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I Saw Three Ships by Nat King Cole

I Saw Three Ships A Sailing by The Chieftains & Marianne Faithfull

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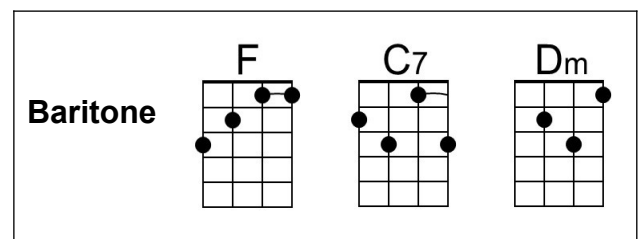
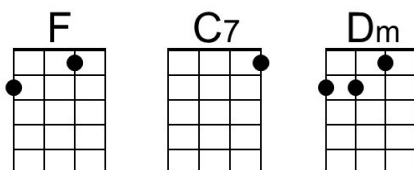
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 Dm C7 F C7 F
 Then let us all rejoice, a-main, On Christmas day in the morn-ing. (**Ritard**)
 F C7 F
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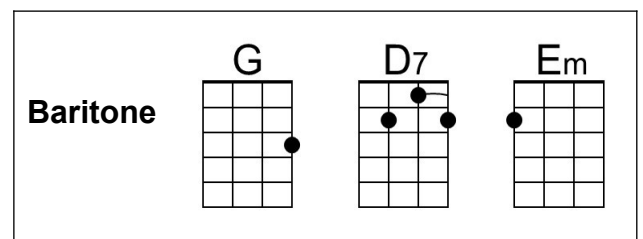
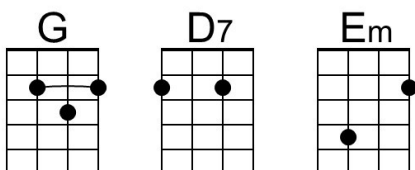
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