

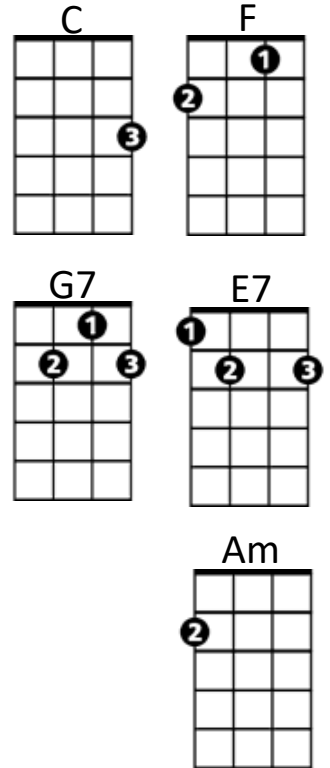
Down in the Boondocks

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Intro: C

Chorus:

C **F**
 Down in the boondocks, down in the boondocks
G7 **F** **C**
 People put me down 'cause that's the side of town I was born in
F
 I love her, she loves me but I don't fit her society
G7 **F** **C**
 Lord have mercy on the boy from down in the boondocks



C **F** **C**
 Every night I watch the light of the house up on the hill
F **E7** **Am**
 I love a little girl that lives up there and I guess I always will
F **G7** **F** **G7**
 But I don't dare knock on her door 'cause her daddy is my boss man
F **G7** **F** **G7**
 So I'll just have to be content to see her whenever I can

(Chorus)

C **F** **C**
 One fine day I'll find a way to move from this old shack
F **E7** **Am**
 I'll hold my head up like a king and I never, never will look back
F **G7** **F** **G7**
 Until that morning I'll work and slave and I'll save every dime
F **G7** **F** **G7**
 But tonight she'll have to steal away to see me one more time

(Chorus)

G7 **F** **C**
 Lord have mercy on the boy from down in the boondocks
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