] heart  
[Am][Dm7][G7][C][Am][Dm7][G7][C↓]



# ME AND BOBBY MCGEE v3

Kris Kristofferson, 1969

"Harpoon" – slang for harmonica



## Intro: [G] [G]

[G] Busted flat in [G] Baton Rouge, [G] waitin' for a [G] train  
[G] feelin' near as [G] faded as my [D7] jeans [D7]  
[D7] Bobby thumbed a [D7] diesel down, [D7] just before it [D7] rained  
[D7] took us all the [D7] way into New [G] Orleans [G]

[G] I pulled my har[G]-poon out of my [G] dirty red ban-[G]dana  
and was [G] playin' sad while [G7] Bobby sang the [C] blues [C]  
[C] Windshield wipers [C] slappin' time, [G] holdin' Bobby's [G] hand in mine  
[D7] We sang every [D7] song that driver [G] knew [G]

**Chorus:** [C] Freedom is just a-[C] nother word for [G] nothin' left to [G] lose  
[D7] Nothin', don't mean [D7] nothin' but it's [G] free, [G7] -eee  
And [C] feelin' good was [C] easy, Lord, [G] when Bobby sang the [G] blues  
[D7] feelin' good was [D7] good enough for [D7] me [D7]  
[D7] Good enough for [D7] me and my Bobby [G] McGee [G]

[G] From the Coal mines of [G] Kentucky to the [G] California sun [G]  
[G] Bobby shared the [G7] secrets of my [D7] soul [D7]  
[D7] Standin' right be-[D7] side me lord, through [D7] everythin' we [D7] done  
[D7] Bobby always [D7] kept me from the [G] cold [G]

When [G] somewhere near [G] Salinas, Lord, I [G] let her slip a-[G] way  
[G] lookin' for that [G7] home, and I hope she [C] finds [C]  
I'd [C] trade all of my [C] tomorrows, for one [G] single yester[G] -day  
[D7] holdin' Bobby's [D7] body next to [G] mine [G]

**Chorus:** [C] Freedom is just a-[C] nother word for [G] nothin' left to [G] lose  
[D7] Nothin', don't mean [D7] nothin' but it's [G] free, [G7] -eee  
And [C] feelin' good was [C] easy, Lord, [G] when Bobby sang the [G] blues  
[D7] feelin' good was [D7] good enough for [D7] me [D7]  
[D7] Good enough for [D7] me and my Bobby [G] McGee [G]

<Sing La la's> [G] [G] [G] [G] [G] [G] [D7] [D7] [D7] [D7] [D7] [D7] [D7] [D7]  
[G] [G]

**Chorus:** [C] Freedom is just a-[C] nother word for [G] nothin' left to [G] lose  
[D7] Nothin', don't mean [D7] nothin' but it's [G] free, [G7] -eee  
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[D7] feelin' good was [D7] good enough for [D7] me [D7]  
[D7] Good enough for [D7] me and my Bobby [G] McGee [G↓] [D7↓] [G↓]