

Against The Wind (Bob Seger) (G)

Intro: G Bm C G (2x)

G **Bm**
It seems like yesterday, but it was long ago
C **G**
Janie was lovely, she was the queen of my nights
D **C**
There in the darkness with the radio playing low.
G **Bm**
The secrets that we shared, the mountains that we moved
C **G**
Caught like a wild fire out of control
C **D**
Till there was nothing left to burn and nothing left to prove.

Em **D** **G**
And I remember what she said to me
Em **C** **G**
How she swore that it never would end
Em **D** **C**
I remember how she held me oh so tight,
D
Wish I didn't know now what I didn't know then.

G **Bm** **C** **G**
Against the wind, we were running against the wind.
C **Bm** **Am**
We were young and strong, we were running
C **G**
Against the wind.

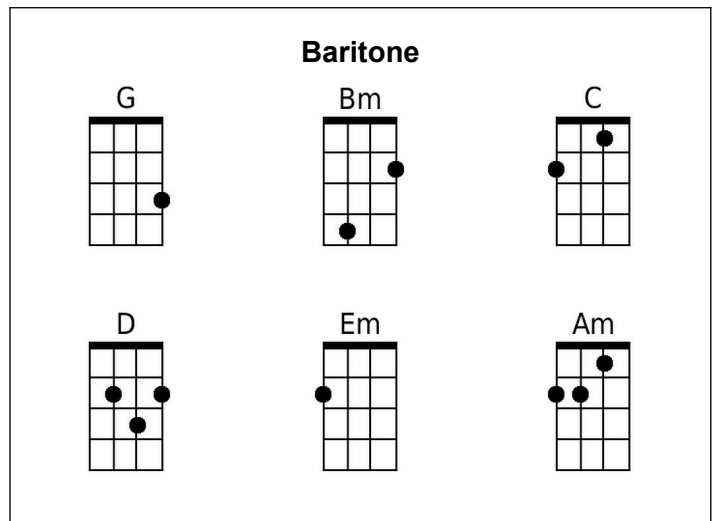
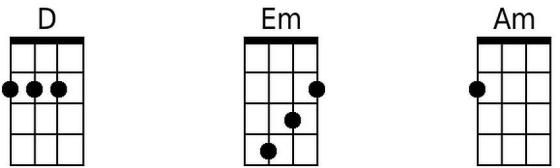
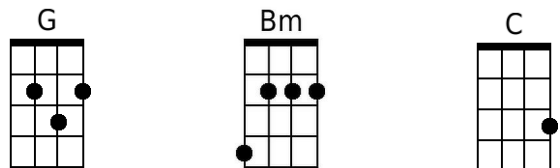
G **Bm**
The years rolled slowly past, I found myself alone,
C **G**
Surrounded by strangers I thought were my friends,
D **C**
I found myself further and further from my home.
G **Bm**
And I guess I lost my way, there were oh, so many roads.
C **G**
I was livin' to run and runnin' to live,
C **D**
Never worrying about paying or how much I owed.

Em **D** **G**
Movin' eight miles a minute for months at a time,
Em **C** **G**
Breakin' all of the rules I could bend.
Em **D** **G**
I began to find myself searching
C **D**
Searching for shelter again and a gain.

G **Bm** **C** **G**
Against the wind, we were running against the wind.
C **Bm** **Am** **C** **G**
I found myself seeking shelter against the wind.

(Instrumental first verse)

Em **D** **G**
All those drifter's days are past me now
Em **C** **G**
I've got so much more to think about
Em **D** **C**
Deadlines and commitments,
D
What to leave in and what to leave out.
G **Bm** **C** **G**
Against the wind, I'm still running against the wind.
C **Bm** **D** **G**
Well I'm older now but still running Against the wind
C **Bm** **D** **C**
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G **C**
Against the wind . Against the wind **(Repeat to fade)**



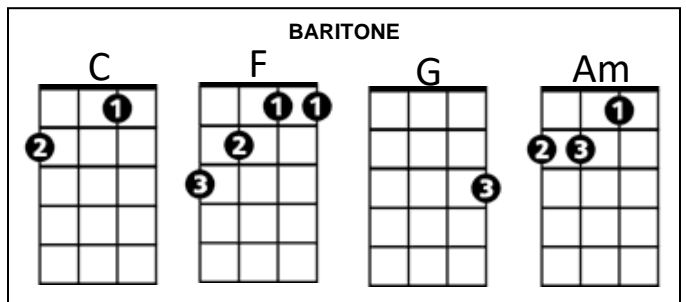
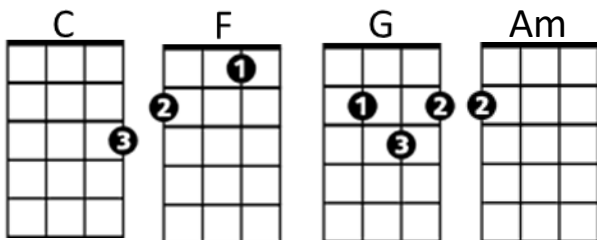
Blowin' in the Wind (Bob Dylan)

Intro: Chords for last line of verse

C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **C**
 How many roads must a man walk down before you call him a man?
C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **G**
 How many seas must a white dove sail before she can sleep in the sand?
C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **G**
 How many times must the cannon balls fly before they are forever banned?
 F **G** **C** **Am**
 The answer my friend, is blowin' in the wind.
 F **G** **C**
 The answer is blowin' in the wind.

C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **C**
 How many years can a mountain exist, before it's washed to the sea?
C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **G**
 How many years can some people exist, before they're allowed to be free?
C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **G**
 How many times can a man turn his head and pretend that he just doesn't see?
 F **G** **C** **Am**
 The answer my friend, is blowin' in the wind.
 F **G** **C**
 The answer is blowin' in the wind.

C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **C**
 How many times must a man look up before he can see the sky?
C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **G**
 How many ears must one man have before he can hear people cry?
C **F** **C** **Am** **C** **F** **G**
 How many deaths will it take till he knows that too many people have died?
 F **G** **C** **Am**
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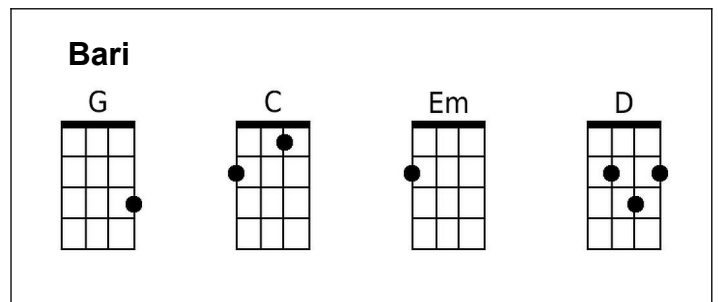
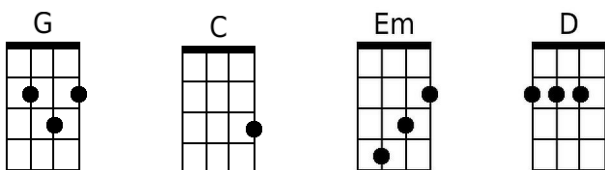
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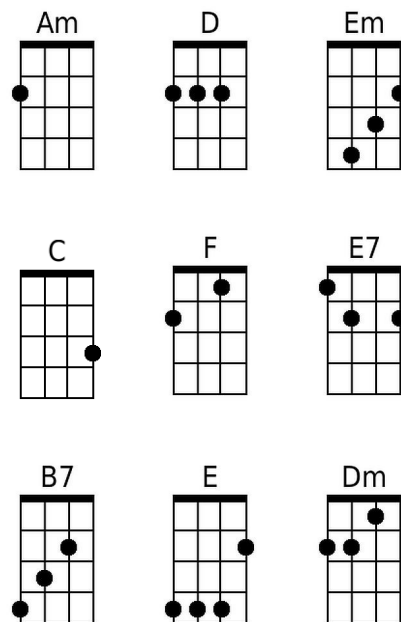
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Bus Stop (Graham Gouldman) (Am)

Intro: Am D (x2)

Am Em Am Em
 Bus stop, wet day, she's there, I say
Am Em Am Em
 Please share my umbrella
Am Em Am Em
 Bus stop, bus goes, she stays, love grows
Am Em Am Em
 Under my umbrella
C D Am
 All that summer we enjoyed it
F E7
 Wind and rain and shine
Am Em Am Em
 That umbrella, we employed it
Am Em Am
 By August she was mine



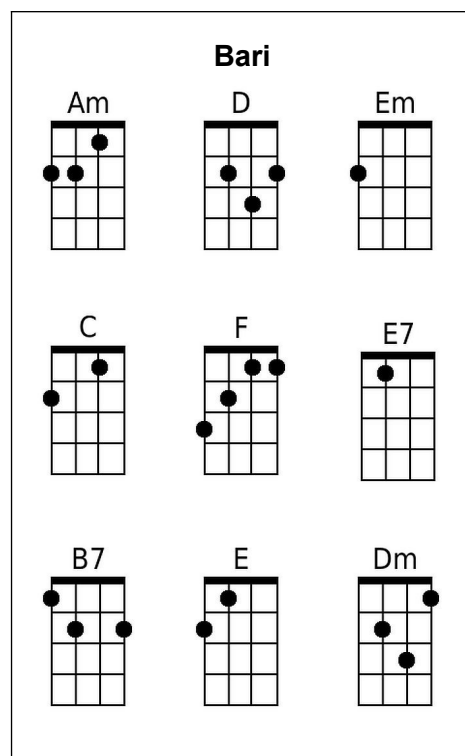
Chorus

C B7 Em D C
 Every morning I would see her waiting at the stop
Dm
 Sometimes she shopped and she would
B7 E
 Show me what she bought
C B7 Em D C
 Other people stared as if we were both quite insane
D B7 E
 Someday my name and hers are going to be the same

Am Em Am Em
 That's the way the whole thing started
Am Em Am Em
 Silly but it's true
Am Em Am Em
 Thinkin' of a sweet romance
Am Em Am Em
 Beginning in a queue
C D Am
 Came the sun the ice was melting
F E7
 No more sheltering now
Am Em Am Em
 Nice to think that that umbrella
Am Em Am
 Led me to a vow. **Chorus**

(Repeat song through chorus)

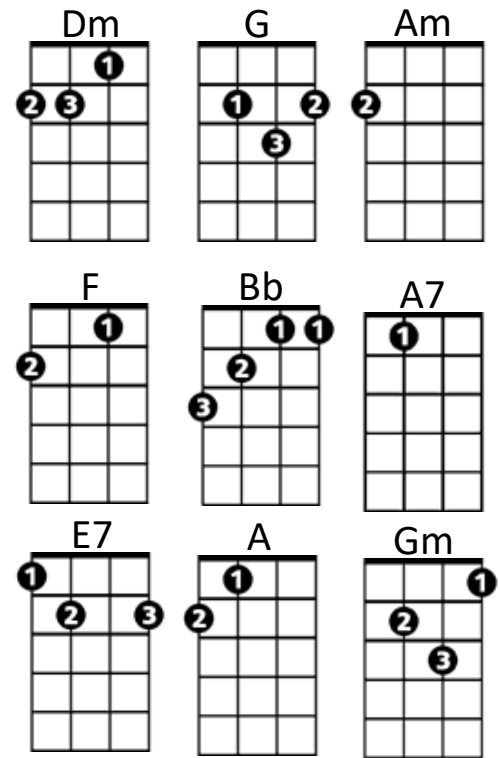
Am Em Am Em (fade)



Bus Stop (Graham Gouldman)

Intro: Dm G (x2)

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Chorus:

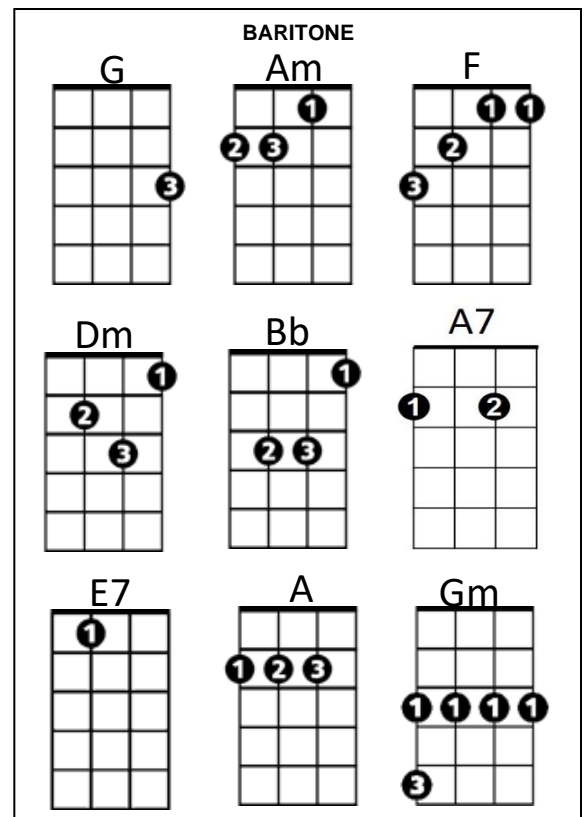
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(Chorus)

(Repeat song through chorus)

Dm Am Dm Am (fade)



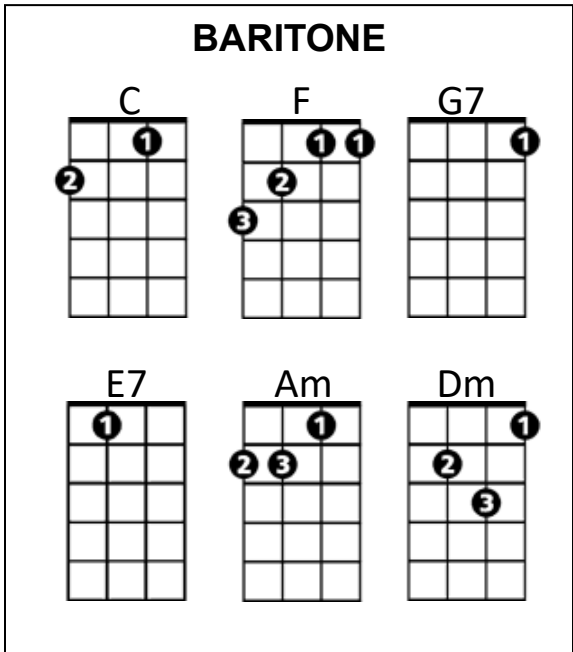
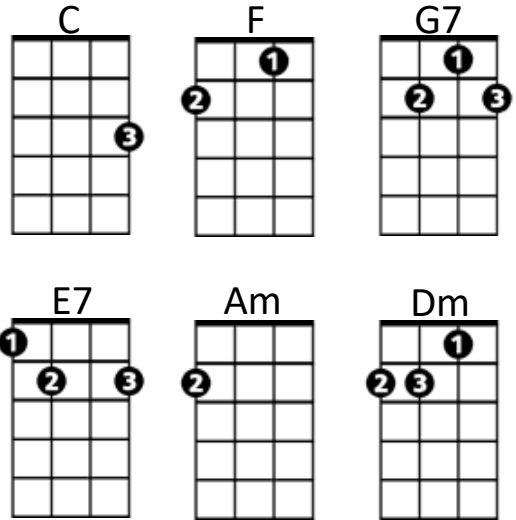
Cryin' in the Rain (Howard Greenfield / Carole King)

C F G7 C
 I'll never let you see
 F **G7 C**
 The way my broken heart is hurting me
 F **E7** **Am**
 I've got my pride and I know how to hide
 F **G7**
 All my sorrow and pain
 Am G7 Am
 I'll do my crying in the rain

C F G7 C
 If I wait for cloudy skies
 F **G7 C**
 You won't know the rain from the tears in my eyes
 F **E7** **Am**
 You'll never know that I still love you so
 F **G7**
 Only heartaches remain
 Am G7 C
 I'll do my crying in the rain

F **Dm**
 Rain drops falling from heaven
 G7 **C**
 Could never wash away my misery
 Dm
 But since we're not together
 F
 I look for stormy weather
 G7
 To hide these tears I hope you'll never see

C F G7 C
 Some day when my crying is done
 F **G7 C**
 I'm gonna wear a smile and walk in the sun
 F **E7** **Am**
 I may be a fool but till then darling, you'll
 F **G7**
 Never see me complain
 Am
 I'll do my crying in the rain
G7 **Am**
 I'll do my crying in the rain



Cryin' in the Rain (Howard Greenfield / Carole King) (G)

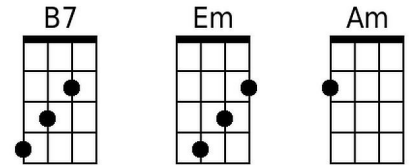
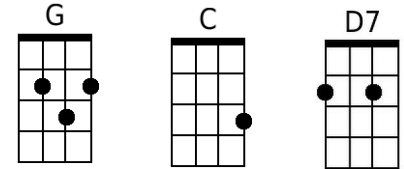
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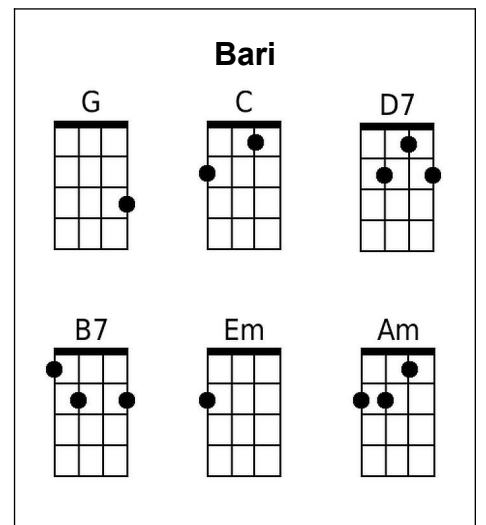
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Em
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D7 Em
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Don't Let The Rain Come Down (Serendipity Singers) (C)

Chorus

C Ah, hah, Oh, no, don't let the rain come down.

G Ah, hah, Oh, no, don't let the rain come down.

C Ah, hah, Oh, no, don't let the rain come down.

G My roof's got a hole in it and I might drown.

C Oh, yes, my roof's got a hole in it and I might drown.

C There was a crooked man and he had a crooked smile,

G Had a crooked sixpence and he walked a crooked mile.

F Had a crooked cat and he had a crooked mouse,

G They all lived together in a crooked little house.
Chorus

C Well, this crooked little man and his crooked little smile,

G Took his crooked sixpence and he walked a crooked mile.

F Bought some crooked nails and a crooked little bat,

G Tried to fix his roof with a rat-tat-tat-tat-tat. **Chorus**

C Now this crooked little man and his crooked cat and mouse,

G They all live together in a crooked little house.

F Has a crooked door with a crooked little latch,

G Has a crooked roof with a crooked little patch.

Chorus

(Note Chord Change)

D Ah, hah, Oh, no, don't let the rain come down.

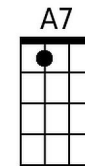
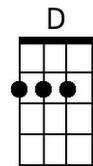
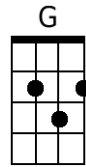
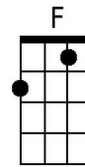
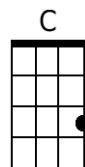
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D Ah, hah, Oh, no, don't let the rain come down.

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Oh, yes, my roof's got a hole in it.
My roof's got a hole in it..

D My roof's got a hole in it.. and I..might..drown.



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CHORUS:

G **C**
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D **G**
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G **C**
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Oh, yes, my roof's got a hole in it
G
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G **C**
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D **G**
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C
 Had a crooked cat and he had a crooked mouse,
D **G**
 They all lived together in a crooked little house.

(CHORUS)

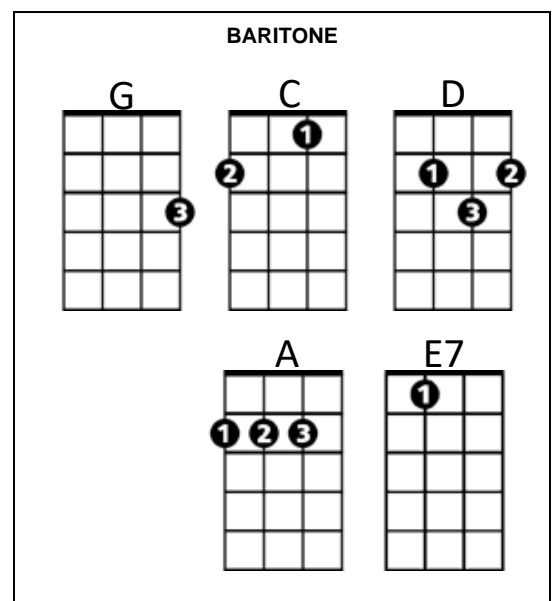
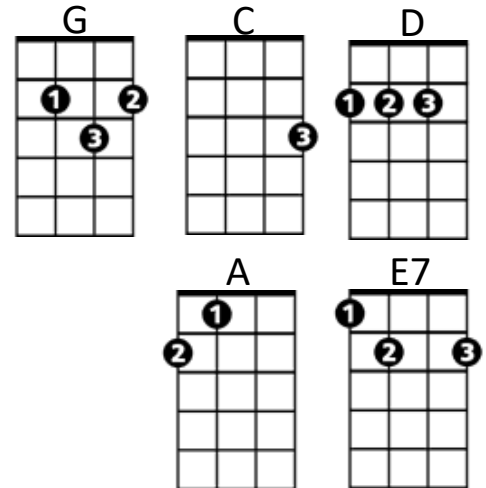
G **C**
 Well, this crooked little man and his crooked little smile,
D **G**
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C
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D **G**
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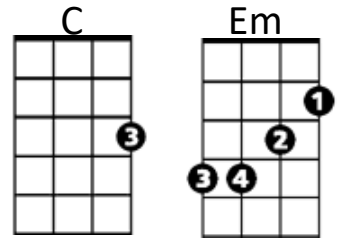
(CHORUS) (note chord change)

A **D**
 Ah, hah, Oh, no, don't let the rain come down.
E7 **A**
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A **D**
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E7
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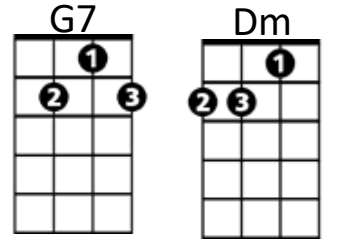


Early Mornin' Rain (Gordon Lightfoot)

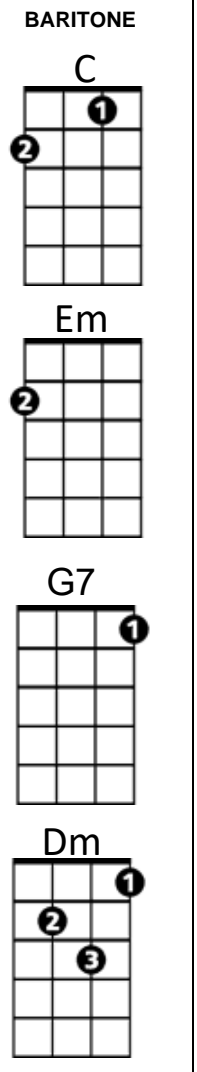
C **Em Dm** **G7** **C**
 In the early mornin' rain, with a dollar in my hand,
 Dm **G7** **C**
 With an achin' in my heart, and my pockets full of sand.
 Dm **G7** **C**
 I'm a long way from home, and I miss my loved ones so,
 Em Dm **G7** **C**
 In the early mornin' rain, with no place to go.



C **Em Dm** **G7** **C**
 Out on runway number nine, big seven-o-seven set to go,
 Dm **G7** **C**
 But I'm stuck here in the grass, where the cold wind blows.
 Dm **G7** **C**
 Now the liquor tasted good, and the women all were fast,
 Em Dm **G7** **C**
 Well there she goes, my friend, she's rollin' now at last.



C **Em Dm** **G7** **C**
 Hear the mighty engines roar, see the silver bird on high,
 Dm **G7** **C**
 She's away and westward bound, far above the clouds she'll fly,
 Dm **G7** **C**
 Where the mornin' rain don't fall, and the sun always shines,
 Em Dm **G7** **C**
 She'll be flying o'er my home, in about three hours' time.



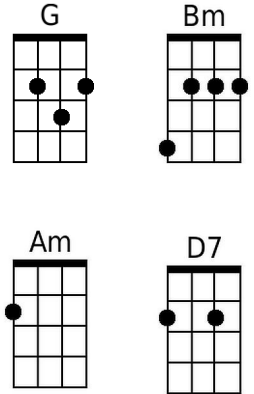
C **Em Dm** **G7** **C**
 This old airport's got me down, it's no earthly good to me,
 Dm **G7** **C**
 'Cause I'm stuck here on the ground, as cold and drunk as I can be.
 Dm **G7** **C**
 You can't jump a jet plane, like you can a freight train,
 Em Dm **G7** **C**
 So I'd best be on my way, in the early mornin' rain.

(Repeat verse 1)

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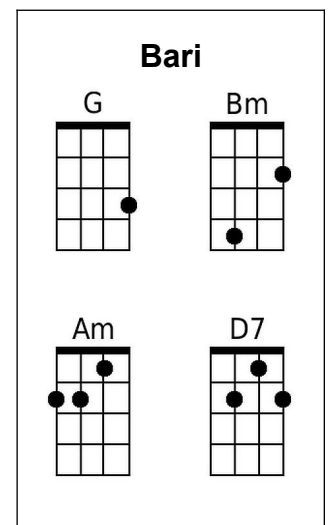
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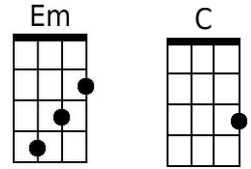
(Repeat Verse 1)

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Have You Ever Seen the Rain (John Fogardly) (G)

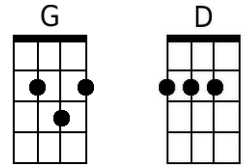
Intro: **Em C G D G**



G
Someone told me long ago

There's a calm before the storm, I know

It's been coming for some time



When it's over, so they say

It'll rain a sunny day, I know

Shining down like water

Chorus:

C D G Em D

I wanna know - Have you ever seen the rain

C D G Em D

I wanna know - Have you ever seen the rain

C D G
Coming down on a sunny day

Yesterday and days before

Sun is cold and rain is hard, I know

Been that way for all my time

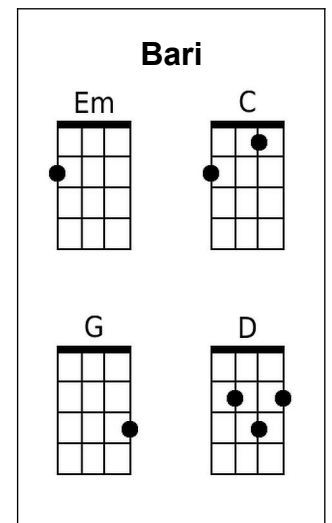
'Til forever on it goes

Through the circle fast and slow, I know

And it can't stop, I wonder

(Chorus) (2x)

End: **D G**



Rain (John Lennon / Paul McCartney) (C)

C
 If the rain comes
 F **G** **C**
 They run and hide their heads
 F **G** **C**
 They might as well be dead
 F **C**
 If the rain comes - if the rain comes

C
 When the sun shines
 F **G** **C**
 They slip into the shade
 (when the sun shines down)
 F **G** **C**
 And sip their lemonade
 (when the sun shines down)
 F
 When the sun shines -
 C
 When the sun shines

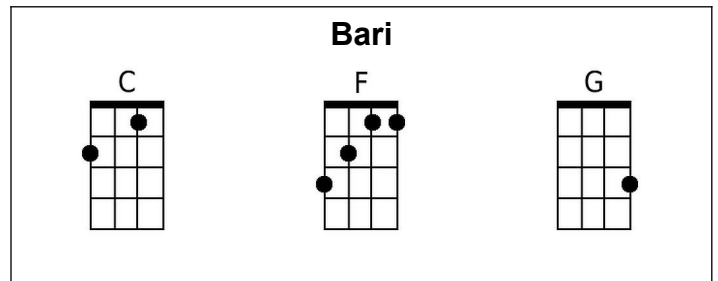
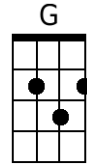
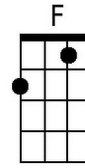
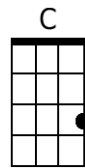
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C **F** **C**
 Rrrraaaaaiiiiiinnnnnn - I don't mind
C **F** **C**
 Shhhiiiiiiiiinnnnnee - the weather's fine

C **F** **G** **C**
 I can show you that when it starts to rain,
 (when the rain comes down)
F **G** **C**
 Everything looks the same.
 (when the rain comes down)
 F **C**
 I can show you, I can show you. **Refrain**

C
 Can you hear me,
 F **G** **C**
 That when it rains and shines,
 (when it rains and shines)
F **G** **C**
 It's just a state of mind?
 (when it rains and shines)
 F **C**
 Can you hear me, can you hear me?

C
 When the rain comes
 F **G** **C**
 We run and hide our heads
 F **G** **C**
 We might as well be dead
 F
 When the rain comes -
 C
 When the rain comes



Rain (John Lennon / Paul McCartney)

G
If the rain comes
C D G
They run and hide their heads
C D G
They might as well be dead
C G
If the rain comes - if the rain comes

G
When the sun shines
C D G
They slip into the shade
(when the sun shines down)
C D G
And sip their lemonade
(when the sun shines down)
C
When the sun shines –
G
When the sun shines

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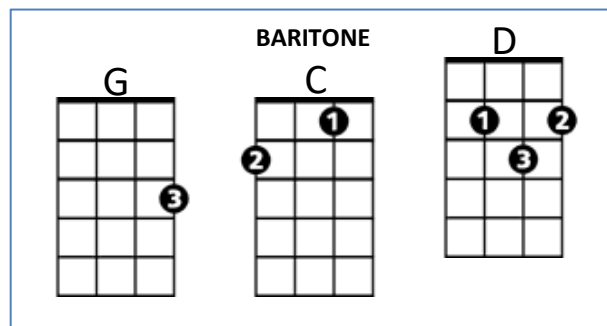
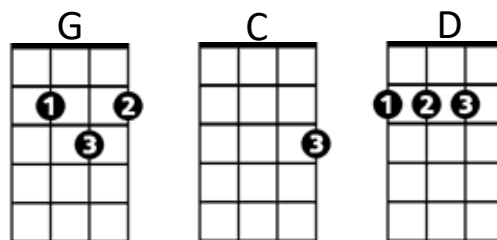
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Raindrops Keep Fallin' On My Head (Burt Bacharach / Hal David)

Intro: C G F G (2X)

C Cmaj7

Raindrops keep fallin' on my head

C7

F

Em7

And just like the guy whose feet are too big for his bed

A7 Em7 A7 Dm G7

Nothing seems to fit - those raindrops are fallin' on my head

TACET C

Cmaj7

They keep fallin' - so I just did me some talking to the sun

C7

F

Em7

And I said I didn't like the way he got things done

A7 Em7 A7 Dm G7

Sleeping on the job - those raindrops are fallin' on my head

They keep fallin' - (PAUSE)

Reprise:

TACET C Em7

But there's one thing - I know

F

G7

Em7

The blues they send to meet me won't defeat me

Em6

Dm

G7

FGFG

It won't be long till happiness steps up to greet me

C Cmaj7

Raindrops keep fallin' on my head

C7

F

Em7

But that doesn't mean my eyes will soon be turning red

A7 Em7 A7 Dm G7

Crying's not for me - cause I'm never gonna stop the rain by complaining

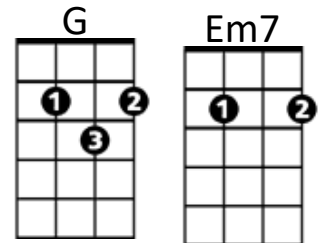
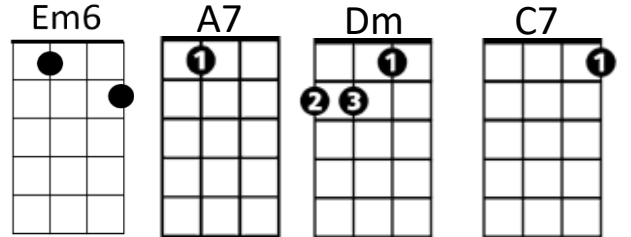
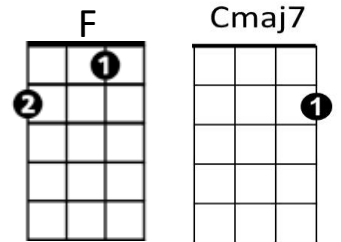
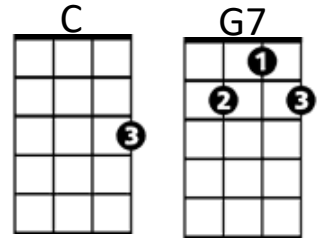
C

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G7

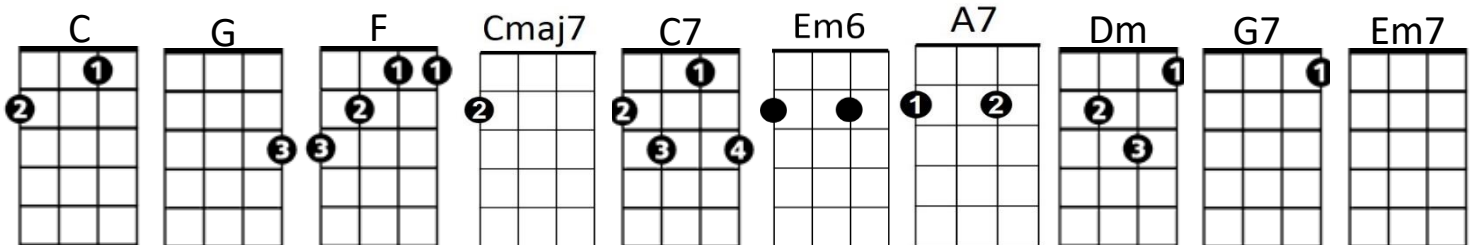
C

Because I'm free - nothings worrying me



(Instrumental Reprise, start at "thing" - sing last line) Last verse - extend last line

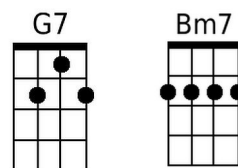
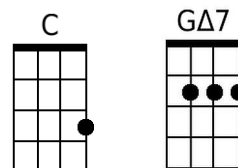
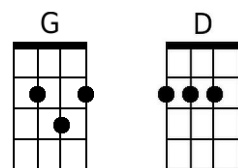
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Raindrops Keep Fallin' On My Head (Burt Bacharach / Hal David) (G)

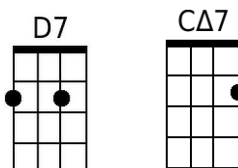
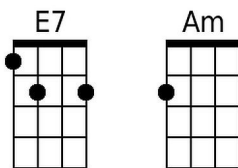
Intro: G D C D (2X)

G **Gmaj7**
 Raindrops keep fallin' on my head
G7 **C** **Bm7**
 And just like the guy whose feet are too big for his bed
E7 **Bm7** **E7** **Am** **D7**
 Nothing seems to fit - those raindrops are fallin' on my head
TACET **C** **Cmaj7**
 They keep fallin' - so I just did me some talking to the sun
G7 **C** **Bm7**
 And I said I didn't like the way he got things done
E7 **Bm7** **E7** **Am** **D7**
 Sleeping on the job - those raindrops are fallin' on my head
 They keep fallin' - **(PAUSE)**



Reprise:

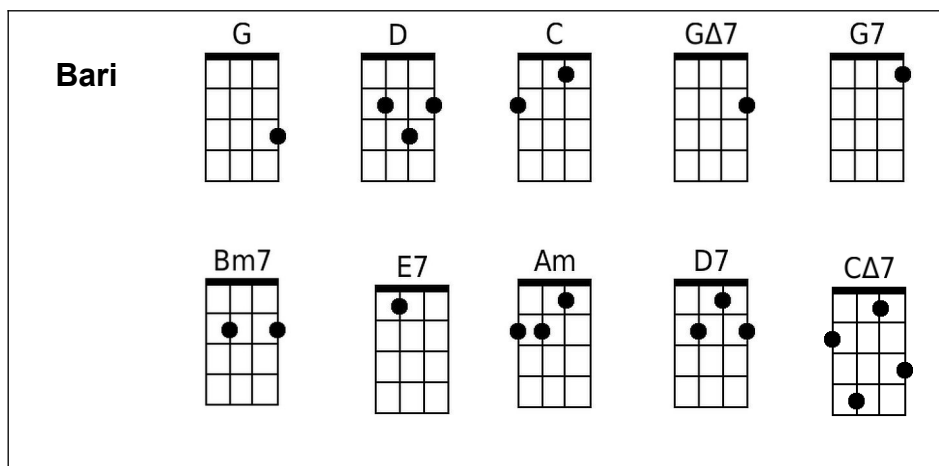
TACET **C** **Em7**
 But there's one **thing** - I know
C **D7** **Bm7**
 The blues they send to meet me won't defeat me
Bm6 **Am** **D7** **C D C D**
 It won't be long till happiness steps up to greet me



G **Gmaj7**
 Raindrops keep fallin' on my head
G7 **C** **Bm7**
 But that doesn't mean my eyes will soon be turning red
E7 **Bm7** **E7** **Am** **D7**
 Crying's not for me - cause I'm never gonna stop the rain by
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G **C** **D7** **G**
 Because I'm free - nothings worrying me

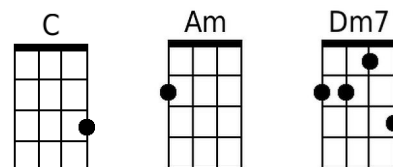
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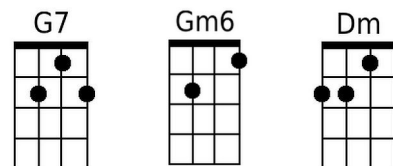


Stormy Weather (Harold Arlen, Ted Koehler) (C)

Intro: C Am Dm7 G7



C Gm6 Dm G7
Don't know why there's no sun up in the sky



C Am7

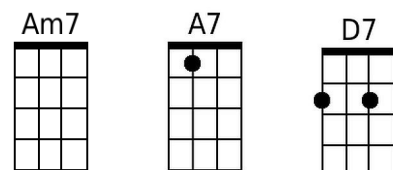
Stormy weather

Dm7 G7 C Am

Since my gal and I ain't to-gether,

Dm7 G7 C Am Dm7 G7

Keeps rainin' all the time



C Gm6 Dm G7
Life is bare, gloom and misery every-where

C Am7

Stormy weather

Dm7 G7 C Am

Just can't get my poor self to--gether,

Dm G7 C Am Dm7 G7

I'm weary all the time

G7 C Am Dm7 G7

So weary all the time

Dm G7 C Am

When she went away the blues walked in and met me.

Dm G7 C Am

If she stays away old rockin' chair will get me.

Dm G7 C A7

All I do is pray the Lord above will let me,

D7 G7

Walk in the sun once more.

C Gm6 Dm G7

Can't go on, every thing I had is gone

C Am7

Stormy weather

Dm7 G7 C Am

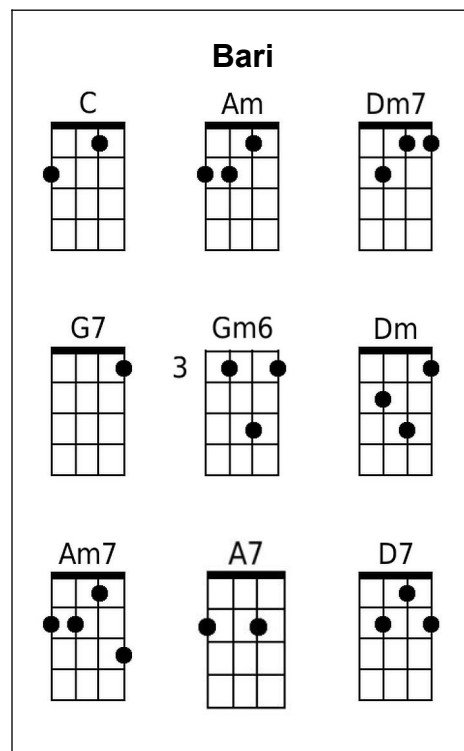
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Dm G7 C Am Dm7 G7

Keeps rainin' all the ime

Dm G7 C Am Dm7 G7 C

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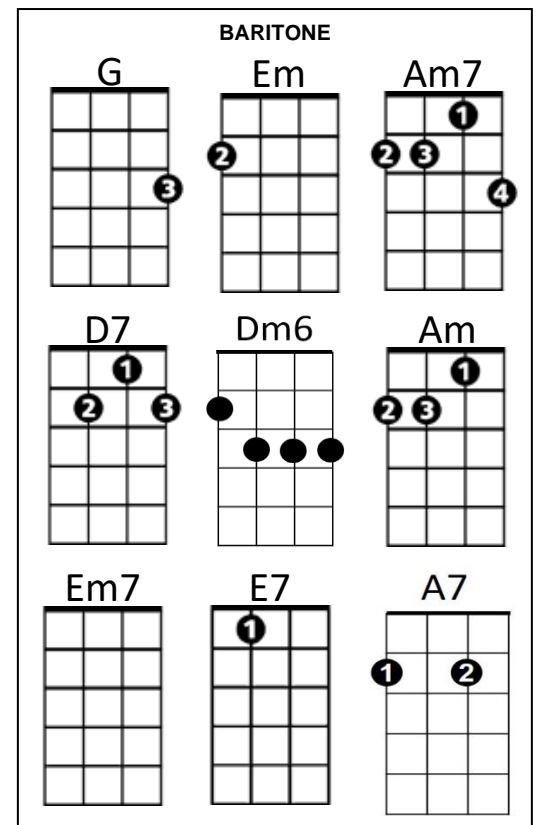
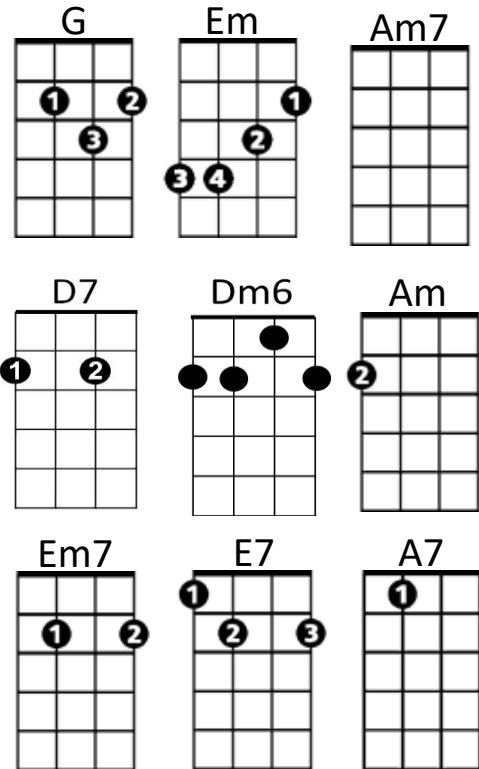
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The Ballad of Thunder Road (Don Raye / Robert Mitchum)

C
Let me tell the story, I can tell it all;
Dm **G7** **C**
About the mountain boy who ran illegal alcohol.

C
His daddy made the whiskey,
the son he drove the load;
Dm **G7**
And when his engine roared
C **Dm** **C**
They called the highway "Thunder Road".

C
Sometimes into Ashville,
Sometimes Memphis town.
Dm **G7**
The Revenuers chased him
C

But they couldn't run him down.
C
Each time they thought they had him
His engine would explode.

Dm **G7**
He'd go by like they were standing
C **Dm** **C**
Still on "Thunder Road".

Chorus:
F
And there was thunder, thunder
C **F** **G7**
Over "Thunder Road", Thunder was his engine
C **C7**
And white lightening was his load.
F
And there was moonshine, moonshine
C
To quench the devil's thirst.
Dm **G7**
The law they swore they'd get him
C
But the devil got him first.

C
It was on the first of April, Nineteen-Fifty-Four
Dm **G7**
The Federal man sent word
C
He'd better make his run no more.
C
He said "200 agents were covering the state;

Dm **G7**
Which ever road he tried to take
C **Dm** **C**
They'd get him sure as fate."

C
'Son' his daddy told him, 'make this run your last.
Dm **G7**
The tank is filled with 100 proof;
C
You're all tuned-up and gassed.

C
Now don't take any chances, if you can't get through.
Dm **G7**
I'd rather have you back again
C **Dm** **C**
Than all that Mountain Dew.'

(Chorus)
C
Roaring out of Harlan; revving up his mill.

Dm **G7**
He shot the Gap at Cumberland
C
And streamed by Maynardville.

C
With G men on his tail light; road block up ahead,
Dm **G7**
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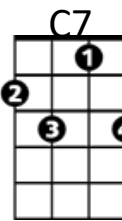
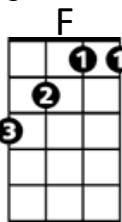
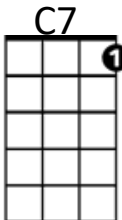
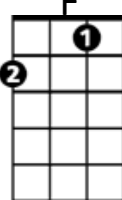
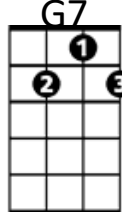
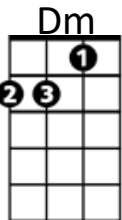
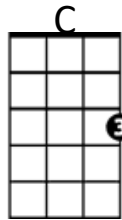
C **Dm** **C**
That even angels fear to tread.
C
Blazing right through Knoxville, out on Kingston Pike,

Dm **G7**
Then right outside of Bearden,
C
They made the fatal strike.

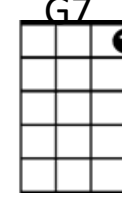
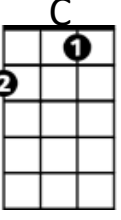
C
He left the road at 90; that's all there is to say,
Dm **G7**
The devil got the moonshine

C **Dm** **C**
And the mountain boy that day.
(Chorus) 2X

Dm **G7**
The law they swore they'd get him
F **Dm** **C**
But the devil got him first.



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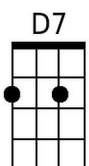
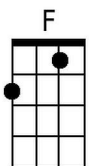
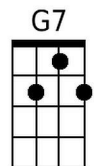
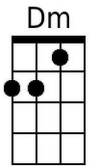
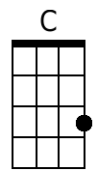
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	C	Dm	G7	F	D7
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