

Galaxy Song (Eric Idle & John DuPrez, ca. 1983) (F) **GCEA**

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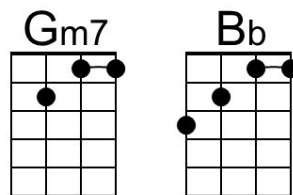
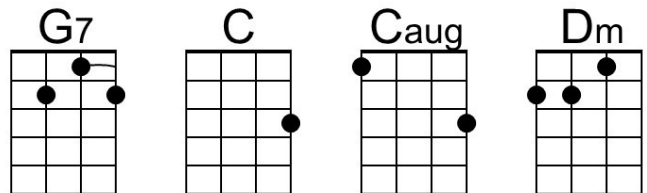
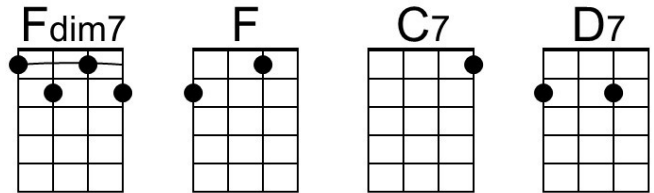
Fdim7 **F**
 Whenever life gets you down, Mrs. Brown
Fdim7 **C7**
 And things seem hard or tough
Fdim7 **F** **D7**
 And people are stupid, ob-noxious or daft
G7 **C** **C7**
 And you feel that you've had quite e-nough

C7 **F** **Caug**
 Just re-member that you're standing
Dm **F**
 on a planet that's e-volving
Fdim7 **C7**
 And revolving at nine hundred miles an hour
C **Gm7** **C7**
 And orbiting at nineteen miles a second,
Gm7
 so it's reckoned
C **C7** **F** **C7**
 A sun that is the source of all our power
F **Caug**
 The sun and you and me
Dm **F**
 and all the stars that we can see
D7 **Bb**
 Are moving at a million miles a day
Bb **F** hour
 In an outer spiral arm, at forty thousand miles an
C7 **F** **C7**
 Of the galaxy we call the 'milky way'

F **Caug** **Dm** **F**
 Our galaxy itself contains a hundred billion stars
Fdim7 **C7**
 It's a hundred thousand light years side to side
C **Gm7**
 It bulges in the middle,
C7 **Gm7**
 sixteen thousand light years thick
C
 But out by us, it's just
C7 **F** **C7**
 three thousand light years wide
F **Caug**
 We're thirty thousand light years
Dm **F**
 from galactic central point
D7 **Bb**
 We go 'round every two hundred million years
Bb **F**
 And our galaxy is only one of millions of billions
C7 **F** **C7**
 In this amazing and expanding uni-verse.

C7 **F** **Caug**
 The uni-verse it-self keeps on
Dm **F**
 ex-panding and ex-panding
Fdim7 **C7**
 In all of the directions it can whiz
C **Gm7** **C7** **Gm7**
 As fast as it can go, the speed of light, you know
C **C7**
 Twelve million miles a minute
F **C7**
 and that's the fastest speed there is

F **Caug**
 So remember, when you're feeling
Dm **F**
 very small and insecure
D7 **Bb**
 How amazingly unlikely is your birth
Bb
 And pray that there's intelligent life
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 somewhere up in space
C7 **F** **C7** **F**
 'Cause it's bugger all down here on Earth



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