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Harlan Howard, Buck Owens

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chorus:

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 I won't be much when you get through with me
 Well I'm a losing weight and turning mighty pale
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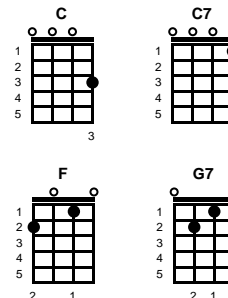
v2:

Well every night you drag me where the bright lights are found
 There ain't no way ~ to slow you down
 I'm about as helpless as a leaf in a gale
 And it looks like I've got a tiger by the tail -- **BREAK/CHORUS**

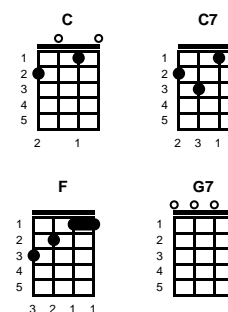
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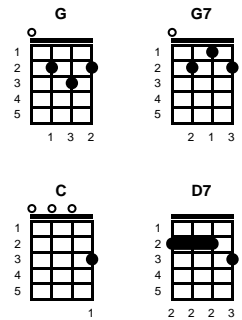
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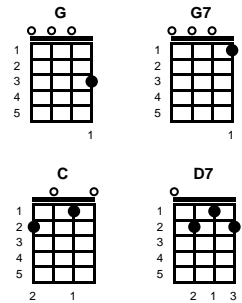
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