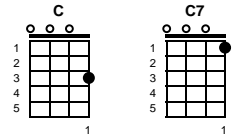


Frankie and Johnny
 Mississippi John Hurt (1928)
 Intro: Chords for ending

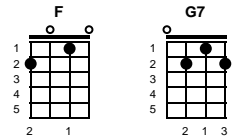
Key of C

C
 Frankie and Johnny were lovers, oh Lordy, how they could love
F
 They promised to be true to each other, true as the stars above
G7 **C** **F** **C**
 He was her man, he wouldn't do her no wrong

STANDARD

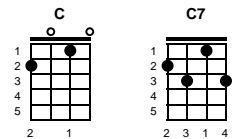


C
 Frankie went down to the corner, to get her a bucket of beer
F
 She asked that old bartender, has my lovin' Johnny been here?
G7 **C** **F** **C**
 He's my man, he wouldn't do me no wrong

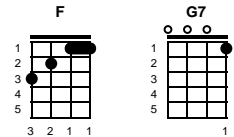


C
 Well, I ain't gonna tell you no story, ain't gonna tell you no lie
F
 He was here about an hour ago, with a gal named Nelly Blie
G7 **C** **F** **C**
 He may be your man, but he's doin' you wrong

BARITONE



C
 Frankie went down to the hotel, she didn't go there for fun
F
 Underneath her red kimono, she was packin' a 44 gun
G7 **C** **F** **C**
 To shoot her man, cause he's doin' her wrong



C
 Johnny took off his Stetson, Said, Baby please don't shoot me!
F
 She put her finger on the trigger, and the gun went Bloody Too!
G7 **C** **F** **C**
 She killed her man, 'cause he was doin' her wrong

C
 That's the end of my story, that's the end of my song
F
 They got Frankie in the county jail, and the gal's been there so long
G7 **C** **F** **C**
 She killed her man, cause he was doin' her wrong

ending:
G7 **C** **F** **C**
 She killed her man, cause he was doin' her wrong