

Island Style (John Cruz)



Intro: C7 G7 C (Melody of last line of chorus)

Chorus:

F C
On the island, we do it island style

G7 C C7
From the mountain to the ocean from the windward to the leeward side

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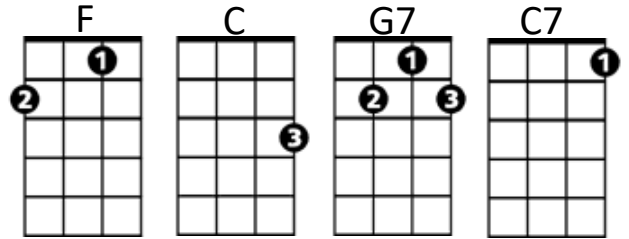
G7 C
From the mountain to the ocean from the windward to the leeward side

C F C
Mama's in the kitchen cooking dinner real nice

G7 C
Beef stew on the stove, lomi salmon with the ice

F C
We eat and drink and we sing all day

G7 C C7
Kanikapila in the old Hawaiian way



Lomi Salmon: A fresh tomato and salmon salad, introduced to Hawaiians by early western sailors
Kanikapila: A jam session
Poi: The primary Polynesian staple food made from the root of the taro plant.

(Chorus)

C F C
We go grandma's house on the weekend clean yard, 'cause

G7 C
If we no go, grandma gotta work hard

C F C
You know my grandma, she like the poi real sour

G7 C C7
I love my grandma every minute, every hour

BARITONE

C
1st fret 1st string

G7
1st fret 1st string

C7
1st fret 1st string, 2nd fret 2nd string, 3rd fret 3rd string, 4th fret 4th string

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(Chorus, First Verse and Chorus)

Ending:

F C
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G7 C
From the mountain to the ocean from the windward to the leeward side (repeat 2x)