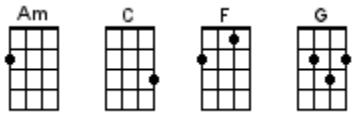
Summer of ’69 v2 (bridge removed)

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INTRO: [C] [C]

[C] I got my **[C]** first real ~~six~~ four string
[G] Bought it at the **[G]** five-and-dime
[C] Played it 'til my **[C]** fingers bled
[G] It was the summer of **[G]** ‘69

[C] Me and some **[C]** guys from school
[G] Had a band and we **[G]** tried real hard
[C] Jimmy quit, **[C]** Jody got married
[G] I shoulda known, we'd **[G]** never get far

[Am] When I **[G]** look back now
[C] The summer seemed to **[F]** last forever
[Am] And if I **[G]** had the choice
[C] Yeah, I'd always **[F]** wanna be there
[Am] Those were the **[G↓]** best days of my **[C]** life **[C] [G] [G]**

[C] Ain't no **[C]** use in complainin’ **[G]** When you got a **[G]** job to do
[C] Spent my evenin’s **[C]** down at the drive-in
[G] And that's when **[G]** I met you, yeah

[Am] Standin’ on your **[G]** mama's porch
[C] You told me that you'd **[F]** wait forever
[Am] Oh, and when you **[G]** held my hand
[C] I knew that it was **[F]** now or never
[Am] Those were the **[G↓]** best days of my **[C]** life **[C]** oh **[G]** yeah
[G] Back in the summer of **[C]** ‘69 **[C] [G]** oh **[G]**

[C] And now, the **[C]** times are changin’
[G] Look at everything that's **[G]** come and gone
[C] Sometimes when I **[C]** play that old six string
[G] Think about you and wonder **[G]** what went wrong

[Am] Standin’ on your **[G]** mama's porch
[C] You told me it’d **[F]** last forever
[Am] Oh, when you **[G]** held my hand
[C] I knew that it was **[F]** now or never
[Am] Those were the **[G↓]** best days of my **[C]** life **[C]** oh **[G]** yeah

OUTRO: [G] Back in the summer of **[C]** ‘69 **[C]** uh **[G]** huh
[G] It was the summer of **[C]** ‘69 **[C↓]**