

Everglades
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Key of C

C **Bb** **C**
(A man can't live in the Everglades -- 2X)

C
He was born and raised around Jacksonville
F A nice young man, not the **C** kind to kill
But a jealous fight and a flashin' blade
G Sent him on the run to the **C** Everglades
Bb Runnin' like a dog through the **C** Everglades

Now, the posse went in and they **G** came back out
F They said he'll die and there ain't no doubt
It's an eye for an eye so the **F** debt is paid
G He won't last long in the **C** Everglades
Bb A man can't live in the **C** Everglades **C** **Bb** **C**

chorus:

F **C**
Where a man can hide and never be found
G **C**
And have no fear of the bayin' hound
F
But he better keep movin' and don't stand still
G **C** **Bb** **C**
If the skeeters don't get him then the gators will

verses:

Now, the years went by and his **G** girl was wed
F His family gave him up for dead
But now and then the natives would say
G They'd seen him runnin' through the **C** Everglades
Bb Runnin' like a dog through the **C** Everglades

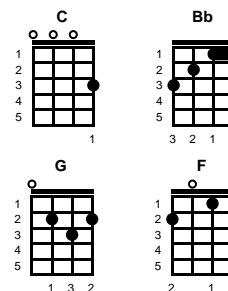
Now, he never heard the news on the radio
F He was deep in the 'glades so he'd never know
His runnin' and hidin' didn't make much sense
G For the jury had ruled it was self-defense
Bb Runnin' like a dog through the **C** Everglades **C** **Bb** **C** -- **CHORUS**

ending:

Bb **C**
Runnin' like a dog through the Everglades
Bb **C**
Skippin' like a frog through the slimy bog
Bb **C**
Runnin' through the trees from the Everlys

CHORDS FOR CHORUS

STANDARD



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