

Highlands Songbook

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A Jug of Punch (Paddy Clancy / Tom Clancy / Liam Clancy / Tommy Makem)

One pleasant evening in the month of June And if I get drunk, well, the money's me own As I was sitting with my glass and spoon And if they don't like me they can leave me alone A small bird sat on an ivy bunch I'll tune me fiddle and I'll rosin me bow And the song he sang was "The Jug of Punch" And I'll be welcome wherever I go Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay, Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay, Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay A small bird sat on an ivy bunch I'll tune me fiddle and I'll rosin me bow And the song he sang was "The Jug of Punch" And I'll be welcome wherever I go G G What more diversion can a man desire? And when I'm dead and in my grave Than to sit him down by snug turf fire No costly tombstone will I have Upon his knee a pretty wench Just lay me down in my native peat And on the table a jug of punch With a jug of punch at my head and feet Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay, Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay, Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay Upon his knee a pretty wench Just lay me down in my native peat And on the table a jug of punch With a jug of punch at my head and feet G G Let the doctors come with all their art They'll make no impression upon my heart Even a cripple forgets his hunch When he's snug outside of a jug of punch Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay, **BARITONE** G Too ra loo ra loo, too ra loo ra lay Even a cripple forgets his hunch When he's snug outside of a jug of punch

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A Scottish Soldier (Andy Stewart, 1960; Tune "Green Hills of Tyrol")

There was a soldier, a Scottish soldier

Who wandered far away and soldiered far away

There was none bolder, with good broad shoulders

He fought in many a fray, and fought and won

He'd seen the glory, he'd told the story

Of battles glorious and deeds victorious

But now he's sighing, his heart is crying

To leave these green hills of Tyrol

Chorus:

Because those green hills are not Highland Hills Or the Island Hills, they're not my land's hills And fair as these green foreign hills may be,

They are not the hills of home

And now this soldier, this Scottish soldier

Who wandered far away and soldiered far away

Sees leaves are falling, and Death is calling

And he will fade away in that far land

He called his piper, his trusty piper

And bade him sound a lay a pibroch sad to play

Upon a hillside, a Scottish hillside

D7

Not on these green hills of Tyrol

(Chorus)

And now this soldier, this Scottish soldier

Will wander far no more and soldier far no more

And on a hillside, a Scottish hillside

D7

You'll see a piper play his soldier home

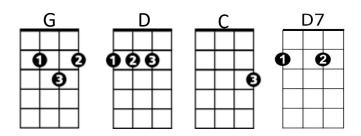
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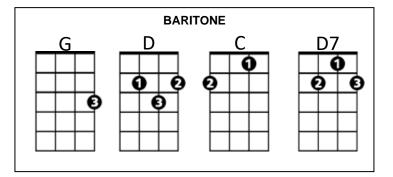
Of battles glorious and deeds victorious

The bugles cease now, he is at peace now

Far from those green hills of Tyrol

(Chorus)





Black Velvet Band (Ronnie Drew, Luke Kelly, Barney Mac Kenna, Ciaran Bourke, John Sheehan) As performed by The Dubliners

C
In a neat little town they call Belfast
F
G
Apprenticed to trade I was bound
C
Am
And many an hour of sweet happiness
F
G
C
I've I spent in that neat little town

But a sad misfortune's come over me Which caused me to stray from the land Far away from me friends and companions Betrayed by the black velvet band

Chorus:

C
Her eyes they shone like diamonds
F G
I thought her the queen of the land
C Am
And her hair hung over her shoulder
F G C
Tied up with a black velvet band

I took a stroll down Broadway Intending not long for to stay When who should I meet but this pretty fair maid Come traipsing along the highway

She was both fair and handsome
Her neck it was white like a swan
And her hair hung down from her shoulders
Held up with a black velvet band

(Chorus)

I took a stroll with this pretty fair maid Met a gentleman as he passed by Sure, I knew she meant the doing of him By the look in her roguish black eye

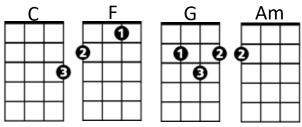
A gold watch she took from his pocket And placed it right into my hand And the very first thing that I said was "What's this?" to the black velvet band (Chorus) But before the Judge and the Jury Next morning I had to appear And the judge he says to me "Young man, Your case it is proven and clear

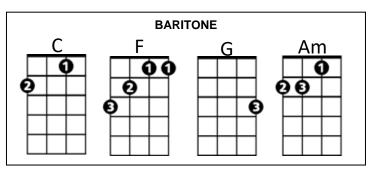
I'll give you seven years penal servitude
To be spent far away from the land
Far away from your friends and companions"
Betrayed by the black velvet band
(Chorus)

So come all you jolly young fellows
A warning take from me
And if you go out on the town, me boys,
Beware of the pretty Colleens

They'll feed you with strong drink, my lads, 'Til you are unable to stand And the very first thing that you'll know is You've landed in Van Diemen's Land

C
Her eyes they shone like diamonds
F
G
I thought she was queen of the land
C
Am
Now I'm far from my friends and companions
F
G
C
Betrayed by the black velvet band.

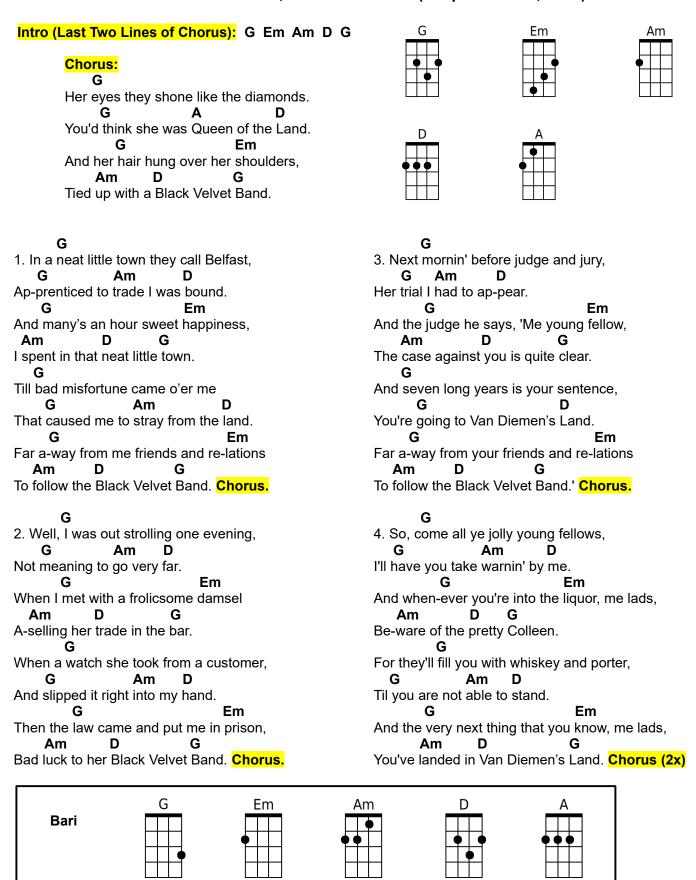




Black Velvet Band (Traditional, Adapted by Will Millar) Key of C; 12/8 Time, a quick-time variant of ¾ time. Black Velvet Band, The Irish Rovers (45 rpm version, 1967)

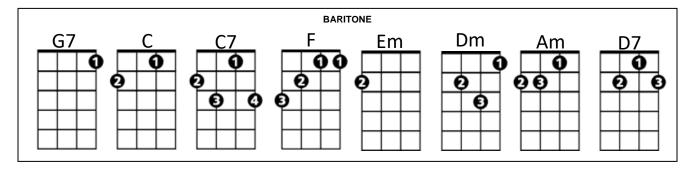
C D G You'd think she was Queen of the Land. C Am And her hair hung over her shoulders, Dm G C Tied up with a Black Velvet Band. C 1. In a neat little town they call Belfast, C Dm G Ap-prenticed to trade I was bound. C Am And many's an hour sweet happiness, Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G That caused me to stray from the land. C Dm G That caused me to stray from the land. C C Am Far a-way from me friends and re-lations Dm G C To follow the Black Velvet Band. Chorus. C Dm G Not meaning to go very far. C Am When I met with a frolicsome damsel Dm G C A-selling her trade in the bar. C C When a watch she took from a customer, C To tollow with a folicsome acustomer, C C When a watch she took from a customer, C For they'll fill you with whiskey and porter, For they'll fill you with whiskey and porter,	Dm •
C Dm G Ap-prenticed to trade I was bound. C Am C Am And many's an hour sweet happiness, Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C I spent in that neat little town. C Dm G C And seven long years is your sentence, C G Am C Am Far a-way from pour friends and re-lations Dm G C I follow the Black Velvet Band. Chorus. C I spent in that neat little town. C G An C G Am C G Am C	
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C Dm G And slipped it right into my hand. C Am Then the law came and put me in prison, C Am C Am C Am C Am C Am And the very next thing that you know, me	
Dm G C Bad luck to her Black Velvet Band. Chorus. You've landed in Van Diemen's Land. Cho Bari: C Am Dm D G	orus (2x)

Black Velvet Band (Traditional, Adapted by Will Millar) Key of G; 12/8 Time, a quick-time variant of ¾ time. Black Velvet Band, The Irish Rovers (45 rpm version, 1967)



Danny Boy (Lyrics by Frederic Weatherly, 1913; Tune: "Londonderry Air" attributed to Rory Dall O'Cahan, 17th Century)

G7 C	C7	F	<u>G7</u>	С	<u>C7</u>
Oh Danny boy, the pipes		_	9 8	HH	 '
C En From glen to glen and do		G7		•	
C	C7	F		HH	+++
The summer's gone and	all the flowers	are dying			ш
C Dm		G7	F	Em	Dm
'Tis you, 'tis you must go	and I must bid	е	9	0	9 0
Am F	G 7	С		9	
But come ye back when s	summer's in th			6	
Am F	Em	D7 G7			
Or when the valley's hush			_Am_	D7	
C F And I'll be here in sunshir	C Aı ne or in sha-do				
C	F G 7	 C G7	9	0 0	
Oh Danny boy, oh Danny	boy, I love yo	u so			
07	07	-			
G7 C And if you come and all tl	C7	F dvina			
C Em	F G7	dying			
And I am dead, as dead I					
G7 C	C	7 F			
You'll come and find the p					
	m G7 C	_			
And kneel and say an "Av	e there for m	е			
Am F	G 7	С			
And I shall hear, though s	soft you tread a	above me			
Am F	Em	D7 G7			
And all my dreams will wa	arm and sweet	_			
C F	c that you love	Am			
For you'll not fail to tell m	G7 C	G7			
I'll sleep in peace until yo					



Dirty Old Town (Ewan MacColl, 1949) Key C

I met my love by the gas works wall

Dreamed a dream by the old canal

I kissed my girl by the factory wall

Dirty old town, dirty old town

Clouds are drifting across the moon

Cats are prowling on their beat

Springs a girl from the streets at night

Dirty old town, dirty old town

I heard a siren from the docks

Saw a train set the night on fire

I smelled the spring on the smoky wind

Dirty old town, dirty old town

I'm gonna make me a big sharp axe

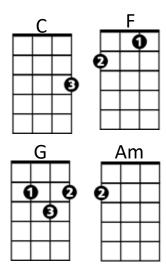
Shining steel tempered in the fire

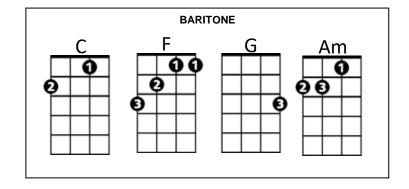
I'll chop you down like an old dead tree

Dirty old town, dirty old town

(Repeat First Verse)

Dirty old town, dirty old town



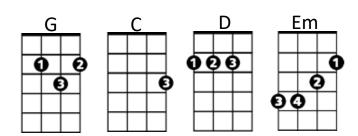


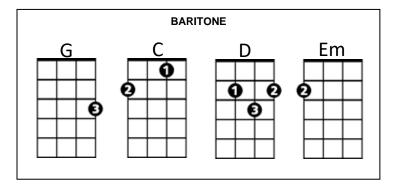
Dirty Old Town (Ewan MacColl, 1949) Key G

I met my love by the gas works wall Dreamed a dream by the old canal I kissed my girl by the factory wall Dirty old town, dirty old town Clouds are drifting across the moon Cats are prowling on their beat Springs a girl from the streets at night Dirty old town, dirty old town I heard a siren from the docks Saw a train set the night on fire I smelled the spring on the smoky wind Dirty old town, dirty old town I'm gonna make me a big sharp axe Shining steel tempered in the fire I'll chop you down like an old dead tree Dirty old town, dirty old town (Repeat First Verse)

Em

Dirty old town, dirty old town





Down by the Glenside (Patrick Ryan / Peter Anthony Kearney)

Am G C Em 'Twas down by the Glenside I met an old woman Am G C Em A plucking young nettles she ne'er saw me coming Am C G I listened a while to the song she was humming C G Am G Am Glory o glory o to the Bold Fenian Men	Am G Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q Q
G C Em 'Tis fifty long years since I saw the moon beamin' Am G C Em On strong manly forms, on eyes with hope gleamin' Am C G I see them again, sure, in all my sad dreamin' C G Am G Am Glory o glory o to the Bold Fenian Men	6 6 6
G C Em When I was a young girl, their marching and drilling Am G C Em Awoke in the glenside sounds awesome and thrilling Am C G They loved dear old Ireland, to die they were willing C G Am G Am Glory o glory o to the Bold Fenian Men	
G C Em Some died by the hillside, some died near a stranger Am G C Em And wise men have told us their cause was a failure Am C G But they fought for old Ireland and they never feared danger C G Am G Am Em Am Em Am Glory o glory o to the Bold Fenian Men	AM G O S
G C Em I passed on my way, God be praised that I met her Am G C Em Be life long or short, sure I will never forget her Am C G We may have brave men but we'll never have better C G Am G Am Glory o glory o to the Bold Fenian Men	C Em

Key A

213A

Intro: Am

Am

What will we do with a drunken sailor?

G

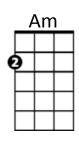
What will we do with a drunken sailor?

Am

What will we do with a drunken sailor?

G Am

Ear-ly in the morning



Stick him in the scuppers with a hosepipe on him

G

Am

Stick him in the scuppers with a hosepipe on him

Am

Stick him in the scuppers with a hosepipe on him

3 Am

Ear-ly in the morning

Chorus:

Am

Way hey and up she rises

G

Way hey and up she rises

Am

Way hey and up she rises

G

Am

Ear-ly in the morning

Am

Shave his belly with a rusty razor

G

Shave his belly with a rusty razor

Am

Shave his belly with a rusty razor

G Am

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)

Am

Put him in the longboat until he's sober

G

Put him in the longboat until he's sober

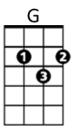
Am

Put him in the longboat until he's sober

G Am

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)



BARITONE

Αm

G

(Chorus)

Am

Heave him by the leg in a running bowline

G

Heave him by the leg in a running bowline

Am

Heave him by the leg in a running bowline

G Am

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)

Am

Put him in the bed with the captain's daughter

G

Put him in the bed with the captain's daughter

Αm

Put him in the bed with the captain's daughter

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)

Am

That's what we do with a drunken sailor

G

That's what we do with a drunken sailor

Am

That's what we do with a drunken sailor ~

i Am

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)

Dm

Key D

Intro: Dm

213D

Dm

What will we do with a drunken sailor?

C

What will we do with a drunken sailor?

Dm

What will we do with a drunken sailor?

C Dm

Ear-ly in the morning

Chorus:

Dm

Way hey and up she rises

C

Way hey and up she rises

Dm

Way hey and up she rises

C Dm

Ear-ly in the morning

Dm

Shave his belly with a rusty razor

C

Shave his belly with a rusty razor

Dm

Shave his belly with a rusty razor

C Dm

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)

Dm

Put him in the longboat until he's sober

С

Put him in the longboat until he's sober

Dm

Put him in the longboat until he's sober

C Dm

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)

Dm

Stick him in the scuppers with a hosepipe on him

C

Stick him in the scuppers with a hosepipe on him

Dm

Stick him in the scuppers with a hosepipe on him

_

Ear-ly in the morning

Dm

(Chorus)

Dm

Heave him by the leg in a running bowline

C

Heave him by the leg in a running bowline

Dm

Heave him by the leg in a running bowline

C Dm

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)

Dm

Put him in the bed with the captain's daughter

C

Put him in the bed with the captain's daughter

Dm

Put him in the bed with the captain's daughter

Dm Dm

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)

Dm

That's what we do with a drunken sailor

C

That's what we do with a drunken sailor

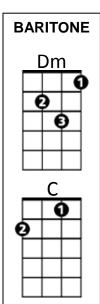
Dm

That's what we do with a drunken sailor ~

; Drr

Ear-ly in the morning

(Chorus)



Drunken Sailor (Traditional, Adapted by G. Millar & W. McDonald)

Drunken Sailor by The Irish Rovers (2012) - Key of Am

Intro (2 measures) Am

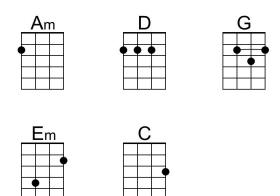
Am D
What will we do with a drunken sailor?
G Em
What will we do with a drunken sailor?
Am D
What will we do with a drunken sailor?
C G Am
Earl-ie in the morning?

Chorus

Am D
Weigh, hey and up she rises
G Em
Weigh, hey and up she rises
Am D
Weigh, hey and up she rises
C G Am
Earl-ie in the morning.

Am D
Shave his belly with a rusty razor,
G Em
Shave his belly with a rusty razor,
Am D
Shave his belly with a rusty razor,
C G Am
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus

Am
Put him in the long boat til he's sober,
GEM
Put him in the long boat til he's sober,
AM
D
Put him in the long boat til he's sober,
CGAM
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus



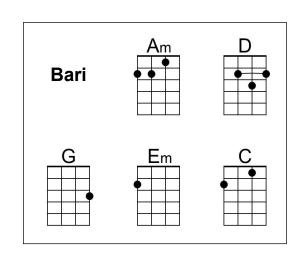
Instrumental Em D Em A D (2x)

Am
Put him in the scuppers with a hose pipe on him,
GEM
Put him in the scuppers with a hose pipe on him,
AM
D
Put him in the scuppers with a hose pipe on him,
CGAM
Earl-ie in the morning.
Chorus

Am D
Put him in the bed with the Captain's daughter,
G Em
Put him in the bed with the Captain's daughter,
Am D
Put him in the bed with the Captain's daughter,
C G Am
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus

Am D
That's what we'll do with a drunken sailor,
G Em
That's what we'll do with a drunken sailor,
Am D
That's what we'll do with a drunken sailor,
C G Am
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus (2x)

Outro Em D Em A D (2x)



Drunken Sailor (Traditional, Adapted by G. Millar & W. McDonald)

Drunken Sailor by The Irish Rovers (2012) - Key of Em

Intro (2 measures) Em

Em A
What will we do with a drunken sailor?
D Bm
What will we do with a drunken sailor?
Em A
What will we do with a drunken sailor?
G D Em

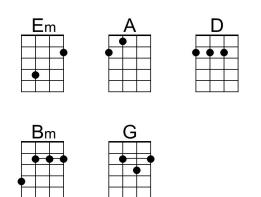
Earl-ie in the morning?

Chorus

Em A
Weigh, hey and up she rises
D Bm
Weigh, hey and up she rises
Em A
Weigh, hey and up she rises
G D Em
Earl-ie in the morning.

Em A
Shave his belly with a rusty razor,
D Bm
Shave his belly with a rusty razor,
Em A
Shave his belly with a rusty razor,
G D Em
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus

Em
Put him in the long boat til he's sober,
D
Bm
Put him in the long boat til he's sober,
Em
A
Put him in the long boat til he's sober,
G
D
Em
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus



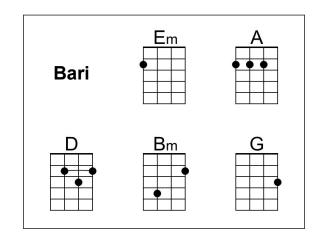
Instrumental Em D Em A D (2x)

Em
Put him in the scuppers with a hose pipe on him,
D
Bm
Put him in the scuppers with a hose pipe on him,
Em
A
Put him in the scuppers with a hose pipe on him,
G
D
Em
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus

Em A
Put him in the bed with the Captain's daughter,
D Bm
Put him in the bed with the Captain's daughter,
Em A
Put him in the bed with the Captain's daughter,
G D Em
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus

Em
That's what we'll do with a drunken sailor,
D
Bm
That's what we'll do with a drunken sailor,
Em
A
That's what we'll do with a drunken sailor,
G
D
Em
Earl-ie in the morning. Chorus (2x)

Outro Em D Em A D (2x)



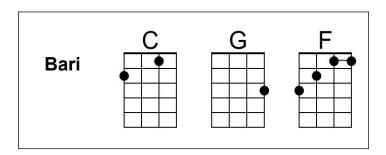
Finnegan's Wake (Traditional. 1864)

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C Am	C Am
Tim Finnegan lived in Walkin Street,	First they brought in tay and cake,
F C	F C C
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A gentle Irishman mighty odd	Then pipes, tobacco and whiskey punch
C Am	C Am
He'd a beautiful brogue so rich and sweet,	Biddy O'Brien began to cry,
F G C	C Am
To rise in the world he carried a hod	"Such a nice clean corpse, did you ever see,
C Am	C Am
You see he'd a sort of a tippler's way	Tim avourneen, why did you die?",
C ' Am	F G C
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With the love for the liquor poor Tim was born	"Arrah hold your gob!" said Paddy McGee
C Am	(Refrain)
To help him on his work each day,	(Ronam)
F G C	C Am
He'd a drop of the craythur every morn	Then Maggie O'Connor took up the job,
The d d drop of the ordythar every morn	_
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Refrain:	"Biddy" says she "you're wrong, I'm sure"
C Am	C Am
Whack fol the dah now dance to yer partner	Biddy gave her a belt in the gob
F G	F G C
Welt the floor yer trotters shake	And left her sprawling on the floor
C Am	C Am
Wasn't it the truth I told you?	Then the war did soon engage,
F G C	C Am
Lots of fun at Finnegan's Wake	T'was woman to woman and man to man
Lots of full at I lillegall's wake	i was woman to woman and man to man
	Λ
	C Am
C Am	C Am Shillelagh law was all the rage
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C Am One morning Tim got rather full, F G	Shillelagh law was all the rage F G C
One morning Tim got rather full, F G	Shillelagh law was all the rage F G C And a row and a ruction soon began
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Flower Of Scotland (Roy Williamson, mid 1960s) Flower Of Scotland by The Corries (in F#) - Key of C

Intro (4 Measures) C	C	
C O flower of Scotland, when will we see y F C G That fought and died for your wee bit hill	C	•
Chorus G C F And stood a-gainst him, proud Edv F C F And sent him homeward, tae think	C C	• • • •
C The hills are bare now, and autumn leav F C G O'er land that is lost now, which those so	C	
C Those days are passed now, and in the F C G But we can still rise now, and be the nation	C	

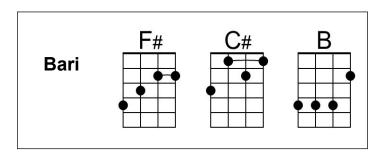
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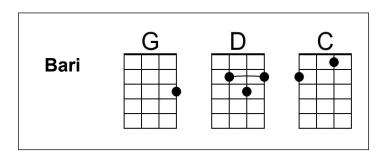
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G Those days are passed now, and in C C G D But we can still rise now, and be the	•	G		

Repeat 1st Verse



Galway Bay (Dr. Arthur Colahan, 1927)

Intro A A7 D A7/

Just to hear again the ripple of the trout stream,
A7
D
The women in the meadow making hay,
D
D
D
G
D
dim
just to sit beside the turf fire in a cabin,
A
A7
D
A7
and watch the barefoot gosoons as they play

For the breezes blowing o'er the sea's from Ireland
A7

Are perfumed by the heather as they blow,
D

And the women in the uplands digging praties
A

A7

Byeak a language that the strangers do not know.

Yet the strangers came and tried to teach us their ways

A7

And they scorned us just for being what we are

D

D7

G

Ddim

But they might as well go chasin' after moonbeams

A

A7

D

A7

Or light a penny candle from a star.

A
And if there's gonna be a life here after,

A
D
And somehow I feel sure there's gonna be,

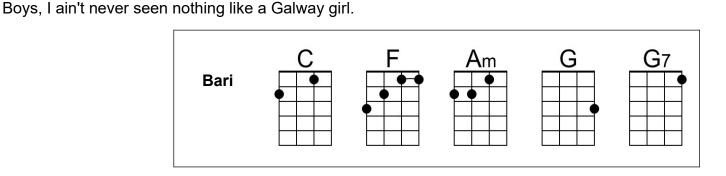
D
G
D
I will ask my God to let me make my Heaven,

A
A7
D
In that dear land across the Irish sea.

D
I will ask my God to let me make my Heaven,
A
A7
D
In my dear land across the Irish sea.

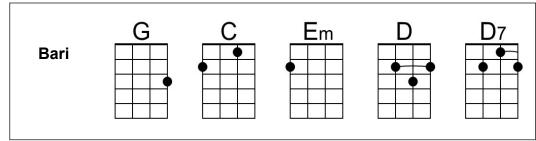
Galway Girl by Steve Earle Well I took a stroll on the old long walk of a day-I-ay- ay I met a little girl and we stopped to talk on a fine, soft day-I-ay And I ask you friend what's a fellah to do Am G Cause her hair was black her eyes were blue And I knew right then I'd taking a whirl Am Round the Salthill prom with the Galway girl Instrumental C F C Am G F C G G7 C C We were half way there when the rain came down, of a day I ay I ay And she asked me up to her flat down-town, of a fine soft day I ay C And I ask you friend what's a fellah to do Cause her hair was black, her eyes were blue So I took her hand and I gave her a twirl Am And I lost my heart to a Galway girl Instrumental C F C Am G F C G G7 C C When I woke up I was all alone (spoken) - of a day I ay Am With a broken heart and a ticket home (**spoken**) - of a fine soft day I ay And I ask you now tell me what would you do Am If her hair was black and her eyes were blue I've travelled around I've been all over this world,

Galway Girl (Steve Earle, 2000) (C)

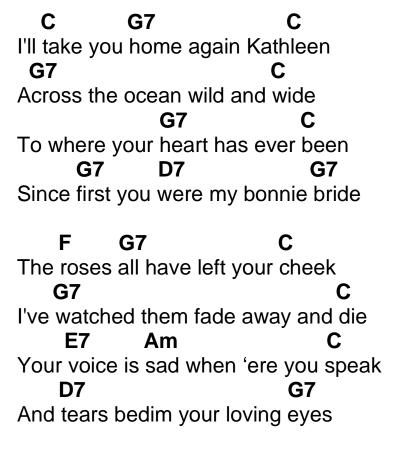


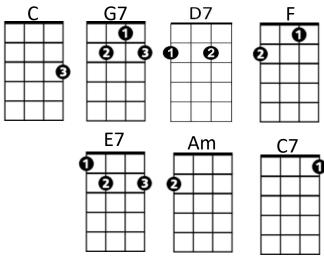
Galway Girl (Steve Earle, 2000) (G)

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Instrumental G C G Em D C	G D D7 G			
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I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen (Thomas P. Westendorf) Key C



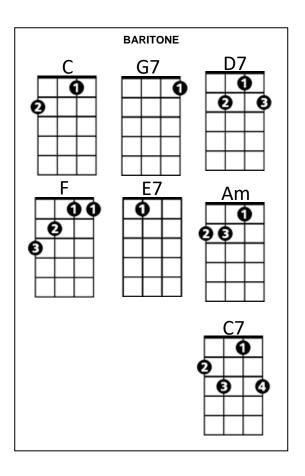


C G7 C
Oh, I will take you back Kathleen
G7 C
To where your heart will feel no pain
C7 F
And when the fields are fresh and green
C G7 C
I'll take you to your home Kathleen

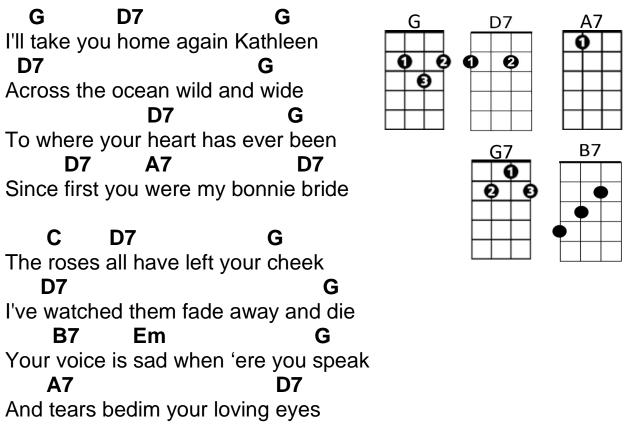
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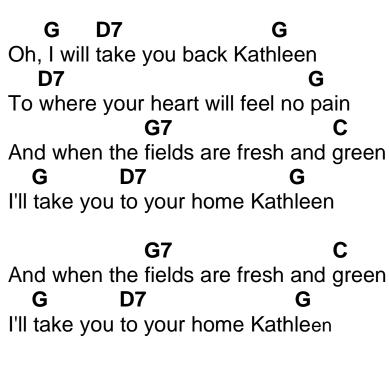
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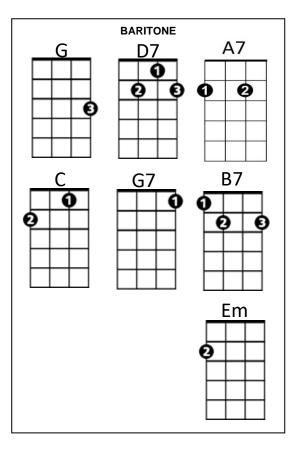
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I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen (Thomas P. Westendorf) Key G







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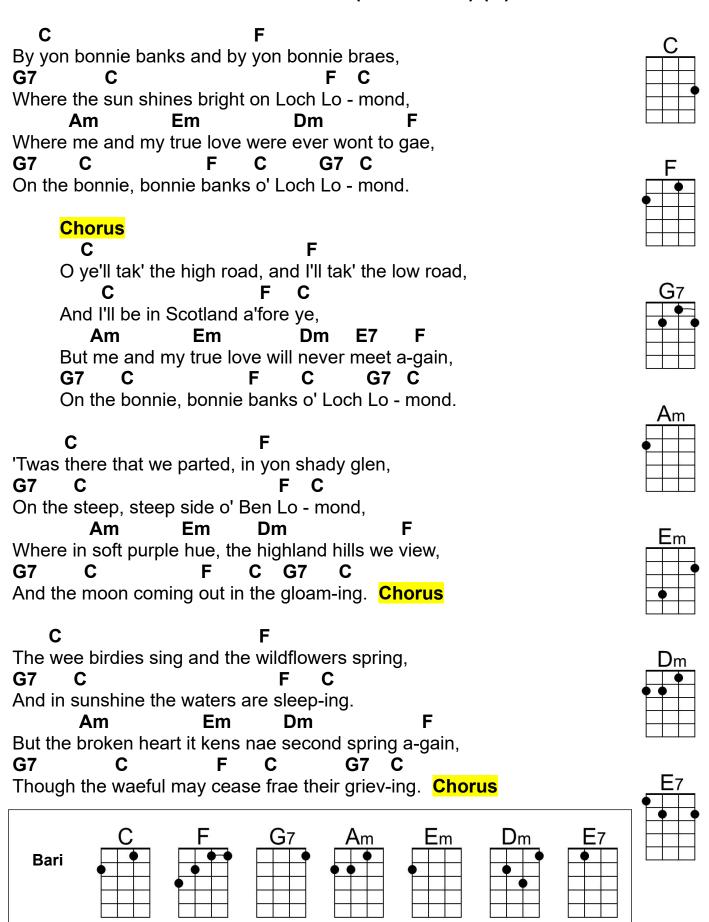
I'll Tell Me Ma (aka "Belle of Belfast City") (D)

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Chorus
     I'll tell me ma when I go home,
    The boys won't leave the girls alone
    They pull my hair, they stole my comb,
     But that's all right 'til I go home
     She is handsome, she is pretty,
     She's the belle of Belfast City,
     She is courtin', a one, two, three
     Please won't you tell me who is she?
Now Albert Mooney says he loves her,
An' all the boys are fighting for her.
Knocking on the door and they're ringing on the bell,
Saying, "Oh my true love, are you well?" Out she comes as white as snow
With rings on her fingers and bells on her toes.
Old Jenny Murphy says she'll die
If she doesn't get the fellow with the roving eye.
                                                    Chorus
Let the wind and the rain and the hail come high,
And the snow come shoveling from the sky.
She's as nice as apple pie, she'll get her own lad by and by!
an' When she gets a lad of her own
She won't tell her ma when she comes home.
Let them all come as they will
It's Albert Mooney she loves still!
                                      Chorus (2x)
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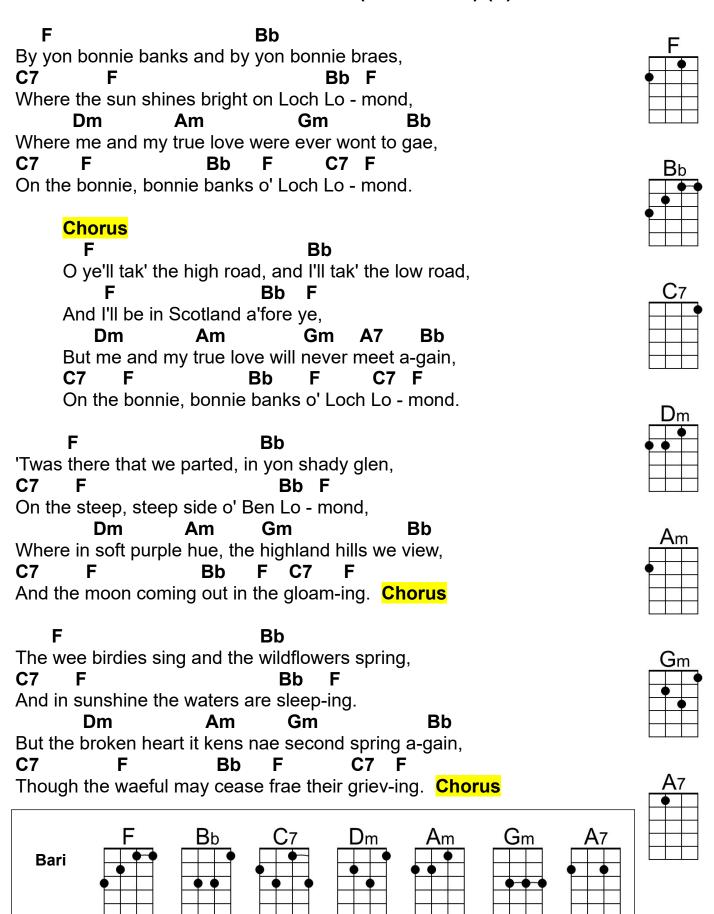
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If she doesn't get the fellow with the roving eye. Chorus
G
Let the wind and the rain and the hail blow high
And the snow come tumbling from the sky, she's as nice as apple pie
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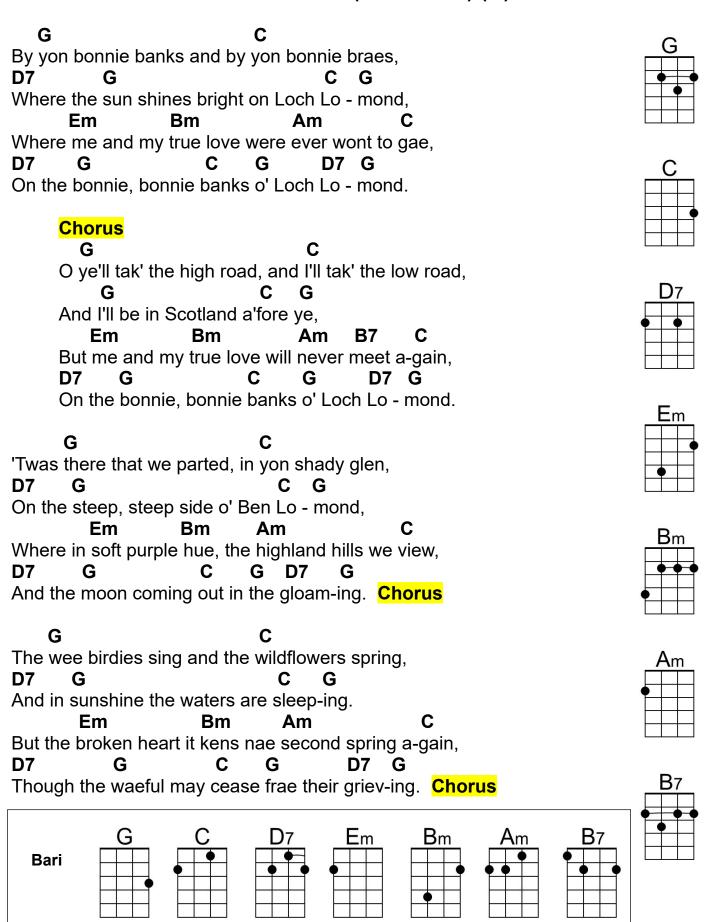
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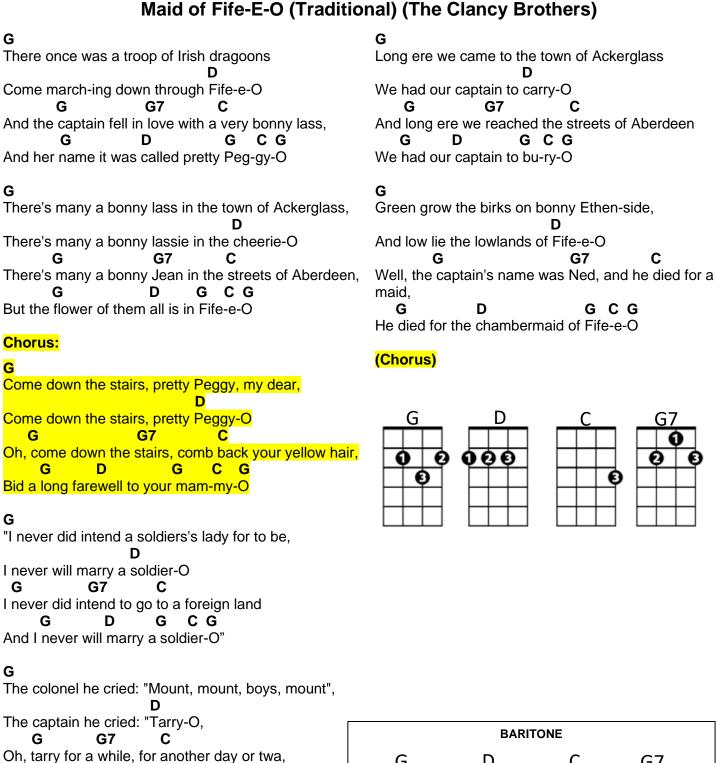


Loch Lomond (Traditional) (F)



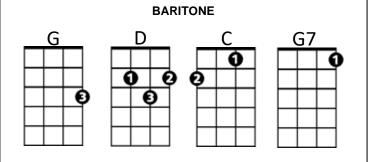
Loch Lomond (Traditional) (G)





(Chorus)

'Til I see if this bonny lass will mar-ry-O"



Mary Mac (Traditional)

Dm

There's a little lass and her name is Mary Mac

Make no mistake, she's the girl I'm gonna track **Dm**

Lots of other fellows, wanna get up on her back **C Dm**

But I'm thinking that they'd have to get up early

Chorus:

Dm

Mary Mac's father's making Mary Mac marry me

My father's making me marry Mary Mac

Well, I'm gonna marry Mary

For my Mary to take care of me

C

We'll all be making merry when I marry Mary Mac

Rumply umpty dumpty dumty dumty ay

Dm

Well, this little lass, she has a lot of class

C

Got a lot of brass

And her father thinks I'm gas

Dm

So I'd be a silly ass

for to let the matter pass

С

My father says she suits me really fairly

(Chorus)

Dm

Mary and her mother go an awful lot together

C

In fact you'd hardly ever see

The one without the other

Dm

And all the people wonder if it's Mary or her mother

Dm

C D

Or the both of them together that I'm courting

(Chorus)

Dm

The Wedding's on a Wednesday

And everything's arranged

C

Soon her name will change to mine

Unless her mind is changed

Dm

We're making the arrangements

And I'm just about deranged

C Dm

For marriage is an awful undertaking

(Chorus)

Dm

Dm

Sure to be a grand affair

And grander than a fair

C

There's goin' to be a coach and pair

For every pair that's there

Dm

We'll dine upon the finest fare,

I'm sure to get me share

C Dm

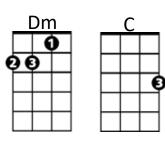
If I don't I'll be very much mistaken

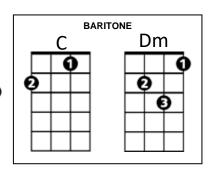
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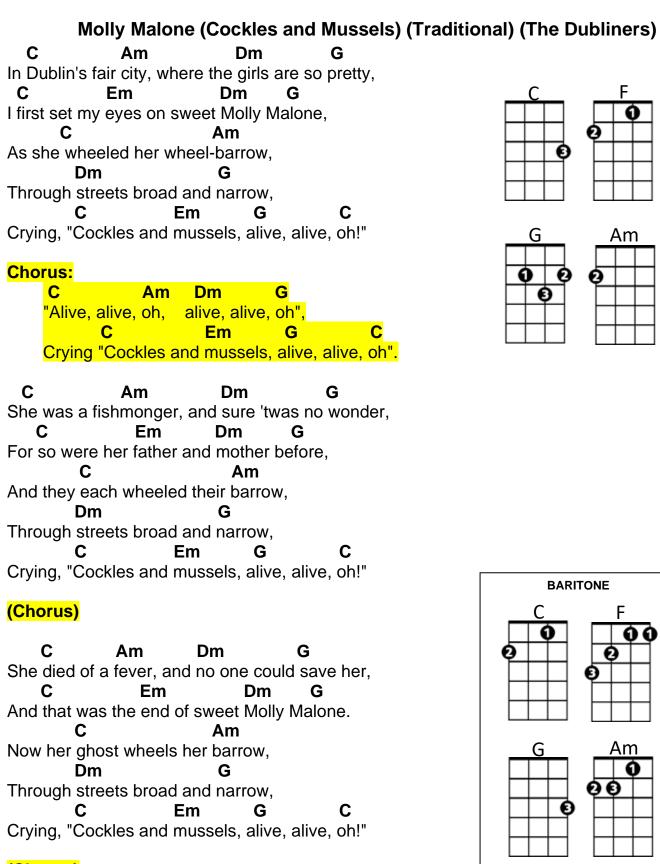




Men of Harlech (Lyrics: John Guard (c. 1800-1857);

Version by the Royal Regiment of Wales' Band)

G C G D G Tongues of fire on Id-ris flaring C Am D News of foe-men near declaring G C G D G C To heroic deeds of da-ring G D G Call you Harlech men!	G C G D G Loud the martial pipes are sounding C Am D Every manly heart is bounding G C G D G C As our trusted chief sur-round-ing G D G March we Harlech men
G C G D G Groans of wounded peasants dy-ing C Am D Wails of wives and children flying G C G D G C For the distant succor crying G D G Call you Harlech men!	G C G D G Short the sleep the foe is taking C Am D Ere the morrow's morn is breaking G C G D G C They shall have a rude a-wake-ning G D G Roused by Harlech men
D Shall the voice of wailing G Now be unavailing	D Mothers cease your weeping G Calm may be your sleeping
You to rise who never yet	You and yours in safety now
In battle's hour were failing C G Am G This our answer crowds down pouring Am D Swift as winter torrents roaring G C G D G C Not in vain the voice im-plor-ing G D G Calls on Harlech men	The Har-lech men are keeping C G Am G Ere the sun is high in heaven Am D They you fear, by panic riven G C G D G C Shall like frightened sheep be dri-ven G D G Far by Harlech men
C F G Am	<u> </u>
<u>Dm</u>	BARITONE C F G D M A M O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O



(Chorus)

C Em G C
Crying, "Cockles and mussels, alive, alive, oh!"

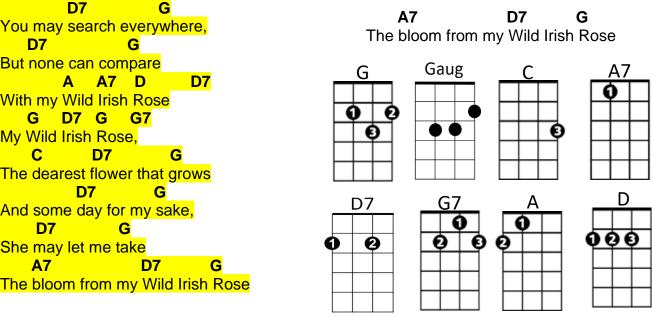
My Wild Irish Rose (Chauncey Olcott) (1899)

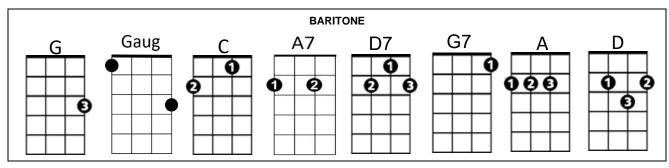
Intro: G Gaug C G A7 D7 G D7

The sweetest flower that grows

G Gaug C G Gaug If you listen I'll sing you a sweet little song They may sing of their roses, Α7 Of a flower that's now drooped and dead Which by other names Gaug **D7** Would smell just as sweetly, they say Yet dearer to me, yes than all of its mates Gaug **D7** Though each holds aloft its proud head But I know that my Rose would never consent **D7** Twas given to me by a girl that I know To have that sweet name taken away **D7 A7** G Since we've met, faith, I've known no repose Her glances are shy when-e'er I pass by Gaug **A7** C She is dearer by far than the world's brightest star The bower where my true love grows **D7** G CG Gaug And I call her my Wild Irish Rose And my one wish has been C **Chorus:** That someday I may win G G D7 G The heart of my Wild Irish Rose My Wild Irish Rose, **D7**

(CHORUS)





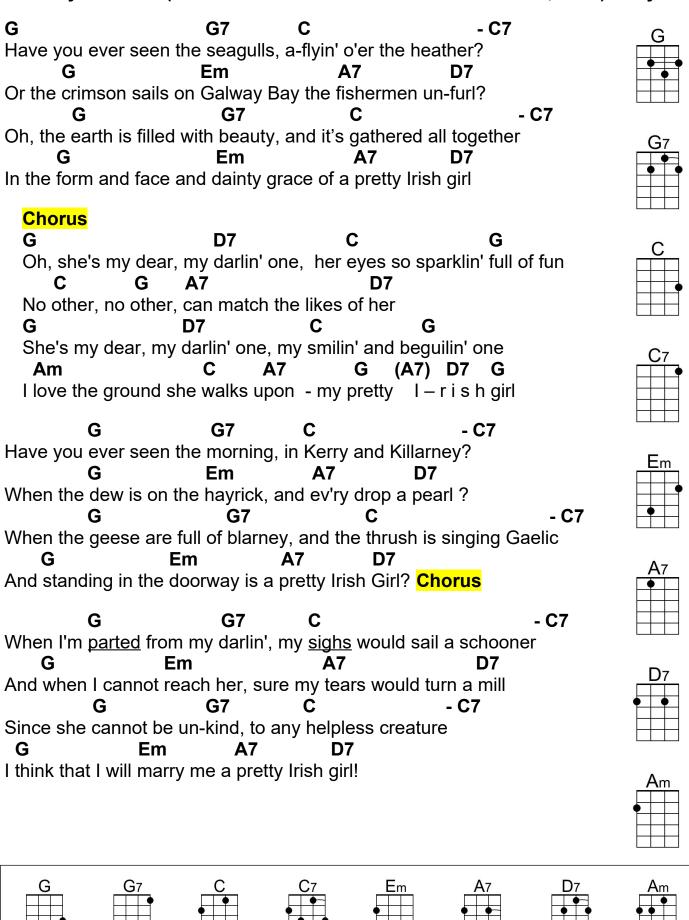
Nancy Mulligan (Ed Sheeran) Key G

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Em C G C	D Em	
Twenty-two grand kids now growing old in that house Em C D	Em	6
On the summer day when I proposed, I made that we		90
Em C G C	D Em	
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		D
Chorus:		
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G C G C D	Em —	\square
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	<mark>G</mark>	G
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Well I met her at Guy's in the Second World War and	she was working on a soldier's ward	
Em C G C D	Em	TONE
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Em C D	Em Em	C
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Nancy Mulligan (Ed Sheeran) Key C

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She was Nancy Mul-ligan, and I was William She-e		
C F C F	G Am	0 0
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Pretty Irish Girl (Lawrence Edward Watkin & Oliver Wallace, 1959) - Key G

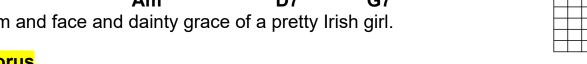


Pretty Irish Girl (Lawrence Edward Watkin & Oliver Wallace, 1959) - Key C **C7** - F7 Have you ever seen the seagulls, a-flyin' o'er the heather?

Am **D7** Or the crimson sails on Galway Bay the fishermen un-furl? - F7

Oh, the earth is filled with beauty, and it's gathered all together

In the form and face and dainty grace of a pretty Irish girl.



Chorus

G7 F Oh, she's my dear, my darlin' one, her eves so sparklin' full of fun **D7** No other, no other, can match the likes of her

G7 She's my dear, my darlin' one, my smilin' and beguilin' one

(D7) G7 C **D7** C I love the ground she walks upon - my pretty I - rish girl



When the dew is on the hayrick, and ev'ry drop a pearl?

- F7

When the geese are full of blarney, and the thrush is singing Gaelic

And standing in the doorway is a pretty Irish Girl. **Chorus**

- F7 **C7**

When I'm parted from my darlin', my sighs would sail a schooner Am **D7**

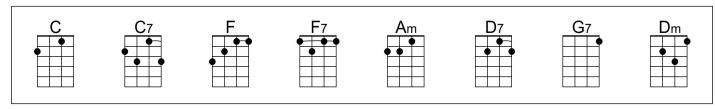
And when I cannot reach her, sure my tears would turn a mill

Since she cannot be un-kind, to any helpless creature **D7**

I think that I will marry me a pretty Irish girl! **Chorus**

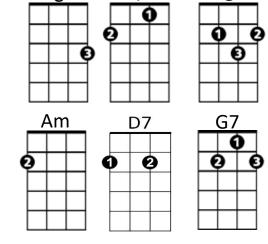






Scotland the Brave (Cliff Hanley, 1950. Arr. Marion McClurg)

C
Hark when the night is falling, Hear! Hear! The pipes are calling,
F C G
Loudly and proudly calling, down thro' the glen.
C
There where the hills are sleeping, now feel the blood a-leaping,
F C G C
High as the spirits of the old Highland men.



G

Chorus:

C
Towering in gallant fame, Scotland my mountain hame,
Am D7 G G7
High may your proud standards gloriously wa ve!
C
Land of my high endeavour, land of the shining river,
F C G C
Land of my heart for ever, Scotland the Brave.

C
High in the misty Highlands out by the purple islands,
FCGGG7
Brave are the hearts that beat beneath Scottish skies.
C
Wild are the winds to meet you, staunch are the friends that greet you,
FCGGC
Kind as the love that shines from fair maidens' eyes.

(Chorus)

C
Far off in sunlit places, sad are the Scottish faces,

F C G

Yearning to feel the kiss of sweet Scottish rain.

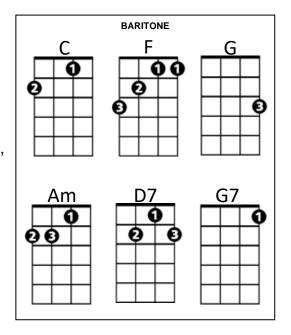
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Where are the tropics beaming, love sets the heart a-dreaming,

F C G C

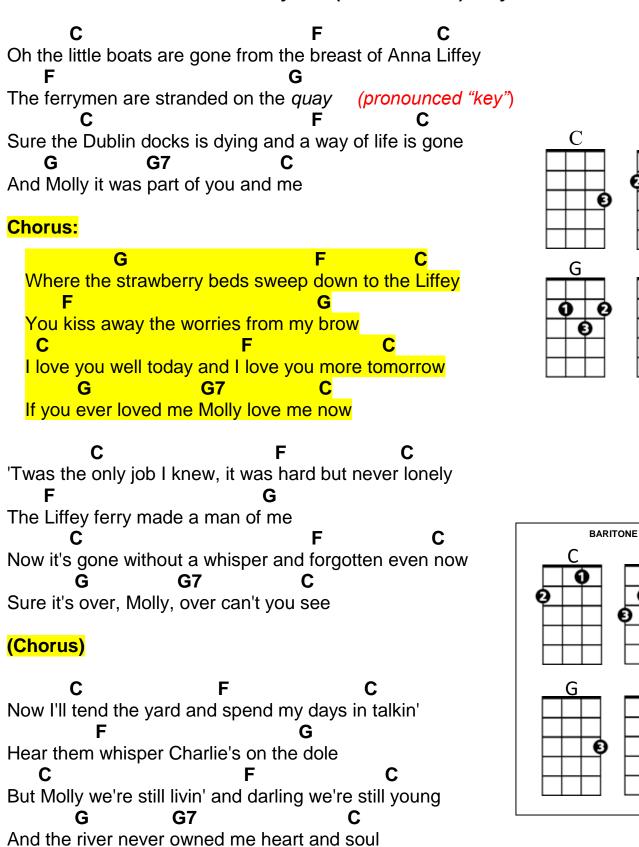
Longing and dreaming for the hameland again.



E Land of my heart for ever, Scotland the Brave!



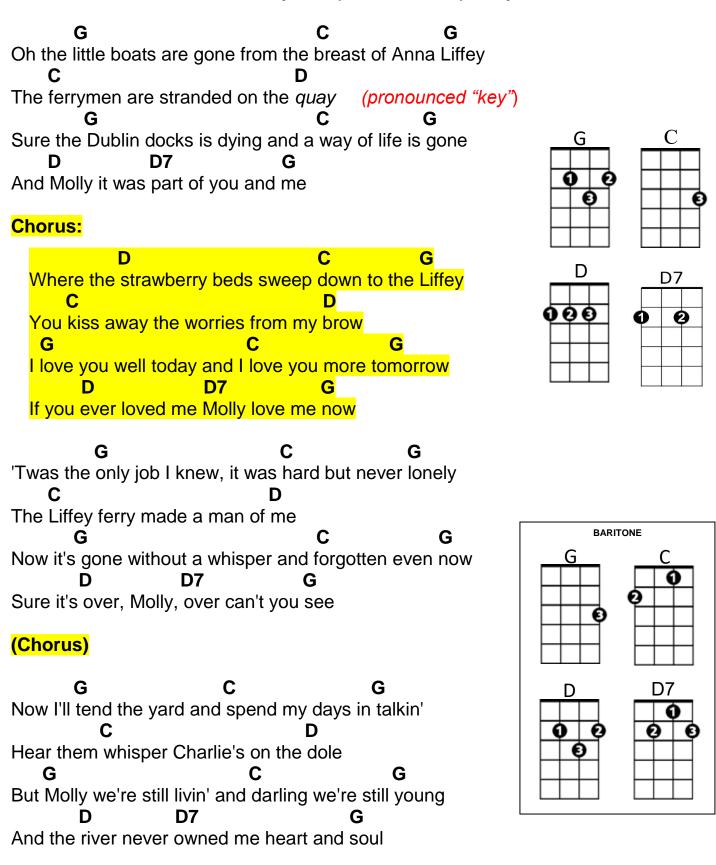
The Ferryman (Pete St. John) Key C



G7

(Chorus)

The Ferryman (Pete St. John) Key G

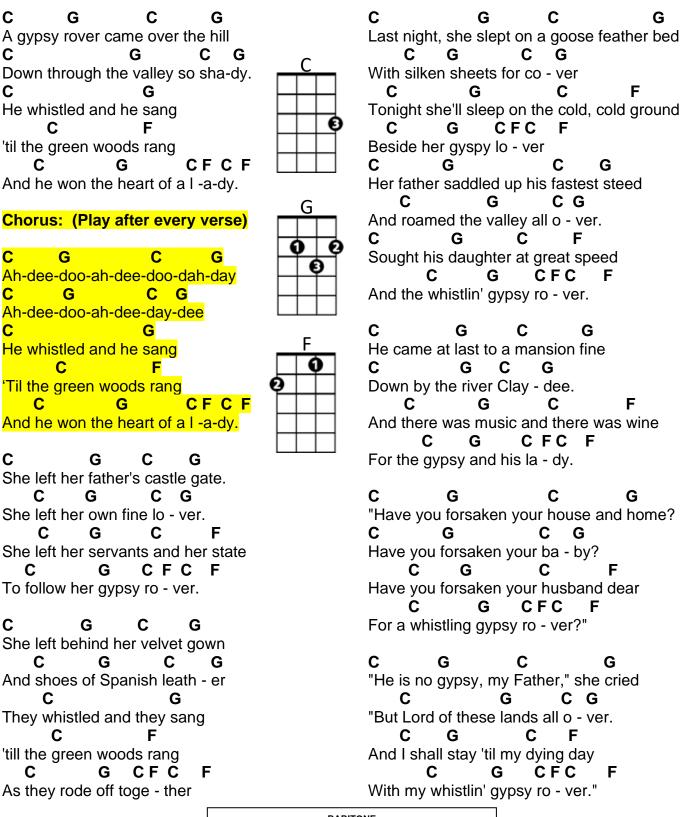


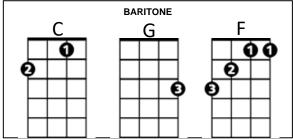
(Chorus)

Green Fields of France (John McDermott / Bobby Edwards / Eric Bogle)

G Em C Am Well how do you do young Willie McBride,	G Em C The sun's shining down on these green fields of
D D7 C G Do you mind if I sit here down by your graveside,	Am France,
And rest for a while in the warm summer sun, D D7 C G	D D7 C The warm wind blows gently and the red poppies G
I've been walking all day and I'm nearly done. G Em C Am	dance, Em C Am
I see by your gravestone you were only 19, D C G D7 When you isined the great fallen in 1916	The trenches have vanished long under the plow D D7 C G
When you joined the great fallen in 1916, G Em Am Well I hope you died quick and I hope you died	No gas, no barbed wire, no guns firing now. G Em C Am But here in this graveyard it's still "No Man's
clean, D D7 C G	Land", D C G D7
Or Willie McBride was it slow and obscene.	The countless white crosses in mute witness stand,
Chorus: G D D7	G Em Am To man's blind indifference to his fellow man,
Did they beat the drum slowly, C G	D D7 C And a whole generation that were butchered and G
Did they play the fife lowly, D D7	damned.
Did they sound the death march, C D	(Chorus) G Em C Am
As they lowered you down, Am G Em Did the band play the Last Post and Chorus,	And I can't help but wonder, oh Willie McBride D D7 C G Do all those who lie here know why they died,
G C D7 G Did the pipes play the Flowers of the Fo - rest.	Em C Did you really believe them when they told you
G Em C Am And did you leave a wife or a sweetheart behind,	Am the cause
D D7 C G In some loyal heart is your memory enshrined,	D D7 C Did you really believe that this war would end G
And though you died back in 1916,	wars. G Em C
D D7 C G To that loyal heart you're forever 19. G Em C Am	Well, the suffering, the sorrow, the glory, the Am
Or are you a stranger without even a name, D C G D7	shame D C G D7 The billion and dring it was all dama in valid
Forever enshrined behind some old glass pane, G Em Am	The killing and dying it was all done in vain, G Em Am Oh Willie McBride it all happened again,
In an old photograph all torn tattered and stained, D D7 C G And foded to vollow in a brown leather frame	D D7 C G And again, and again, and again, and again.
And faded to yellow in a brown leather frame. (Chorus)	(Chorus) 2x

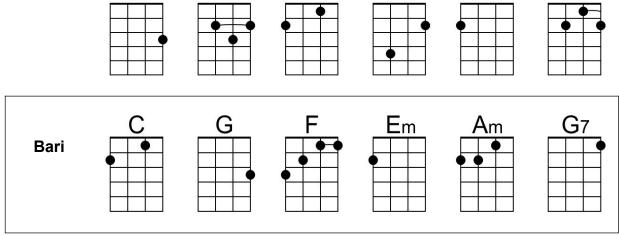
The Gypsy Rover (Traditional) (The Clancy Brothers)



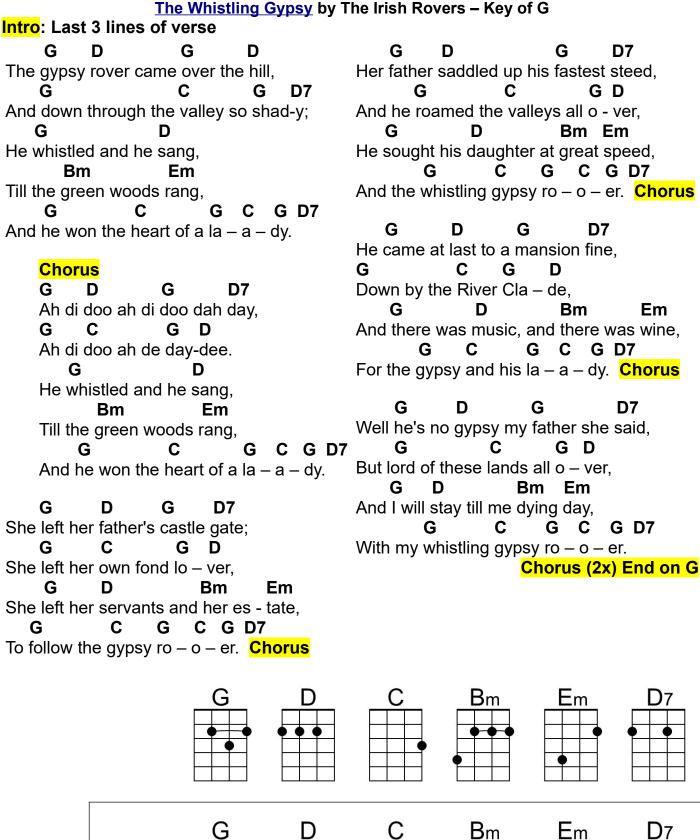


The Whistling Gypsy (Leo Maguire, ca. 1952, Arr. By G. Millar & W. McDowell) The Whistling Gypsy by The Irish Rovers – Key of C





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The Leprechaun (Robert Dwyer Joyce (1830-1883) circa 1853)

Intro: drone like: Down strum Dm ////	Dm 1
Dm Am Dm In a shady nook one moonlit night, a leprechaun I spied Am C Dm	96
In a scarlet cap and coat of green, a <i>cruiskeen*</i> by his side (* <i>croosh-kin</i>) C Dm	Am
'Twas tick, tack, tick, his hammer went, upon a weeny shoe, C Dm Am	9
Oh, I laughed to think of his purse of gold, Dm Am7 Dm	
But the fairy was laughing too! Am Dm Am7 Dm	C
The fairy was laughin', laughin, the fairy was laughin' too!	
Dm Am Dm With tip-toe step and beating heart, quite softly I drew nigh	
There was mischief in his merry face, a twinkle in his eye; Dm C Dm	Am7
He hammered and sang with a tiny voice, and drank his mountain dew; C Dm Am	
Oh, I laughed to think he was caught at last, Dm Am7 Dm But the fairy was laughing too!	
Am Dm Am7 Dm	BARITONE
The fairy was laughin', laughin, the fairy was laughin' too!	Am
Am Dm As quick as thought I seized the elf, "Your fairy purse," I cried, Dm Am C Dm "The purse?" said he, "tis in her hand, that lady by your side." Dm Am C Dm	9 9
I turned to look, the elf was off, and what was I to do? Dm C Dm Am	Am7
Oh! I laughed to think what a fool I'd been, Dm Am7 Dm	98
But the fairy was laughing too!	
The fairy was laughin', laughin, the fairy was laughin' too!	

The Orange and the Green (Anthony Murphy, ca. 1965)

Chorus:

C

Am

Oh, it is the biggest mixup

G

That you have ever seen

F

C

Me father was an Orangemen,

G

C

Me mother she was green.

C

Am

Oh, me father was an Ulsterman,

G

Proud Protestant was he

F

C

Me mother was a Catholic girl

G

C

From County Cork was she.

Am

They were married in two churches

G

And lived happily enough

F

;

Until the day that I was born

G

C

And things got rather tough.

(Chorus)

Baptized by father Reilly
I was rushed away by car
To be made a little Orangeman,
Me father's shining star.
I was christened David Anthony
But still in spite of that
To me father I was Billy
While me mother called me Pat.

(Chorus)

With mother every Sunday To Mass I'd proudly stroll And after that the orange Lord Would try to save me soul. And both sides tried to claim me, But I was smart because I'd play the flute, I'd play the harp Depending were I was

(Chorus)

And when I'd sing those rebel songs
Much to me mother's joy
Me father would jump up and say
"Look here, now Bill me boy!
That's quite enough of that lot.",
He'd toss me o'er a coin
He'd have me sing The Orange Flute
Or the Heroes of The Boyne.

(Chorus)

One day me Ma's relations
Came round to visit me.
Just as my father's kinfolk were
Sitting down to tea.
We tried to smooth things over,
But they all began to fight.
And me, being strictly neutral,
I kicked everyone in sight.

(Chorus)

My parents never could agree About my type of school. My learning was all done at home, That's why I'm such a fool. They've both passed on, God rest 'em, But I was left between That awful color problem Of the Orange and the Green.

(Chorus)

The Spanish Lady (Traditional) – Version 1 – Key C

C Am

As I came down through Dublin City

Dm G7

At the hour of twelve at night

C Am

Who should I spy but a Spanish lady

Dm G7

Washing her feet by the candlelight

C Am

First she washed them, then she dried them

C G

Over a fire of amber coal

C Am

In all me life I ne'er did see

Dm G7

A maid so sweet about the soul

Chorus

C Am

Whack for the toora loora laddie

Dm G7

Whack for the toora loora lay

C Am

Whack for the toora loora laddie

Dm G7

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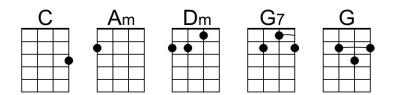
As I came back through Dublin City
At the hour of half past eight
Who should I spy but the Spanish lady
Brushing her hair in the broad daylight
First she brushed it, then she tossed it
On her lap was a silver comb
In all me life I ne'er did see
A maid so fair since I did roam (Chorus)

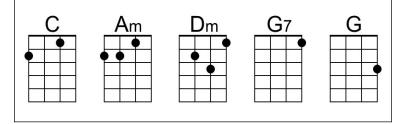
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As the sun began to set
Who should I spy but a Spanish lady
Catching a moth, in a golden net
First she saw me, then she fled me
Lifted her petticoats o'er her knee
In all me life I ne'er did see
A maid so fair as the Spanish lady
(Chorus)

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As I went out through Dublin City
As the hour of dawn was 'oer
Who should I see but the Spanish lady
I was lonely and footsore
First she coaxed me, then she chid me
Then she laughed at my sad plight
In all me time I ne'er did see
A maid so sweet as on that night
(Chorus)

I've wandered north and I have wandered south Through Stoney Barter and Patrick's close Up and around, by the Gloucester Diamond And back by Napper Tandys' house Auld age has laid her hands on me Cold as a fire of ashy coals But there is the love of me Spanish lady Neat and sweet about the soul (Chorus) 2x





The Spanish Lady (Traditional) – Version 1 – Key G

G Em

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Am D7

At the hour of twelve at night

G Em

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Am D7

Washing her feet by the candlelight

G Em

First she washed them, then she dried them

G D

Over a fire of amber coal

G Em

In all me life I ne'er did see

Am D7

A maid so sweet about the soul

Chorus

G Em

Whack for the toora loora laddie

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Whack for the toora loora lay

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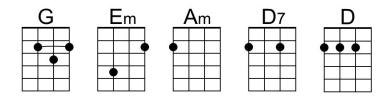
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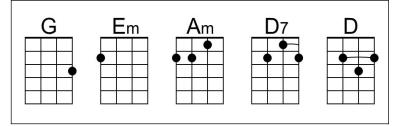
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The Spanish Lady (Traditional) – Version 2 – Key C

C Am	C Am
As I came down thru Dublin city	I stopped to look but the Watchman passed
Dm G7 At the hour of twelve at night	Dm G7 He said "Young fellah, now the night is late
C Am	C Am
Who should I see but a Spanish Lady,	Along with ye home or I will wrestle you
Dm G7	Dm G7
Washing her feet by candlelight	Straight back through the Bridewell gate"
C Am First she washed them, then she dried them	C Am I threw a kiss to the Spanish lady
C G	C G
Over a fire of amber coals	Hot as a fire of angry coal
C Am	C Am
In all my life I ne'er did see	In all my life I ne'er did see
Dm G7 A maid so sweet about the soul	Dm G7 A maid so sweet about the soul
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Chorus:	C Am
C Am Wheek for the teers leady	As I came back thru Dublin city Dm G7
Whack for the toora loora laddy Dm G7	Dm G7 As the sun began to set
Whack for the toora loora lay	C Am
C Am	Who should I see but the Spanish lady
Whack for the toora loora laddy	Dm G7
Dm G7 Whack for the toora loora lay	Catching a moth in a golden net C Am
Wildek for the toola loofa lay	When she saw me, then she fled me
C Am	C G
As I came back thru Dublin city	Lifting her petticoat over her knee
Dm G7	C Am
At the hour of half past eight C Am	In all my life I ne'er did see Dm G7
Who should I see but the Spanish lady	A maid so shy as the Spanish Lady
Dm G7	(<mark>Chorus</mark>)
Brushing her hair outside the gate	
C Am	C Am
First she tossed it, then she combed it, C G	I've wandered north and south through Dm G7
On her lap was a silver comb	Stoneybatter and Patrick's Close
C Am	C Am
In all my life I ne'er did see	Up and around by the Gloucester Diamond
Dm G7 A maid so fair since I did roam	Dm G7 And back by Napper Tandy's house
(Chorus)	C Am
	Old age has laid her hand on me
	C G
	Cold as a fire of ashy coals
	C Am In all my life I ne'er did see
	Dm G7
	A maid so sweet as the Spanish Lady

The Spanish Lady (Traditional) – Version 2 – Key G

G Em As I came down thru Dublin city Am D7 At the hour of twelve at night G Em Who should I see but a Spanish Lady, Am D7 Washing her feet by candlelight	G Em I stopped to look but the Watchman passed Am D7 He said "Young fellah, now the night is late G Em Along with ye home or I will wrestle you Am D7 Straight back through the Bridewell gate"
G Em First she washed them, then she dried them G D Over a fire of amber coals G Em In all my life I ne'er did see	G Em I threw a kiss to the Spanish lady G D Hot as a fire of angry coal G Em In all my life I ne'er did see
Am D7 A maid so sweet about the soul	Am D7 A maid so sweet about the soul
Chorus G Em Whack for the toora loora laddy Am D7 Whack for the toora loora lay G Em Whack for the toora loora laddy Am D7 Whack for the toora loora laddy Am D7 Whack for the toora loora lay G Em As I came back thru Dublin city Am D7 At the hour of half past eight G Em Who should I see but the Spanish lady Am D7 Brushing her hair outside the gate G Em First she tossed it, then she combed it, G D On her lap was a silver comb G Em In all my life I ne'er did see Am D7 A maid so fair since I did roam (Chorus)	As I came back thru Dublin city Am D7 As the sun began to set G Em Who should I see but the Spanish lady Am D7 Catching a moth in a golden net G Em When she saw me, then she fled me G D Lifting her petticoat over her knee G Em In all my life I ne'er did see Am D7 A maid so shy as the Spanish Lady (Chorus) G Em I've wandered north and south through Am D7 Stoneybatter and Patrick's Close G Em Up and around by the Gloucester Diamond Am D7 And back by Napper Tandy's house G Em Old age has laid her hand on me G D Cold as a fire of ashy coals G Em In all my life I ne'er did see Am D7

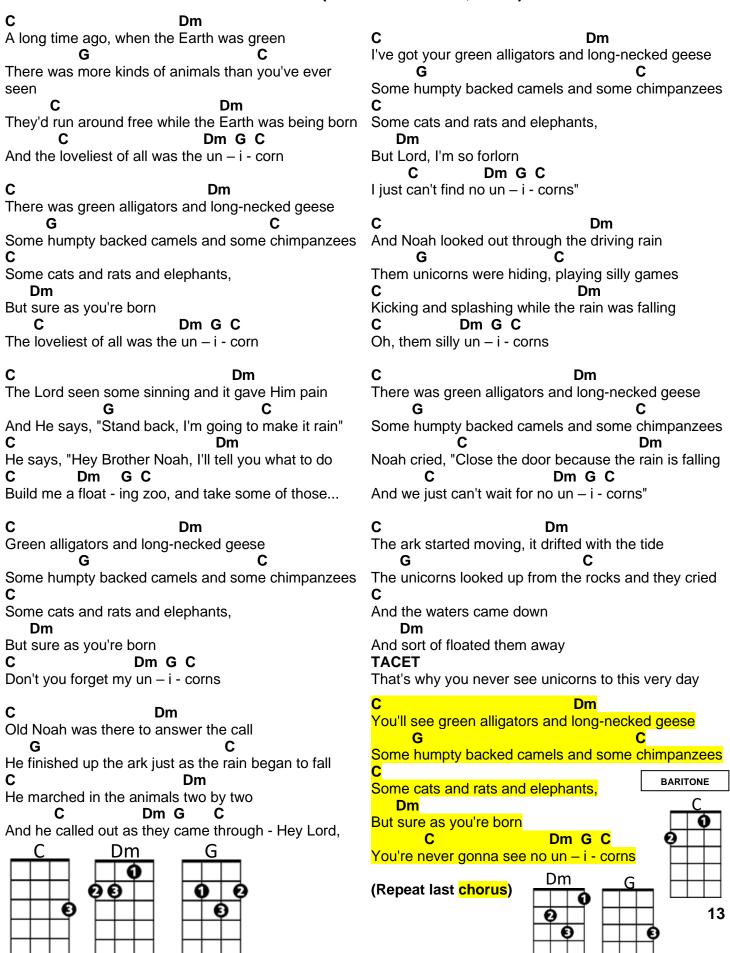
The Spanish Lady (Traditional) – Version 3 – Key C

C Am	C Am
As I came down thru Dublin city	As I came back thru Dublin city
Dm G7	Dm G7
At the hour of twelve at night	As the sun began to set
C Am	C Am
Who should I see but a Spanish Lady,	Who should I see but the Spanish lady
Dm G7	Dm G7
Washing her feet by candlelight	Catching a moth in a golden net
C Am	C Am
First she washed them, then she dried the	
C G	C G
Over a fire of amber coals	Lifting her petticoat over her knee
C Am	C Am
In all my life I ne'er did see	In all my life I ne'er did see
Dm G7 A maid so sweet about the soul	Dm G7
A maid so sweet about the soul	A maid so shy as the Spanish Lady (<mark>Chorus</mark>)
Chorus	(Chords)
C Am	C Am
Whack for the toora loora laddy	I've wandered north and south through
Dm G7	Dm G7
Whack for the toora loora lay	Stoneybatter and Patrick's Close
C Am	C Am
Whack for the toora loora laddy	Up and around by the Gloucester Diamond
Dm G7	Dm G7
Whack for the toora loora lay	And back by Napper Tandy's house
	C Am
C Am	Old age has laid her hand on me
As I came back thru Dublin city	C G
Dm G7	Cold as a fire of ashy coals
At the hour of half past eight	C Am
C Am	In all my life I ne'er did see
Who should I see but the Spanish lady Dm G7	Dm G7
Brushing her hair in broad daylight	A maid so sweet as the Spanish Lady
C Am	
First she tossed it, then she combed it,	
C G	
On her lap was a silver comb	
C Am	
In all my life I ne'er did see	
Dm G7	
A maid so fair since I did roam	
(<mark>Chorus</mark>)	

The Spanish Lady (Traditional) – Version 3 – Key G

G Em	G Em
As I came down thru Dublin city	As I came back thru Dublin city
Am D7	Am D7
At the hour of twelve at night	As the sun began to set
G Em	G Em
Who should I see but a Spanish Lady,	Who should I see but the Spanish lady
Am D7	Am D7
Washing her feet by candlelight	Catching a moth in a golden net
G Em	G Em
First she washed them, then she dried them	When she saw me, then she fled me
G D	G D
Over a fire of amber coals	Lifting her petticoat over her knee
G Em	G Em
In all my life I ne'er did see	In all my life I ne'er did see
Am D7	Am D7
A maid so sweet about the soul	A maid so shy as the Spanish Lady
Chorus	(Chorus)
G Em	G Em
Whack for the toora loora laddy	I've wandered north and south through
Am D7	Am D7
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Am D7	Am D7
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•	G Em
G Em	Old age has laid her hand on me
As I came back thru Dublin city	G D
Am D7	Cold as a fire of ashy coals
At the hour of half past eight	G Em
G Em	In all my life I ne'er did see
Who should I see but the Spanish lady	Am D7
Am D7	A maid so sweet as the Spanish Lady
Brushing her hair in broad daylight	
G Em	
First she tossed it, then she combed it,	
G D	
On her lap was a silver comb G Em	
In all my life I ne'er did see	
Am D7	
A maid so fair since I did roam	
(Chorus)	

The Unicorn (Shel Silverstein, 1962)



The Wild Colonial Boy (Traditional)

C G7 **G7** There was a wild colonial boy, Surrender now, Jack Dug-gan, Jack Duggan was his name For you see we're three to one. He was born and raised in Ireland, Surrender in the Queen's high name, You are a plundering son In a place called Castlemaine He was his father's only son, Jack drew two pistols from his belt, His mother's pride and joy He proudly waved them high. And dearly did his parents love "I'll fight, but not surrender," The wild colonial boy Said the wild colonial boy C **G7** C F **G7** At the early age of sixteen years, He fired a shot at Kel-ly, He left his native home Which brought him to the ground And to Australia's sunny shore, And turning round to Da - vis, **G7** He was inclined to roam He received a fatal wound He robbed the rich, he helped the poor, A bullet pierced his proud young heart, G7 **G7** He shot James MacEvoy From the pistol of Fitzroy A terror to Australia was the wild colonial boy And that was how they captured him, **G7** C G7 The wild colonial boy One morning on the pra - irie, G As Jack he rode along A-listening to the mocking bird, A-singing a cheerful song Up stepped a band of troopers: BARITONE G7 Kelly, Davis and Fitzroy They all set out to capture him, The wild colonial boy

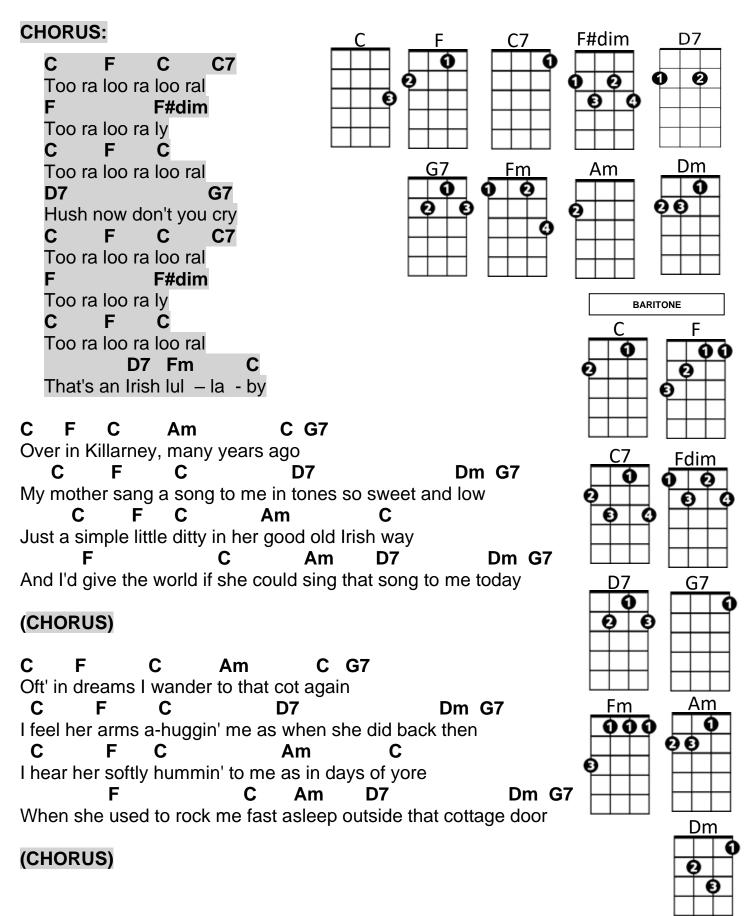
The Wild Rover (Traditional) (The Dubliners) **Chorus:** And it's no, nay, never, (THREE CLAPS) No nay never no more, (TWO CLAPS) Will I play the wild rover (ONE CLAP) No never no more. C I've been a wild rover for many a year And I spent all my money on whiskey and beer, And now I'm returning with gold in great store (Chorus) And I never will play the wild rover no more. I went to an ale-house I used to frequent And I told the landlady my money was spent. I asked her for credit, she answered me "Nay Such a custom as yours I could have any day." (Chorus) **BARITONE** G C I took from my pocket ten sovereigns bright And the landlady's eyes opened wide with delight. She said "I have whiskey and wines of the best And the words that I spoke sure were only in jest." (Chorus) C I'll go home to my parents, confess what I've done

And I'll ask them to pardon their prodigal son.

Sure I never will play the wild rover no more. (Chorus) 2x

And if they forgive me as oft times before

Toora Looral (Irish Lullaby) (James Royce Shannon)



When Irish Eyes Are Smiling (Chauncey Olcott, George Graff Jr., Ernest Ball, 1912) There's a tear in your eye, and I'm wondering why G7 C For your smile is a part, of the love in your heart For it never should be there at all And it makes even sunshine more bright G7 With such power in your smile **G7** Like the linnet's sweet song Sure a stone you'd bequile Crooning all the day long So there's never a teardrop should fall **D7** Comes your laughter and light When your sweet lilting laughter's like some fairy song For the springtime of life, is the sweetest of all **G7** And your eyes twinkle bright as can be And there is ne'er a real care or regret You should laugh all the while and all other times G7 **BARITONE** And while springtime is ours smile **D7** And now smile a smile for me Throughout all of youth's hours **Chorus:** Let us smile each chance we get [Chorus] When Irish eyes are smiling, **A7** A7 Sure tis like a morn in spring When Irish eyes are smiling, G7 In the lilt of Irish laughter Ø Sure 'tis like a morn in spring **D7** In the lilt of Irish laughter You can hear the angels sing **E7** When Irish hearts are happy You can hear the angels sing **D7 D7** When Irish hearts are happy All the world seems bright and gay And when Irish eyes are smil-ing All the world seems bright and gay **D7** G7 Sure they steal your heart away And when Irish eyes are smil-ing Α7 **E7** D7 G Sure they steal your heart away Ø

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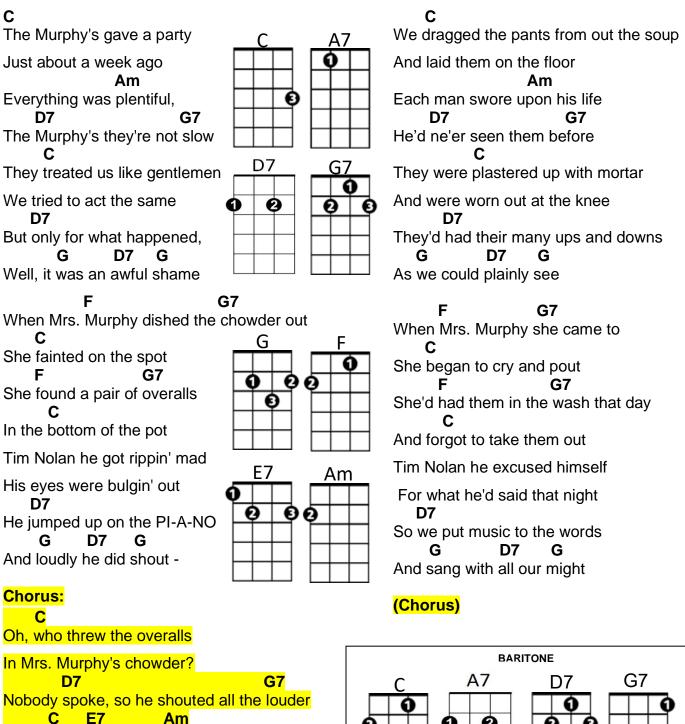
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Whiskey in the Jar (Traditional) (The Dubliners)

C Am As I was goin' over the far famed Kerry Mountains, F C I met with Captain Farrel and his money he was countin' C Am I first produced me pistol and then produced me rapier, F C Sayin' "Stand and deliver, for he were the bold deceiver!"	C Am 'twas early in the morning, just before I rose to travel F C Up comes a band of footmen and likewise Captain Farrell C Am I first produced me pistol for she stole away me rapiel F C I couldn't shoot the water, so a prisoner I was taken
Chorus:	(Chorus)
G Musha ring ruma du ruma da C Whack fol the daddy O, F Whack fol the daddy O, C C C C C There's whiskey in the jar.	C Am Now there's some take delight in the carriages a- rolling F C And others take delight in the hurling and the bowling C Am But I take delight in the juice of the barley F C And courting pretty fair maids in the morning bright
C Am	and early
I counted out his money and it made a pretty penny F C	(Chorus)
I put it in me pocket and I took it home to Jenny C Am She sighed and she swore that she never would deceive me F C But the devil take the women for they never can be easy	C Am If anyone can aid me 't'is me brother in the army F C If I can find his station in Cork or in Killarney C Am And if he'll go with me, we'll go rovin' through Killkenny
(Chorus)	F C And I'm sure he'll treat me better than me own a-
C Am I went up to me chamber, all for to take a slumber F C I dreamt of gold and jewels and for sure it was no wonder C Am But Jenny drew me charges and she filled them up with water F C Then sent for Captain Farrell to be ready for the slaughter (Chorus)	(Chorus) 2x G BARITONE F G Am BARITONE Am BARITONE

Who Threw the Overalls in Mrs. Murphy's Chowder? (George L. Giefer / Mat Ray) Key C

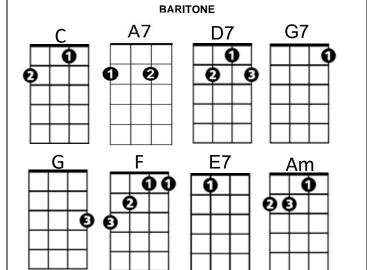


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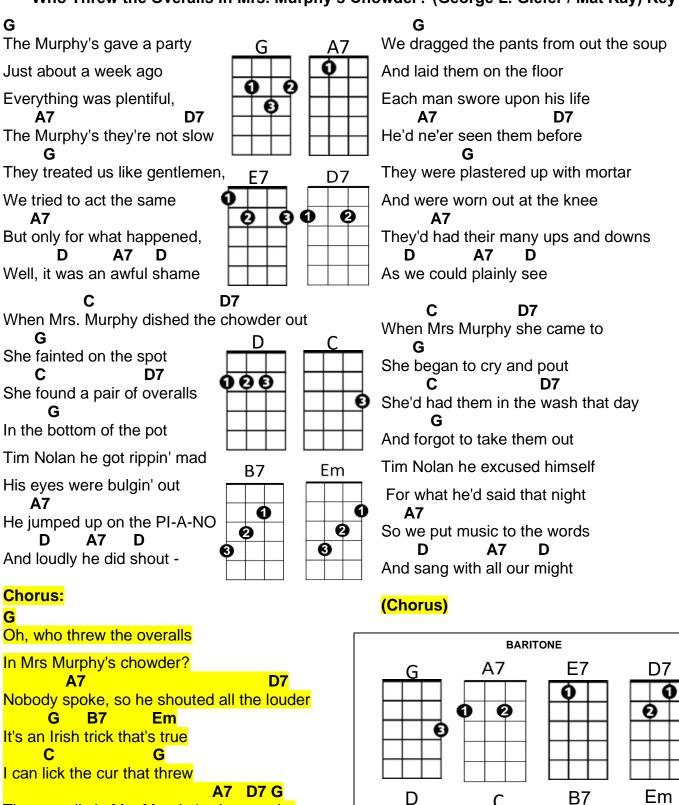
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The overalls in Mrs Murphy's chow - der

D7 G7 C



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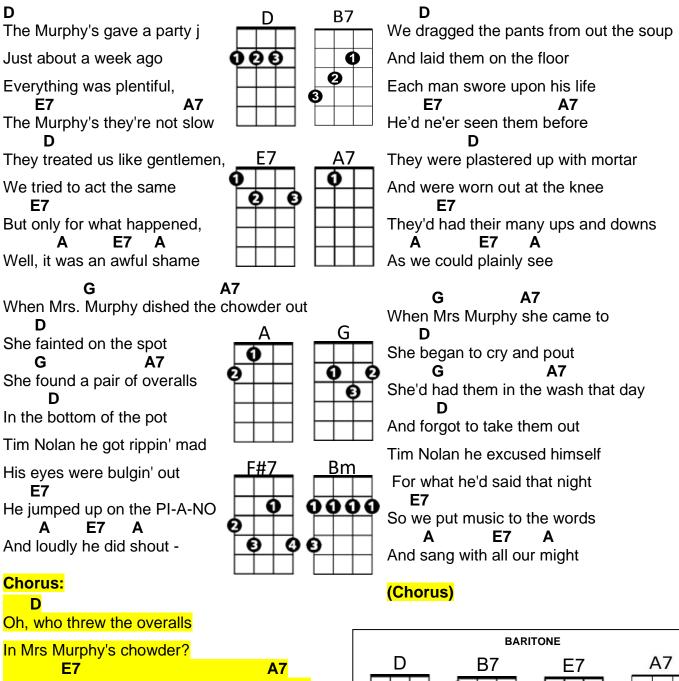
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In Mrs Murphy's chowder?

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Nobody spoke, so he shouted all the louder

D F#7 Bm

It's an Irish trick that's true

G D

I can lick the mick that threw

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The overalls in Mrs Murphy's chow - der

