

**An American Dream (Rodney Crowell) NN**

**Intro: 1 4 5 1 (2x)**

1 4  
I beg your pardon mama, what did you say  
5 1  
My mind was drifting off on Martinique Bay  
1 4  
It's not that I'm not inter-ested, you see  
5 1  
Augusta, Georgia is just no place to be

1 4  
Just keep talking mama, I like that sound  
5 1  
It goes so easy with that rain falling down  
1 4  
I think a tropical vacation this year  
5 1  
Might be the answer to this Hillbilly beard

**CHORUS:**

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I think Jamaican in the moonlight  
5 1  
Sandy beaches, drinking rum every night  
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We got no money mama, but we can go  
5 1  
We'll split the difference, go to Coconut Grove

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Voila! An American Dream  
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Yeah, we can travel girl, without any means  
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When it's as easy as closing your eyes  
5 1  
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1	4	5
A	D	E
Bb	Eb	F
B	E	F#
C	F	G
D	G	A
E	A	B
F	Bb	C
G	C	D

## An American Dream (Rodney Crowell) Key C

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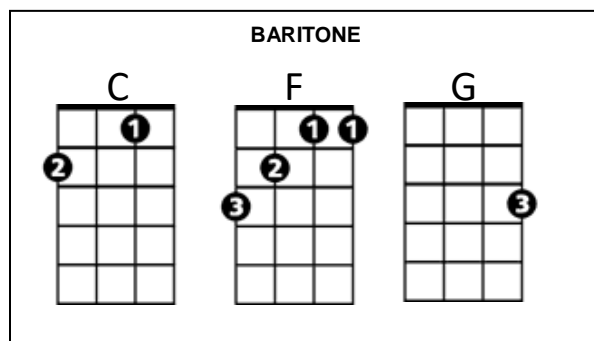
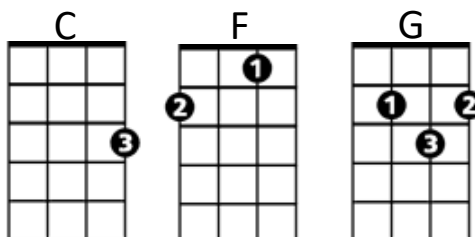
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