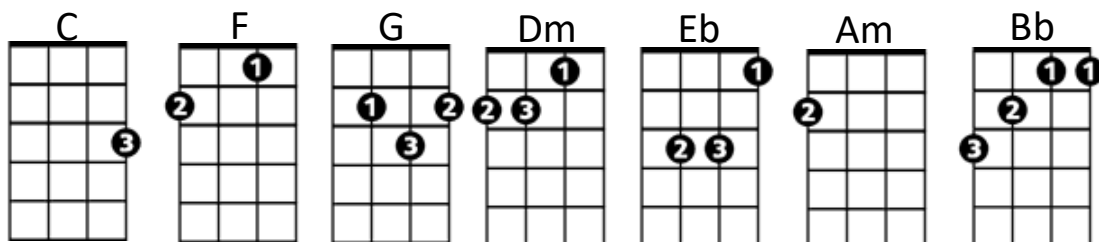


Ho, Ho, Ho, and a Bottle of Rum (Jimmy Buffett, Ross Kunkel, Roger Guth & Peter Mayer) **GCEA**

Intro: **C F C F C**

G
Santa's stressed out
Dm **C C F C F C**
As the holiday season draws near
G
He's been doing the same job
Dm **C C F C F C**
Now going on two thousand years
Eb
He's got pains in his brain
F **C G Am**
And chimney scars cover his buns
G
He hates to admit it,
C
But Christmas is more work than fun
G **Dm**
He needs a vacation from bad decorations
C C F C F C
and snow
G
Mr. Claus has escape plans,
Dm **C C F C F C**
A secret that only he knows
Eb **F**
Beaches and palm trees appear every night
C G Am
in his dreams
Dm **Bb**
A break from his wife, his half frozen life,
G G7
The elves and that damn reindeer team
C F G C
Ho Ho Ho and a bottle of rum
F G C
Santa's run off to the Caribbean
F G C
He thinks about boat drinks and fun in the sun
F G C C F C F C
Ho Ho Ho and a bottle of rum

G **Dm** **C**
Plastic creations and crass exploitations aren't good
C F C F C
G **Dm** **C**
He wants to go back to simple toys made out of wood
C F C F C
Eb **F** **C G Am**
Just for the weekend he'd like to be Peter Pan
Dm **Bb**
Get out of his long johns and dance with a sword,
G G7
Dance with a sword in the sand
C F G C
Ho Ho Ho and a bottle of rum
F G C
Santa's run off to the Caribbean
F G C
Marimbas, calimbas, he's playing steel drums
F G C C F C F C
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C F G C
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F G C
Santa's run off to the Caribbean
F G C
A week in the tropics and he'll be all right
F G C C F C F C
Sporting a tan as he rides out of sight
C F **Dm** **G** **C**
Merry Christmas to all - and to all a good night
C F C F C F C



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