



Nuttin' for Christmas

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Nuttin' for Christmas by Barry Gordon and Art Mooney and His Orchestra (1955)

Intro Chords of last 2 lines of Chorus

Chorus

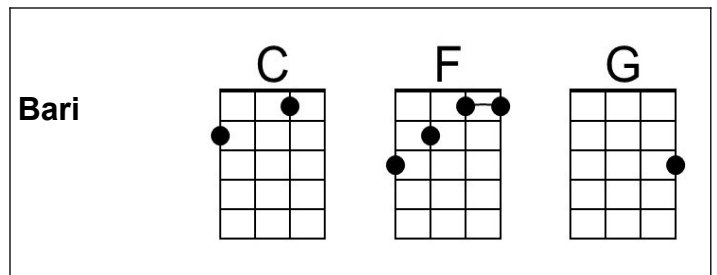
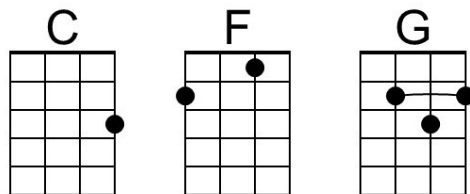
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F
Mommy and Daddy are mad.
C
I'm getting nuttin' for Christmas
F G C
'Cause I ain't been nuttin' but bad

C F C
I broke my bat on Johnny's head;
G C
Somebody snitched on me.
F C
I hid a frog in sister's bed;
G C
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F
I spilled some ink on Mommy's rug;
G C
I made Tommy eat a bug;
F G
Bought some gum with a penny slug;
F C
Somebody snitched on me. **Chorus**

C F C
I put a tack on teacher's chair;
G C
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F C
I tied a knot in Susie's hair;
G C
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I did a dance on Mommy's plants
G C
Climbed a tree and tore my pants
F G
Filled the sugar bowl with ants;
F C
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C F C
I won't be seeing Santa Claus;
G C
Somebody snitched on me.
F C
He won't come visit me because;
G C
Somebody snitched on me
F
Next year I'll be going straight;
G C
Next year I'll be good, just wait
F G
I'd start now, but it's too late;
F C
Somebody snitched on me. **Chorus**

G C
So you better be good what-ever you do
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'Cause if you're bad, I'm warning you,
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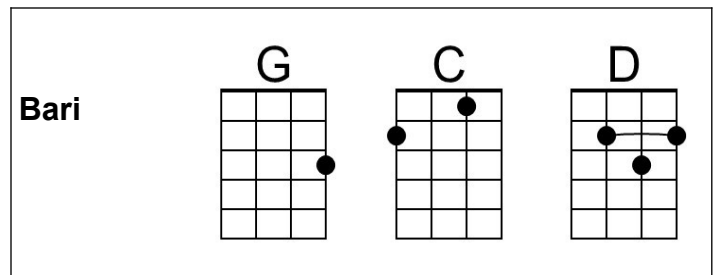
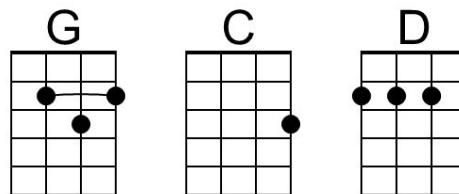
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