## Frets Halligan Ukulele Picnic

# **Guided Jam Song Book**



#### Songs are in alphabetical order



**Amazing Grace** 

**Blue Moon** 

**Brown Eyed Girl** 

**Down on the Corner** 

**Eight Days a Week** 

**Every Day** 

**Folsom Prison Blues** 

Hey! Good Lookin'

I Can't Help Falling in Love

with You

**Jamaica Farewell** 

Jambalaya

Oh, Susannah

**Polly Wolly Doodle** 

Ripple

Stand By Me

**Take Me Home, Country** 

**Roads** 

The Letter

This Land is Your Land

On Top of Old Smokey

Up on the Roof

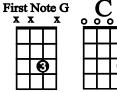
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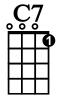
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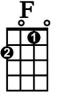
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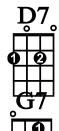
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# Amazing Grace









# Intro: |Am |G<sup>7</sup> |C / F |C



#### Chorus:

34 time

|C|  $|C^7|$  |F| |C| A- mazing Grace, how sweet the sound.

|C |C |G |G<sup>7</sup>

That saved a wretch like me

|C|  $|C^7|$  |F| |C| I once was lost, but now am found.

 $|A_{m}|$   $|G^{7}|$  |C| |F| |G|

#### Verse 1:

|C |C<sup>7</sup> |F |C

When we've been there ten thousand years

|C |C |G |G<sup>7</sup>

Bright shining as the sun

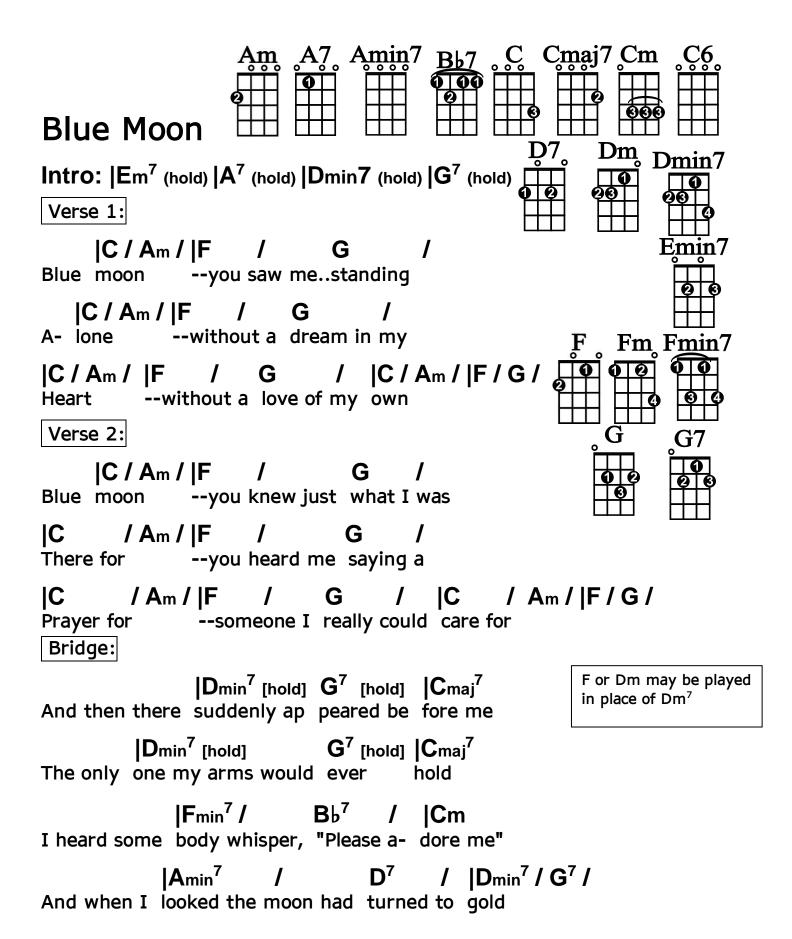
|C|  $|C^7|$  |F| |C|

We've no less days to sing God's praise

 $|A_m|$   $|G^7|$  |C| |C|

Then when, we've first be- qun

Amazing Grace -2
Verse 2:
C  C <sup>7</sup>  F  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C
C  C  G  G <sup>7</sup> And Grace, my fears re- lieved
C  C <sup>7</sup>  F  C How precious did that grace ap- pear
Am  G <sup>7</sup>  C / F  C The hour I first be- lieved
Verse 3:
C  C <sup>7</sup>  F  C Through many dangers, toils and snares
C  C  G  G <sup>7</sup> We have al- ready come.
C  C <sup>7</sup>  F  C T'was grace that brought us safe thus far
$ A_m $ $ G^7 $ $ C $ $ F $ $ C $ And grace will lead us home.
Verse 4:
C  C <sup>7</sup>  F  C The Lord hath promised good to me,
C  C  G  G <sup>7</sup> His word my hope se- cures;
C  C <sup>7</sup>  F  C He will my shield and portion be
Am  G <sup>7</sup>  C / F  C As long as life en- dures.

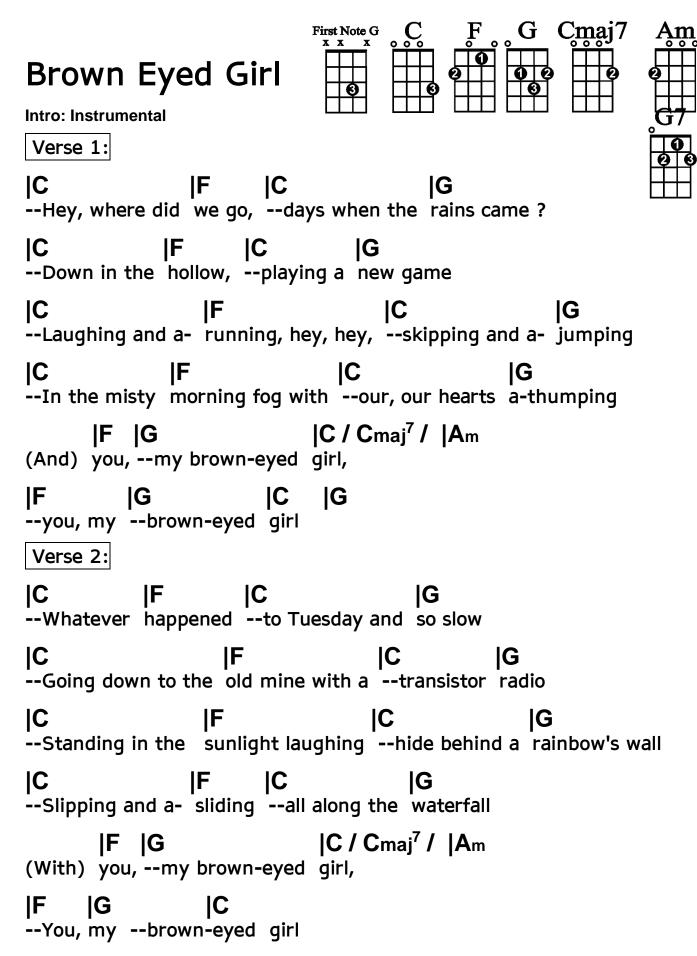


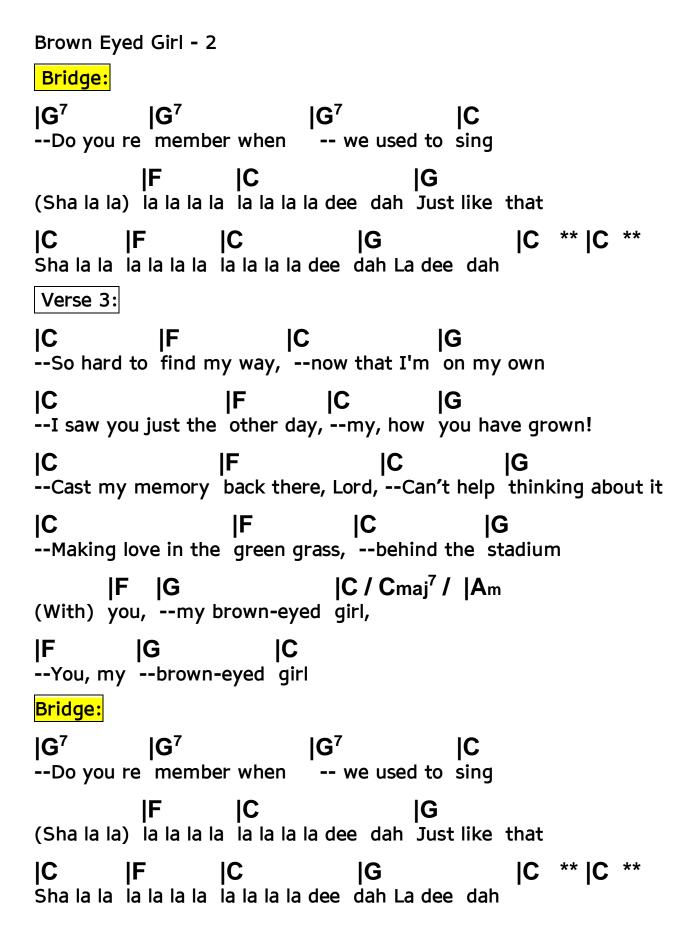
Blue Moon - 2 Verse 3: |C / Am / |F / G / Blue Moon, --Now I'm no longer |C / Am / |F / G / A- lone --without a dream in my |C/Am/|F / G / |C/Am/|F/G/ Heart --without a love of my own SOLO: 1 Verse Bridge: |Dmin<sup>7</sup> [hold] |G<sup>7</sup> [hold] |Cmaj<sup>7</sup> And then there suddenly ap peared be fore me  $\left| \mathbf{D}_{\text{min}}^{7} \right| \left[ \text{hold} \right] \qquad \qquad \mathbf{G}^{7} \left[ \text{hold} \right] \left| \mathbf{C}_{\text{maj}}^{7} \right|$ The only one my arms would ever hold |Fmin<sup>7</sup> / Bb<sup>7</sup> / |Cm I heard some body whisper, "Please a- dore me"  $|A_{min}^{7}|$  /  $|D_{min}^{7}|$  /  $|G_{min}^{7}|$ And when I looked the moon had turned to gold Verse 4: |C / Am / |F / G / Blue Moon, --Now I'm no longer |C / Am / |F / G /

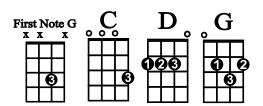
A- lone --without a dream in my

Heart --without a love of my own

**↑** Slow down







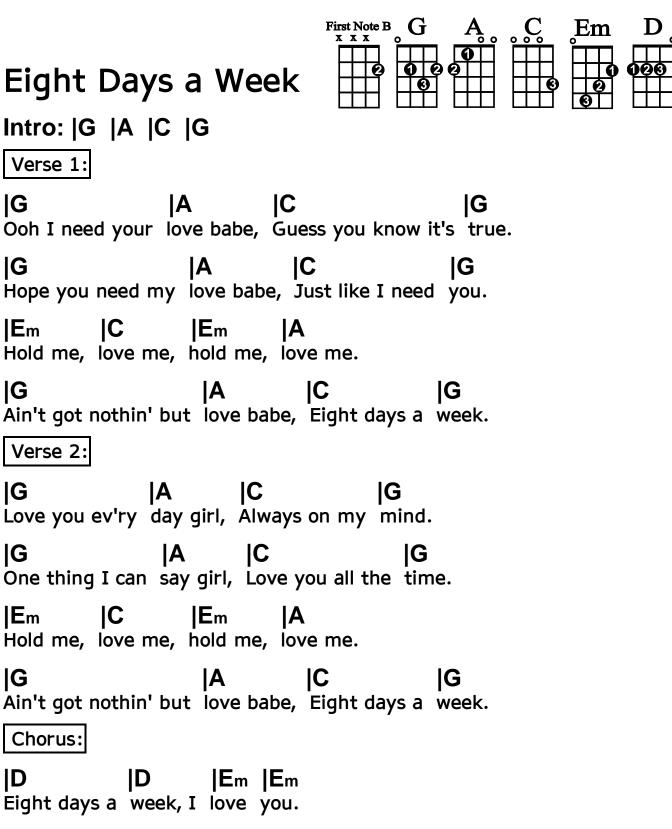
## Down on the Corner (G)

Intro: Bass play lick 2 times

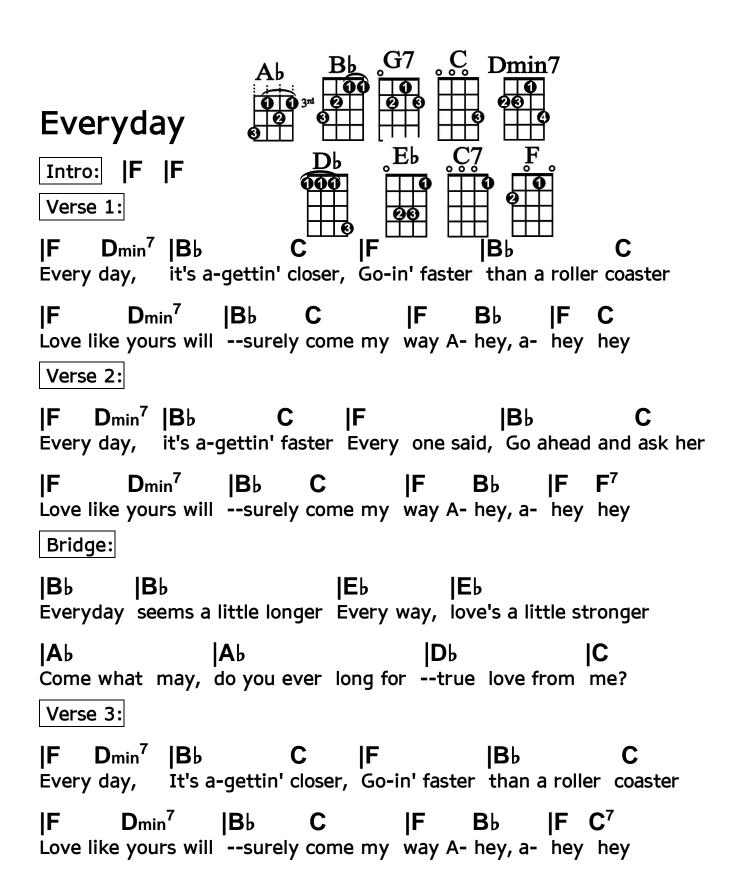
AII: |C |G |G |D / G /

Verse 1:
G  D / G / Early in the evenin' just about supper time,
G
C  G Four kids on the corner, trying to bring you up,
G
Chorus:
C
C
G
G  D / G / Blinky thumps the gut bass and solos for a-while
C  G Poor-boy twangs the rhythm out on his Kalamazoo.
G  D / G / And Willy goes in to a dance and doubles on Ka-zoo

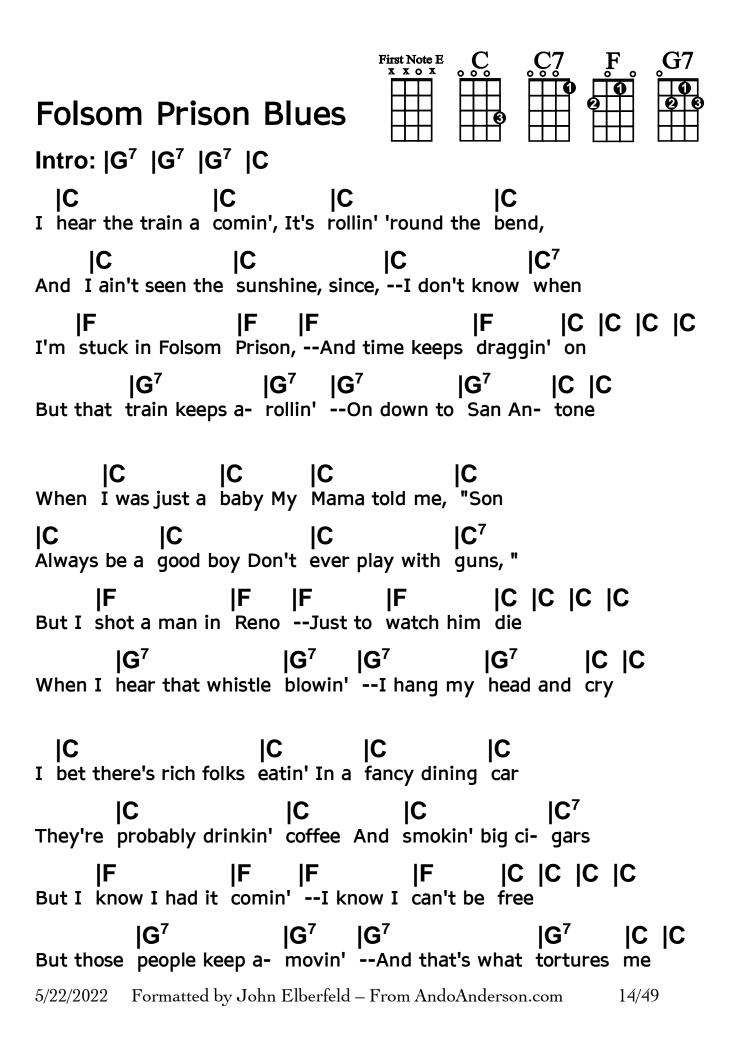
Down on the Corner - 2
Chorus:
C
C
Verse 3:
G  D / G / You don't need a penny just to hang a-round,
G  D / G / but if you got a nickel won't you lay your money down.
C  G Over on the corner, there's a happy noise,
G
Chorus:
C
C
C
C
Slow ENDING: Bass play lick $ G D/G/ G D/G/S$ trum on the beat



Eight Days a Week - 2
Verse 3:
G
G
Em  C  Em  A Hold me, love me, hold me, love me.
G  A  C  G  C  Ain't got nothin' but love babe, Eight days a week.
Chorus:
D  D  Em  Em Eight days a week, I love you.
A  A  C  D  Eight days a week, is not enough to show I care.
G  A  C  G Love you ev'ry day girl, Always on my mind.
G  A  C  G One thing I can say girl, Love you all the time.
Em  C  Em  A Hold me, love me, hold me, love me.
G  A  C  G  A  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C
Ending:
C  G  C  G  CEight days a week.
G  A  C  G

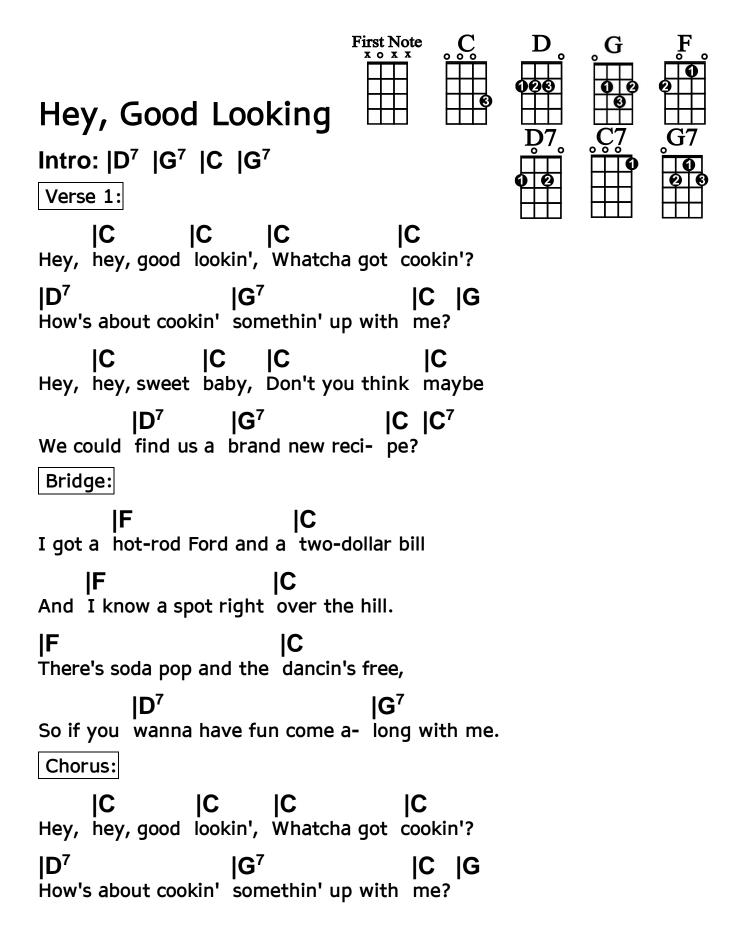


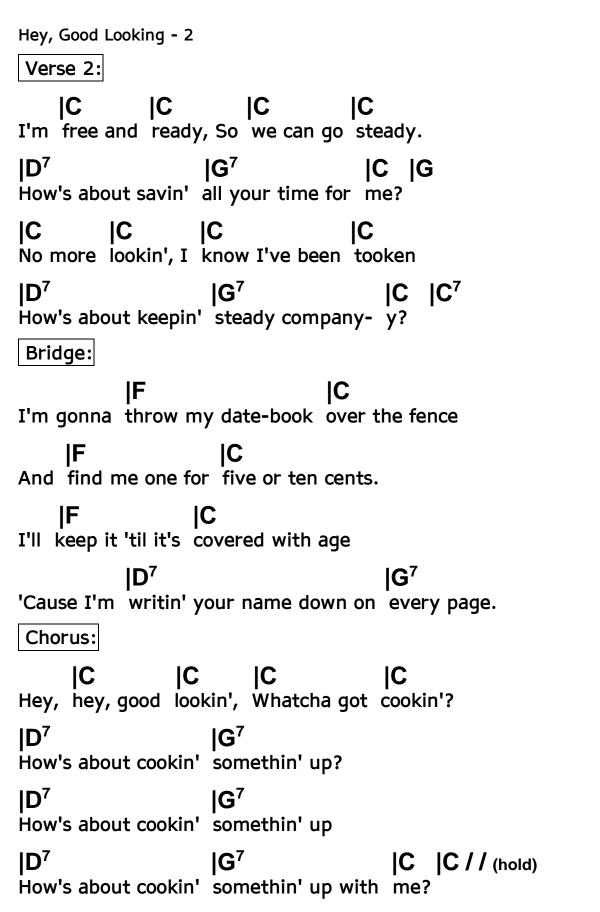
Everyday - 2 Bridge: IВЬ **IB**b IEb IEb Everyday seems a little longer Every way, love's a little stronger **A A**b **ID**b IC Come what may, do you ever long for --true love from me? Verse 4: IF D<sub>min</sub><sup>7</sup> |B♭ C IF Every day, it's a-gettin' closer, Go-in' faster than a roller coaster Dmin<sup>7</sup> IB<sub>b</sub> C IF B♭ IF Love like yours will --surely come my way A- hey, a- hey hey Ending: Dmin<sup>7</sup> |Bb C IF F Bb C F Love like yours will --surely come my way [Slow down]

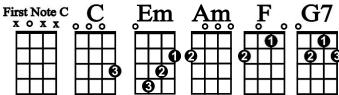


IC			[0	IC		<b>IC</b>	
Well, if t	hey free	d me fron	n this p	rison If tha	at railroa	d train was	mine
<b> C</b> I bet I'd	I move it	C on a little	<b>C</b> e Farth	er down th	<b>C</b> <sup>7</sup> le line		
<b>JF</b>		IF IF			C		,
	_					<u>-</u>	
And I'd	G <sup>7</sup> let that l	onesome	<b>G</b> ' whistle	<b>G</b> <sup>7</sup> Blow m	<b>G</b> ' v blues a	C  C - wav	

End: |G<sup>7</sup> |G<sup>7</sup> |G<sup>7</sup> |C







## Can't Help Falling in Love

Intro: C |G<sup>7</sup> |C |C

Verse 1:

C / Em / |Am |F / C / |G<sup>7</sup> Wise men say Only fools rush in

 $F/G^7/|C/D_m|/|C/G^7/|C$  (But) I can't help falling in love with you

C /  $E_m$  /  $|A_m|$  | F / C /  $|G^7|$  Shall I stay? Would it be a sin?

F/G<sup>7</sup>/ |C/D<sub>m</sub> / |C/G<sup>7</sup>/ |C (If) I can't help falling in love with you Bridge:

Em / B<sup>7</sup> / |Em / B<sup>7</sup> / Like a river flows, Surely to the sea

 $E_m$  /  $B^7$  /  $|E_m$  /  $A^7$  /  $|D_m$  /  $G^7$  / Darling, so it goes, Some things are meant to be

Verse 2:

C / Em / |Am |F / C / |G<sup>7</sup> Take my hand, Take my whole life too

F /  $G^7$  / |C /  $D_m$  / |C /  $G^7$  / |C (For) I can't help falling in love with you

Can't Help Falling in Love -2

Bridge:

Em / B<sup>7</sup> / Em / B<sup>7</sup> /

Like a river flows, Surely to the sea

 $E_{m}$  /  $B^{7}$  /  $|E_{m}$  /  $A^{7}$  /  $|D_{m}$  /  $G^{7}$  /

Darling, so it goes, Some things are meant to be

Verse 3:

C / Em / |Am |F / C / |G<sup>7</sup>

Take my hand, Take my whole life too

 $F/G^7/|C/D_m|/|C/G^7/|C$ 

(For) I can't help falling in love with you

 $F/G^7/|C/D_m|/|C/G^7/|C$ 

(For) I can't help falling in love with you

**↑**Slow - hold final C chord

## **Jamaica Farewell**

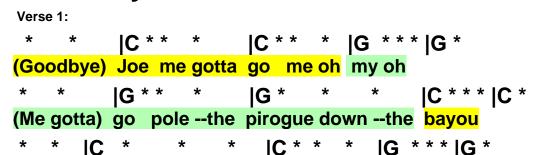
# Ando Anderson Music Teacher

Verse 1:	Music Teache
C	First Note G X X X 000
C  F   I took a trip on a sailing ship    G    C   (And when I) reached Jamaica I made a stop.	F G
Chorus:   C  Dm  (But I'm) sad to say I'm on my way   G  C  Won't be back for many a day	Dm
C  Dm  (My) heart is down, my head is turning around   C / G /  C  (I had to) leave a little girl in Kingston town   Verse 2:	
C F Down the market you can hear C C	
(Ladies) cry out while on their heads they bear	
C F 'Akey' rice, salt fish are nice	
G C	
(And the) rum is fine any time of year	

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Chorus:
         |Dm
(But I'm) sad to say I'm on my way
G
Won't be back for many a day
     |C
                                    ID<sub>m</sub>
(My) heart is down, my head is turning around
(I had to) leave a little girl in Kingston town
Verse 3:
IC
Sounds of laughter everywhere
          IG
And the dancing girls sway to and fro
    IC
(I) must declare my heart is there
Though I've been from Maine to Mexico
Chorus:
(But I'm) sad to say I'm on my way
IG
Won't be back for many a day
                                    IDm
(My) heart is down, my head is turning around
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(I had to) leave a little girl in Kingston town

#### Jambalaya





**Chorus:** 

Verse 2:



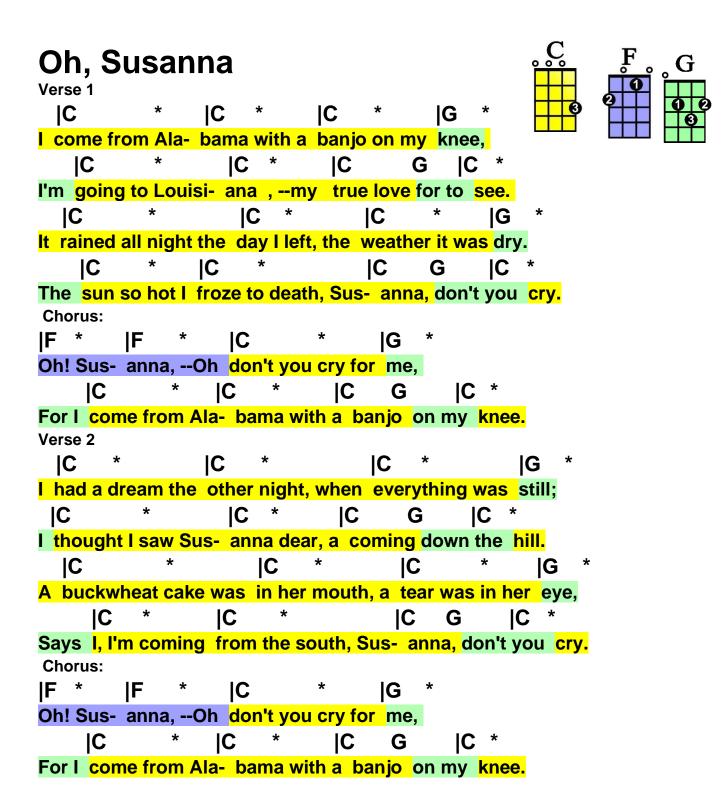
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Chorus:
        |C * * * |C * * * |G * * * |G *
(Jamba-) laya and a crawfish pie and fillet gumbo
      * |G * * * |G * *
                                     * IC * * * |C *
(Cause to-) night I'm gonna see my ma cher a- mio
         IC ** * |C ** * |G *** |G *
(Pick gui-) tar fill fruit jar and --be gay-o
      * IG * * * |G ** * |C *** |C *
(Son of a) gun we'll have big fun on --the bayou
Verse 3:
      (Later) on, swap my mon, get me a pirogue
        IG * * * |G * * * |C * * |C *
(And I'll) catch all --the fish on --the bayou
* * IC * * * IC * * *
                                    IG * * * IG *
(Swap my) mon, to buy Y- vonne what she need-oh
      * |G * * * |G * * *
(Son of a) gun we'll have big fun on --the bayou
Chorus:
        |C * * * |C * * * |G * * * |G *
(Jamba-) laya and a crawfish pie and fillet gumbo
                       IG *
          IG *
                                     * |C * * * |C *
(Cause to-) night I'm gonna see my ma cher a- mio
         IC * * * IC * * *
                              IG * * * IG *
(Pick gui-) tar fill fruit jar and --be gay-o
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\* IG \* \*

(Son of a) gun we'll have big fun on --the bayou

IG \* \* \* |C \* \* \* |C \*

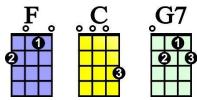
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## On Top of Old Smokey

3/4 Time

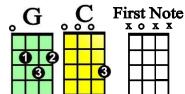


In *On Top of Old Smokey* you get to play three beats between the vertical lines. Instead of 4 beats, each measure gets just 3 beats. This is called ¾ or waltz time and has a different feel from other songs. For more information on playing ¾ time watch: *How to Play On Top of Old Smokey* at AndoAnderson.com

**Chorus:** On top of Old Smo- key, ---all covered with snow,  $|G^{7}**|G^{7}**|G^{7}**$ **IG**<sup>7</sup> \* \* --for courting too slow. I lost my true lover Verse 1: |C \* \* |F \*\* |F \*\* |F \* \* |C \*\* |C \*\* Now, courting's a plea- sure --and parting's a grief,  $|G^{7}**|G^{7}**|G^{7}**|G^{7}**|C^{7}**|C^{7}*$ And a false-hearted lover --is worse than a thief. Verse 2: \* \* |F \* |F \* \* |C \* \* |C \* \* |C \* A thief will just rob you --and take all you saved,  $|G^{7}**|G^{7}**|G^{7}**$   $|G^{7}***|C^{7}**$ But a false-hearted lov- er --will lead to the grave. Verse 3: \* |F\*\*|F\*\* |F\*\* |F \* \* |C\*\*|C\*\*|C And the grave will de-cay you --and turn you to dust;  $|G^{7}* |G^{7}* |G^{7}* |G^{7}* |G^{7}|$ Not one girl in a hundred --a poor boy can trust.

Note: This song has many places where you are only strumming your ukulele and not singing.

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Verse 4:
      |C * * |F ** |F ** |F * * |C ** |C
They'll hug you and kiss you --and tell you more lies
     |C * * |G^{7} * |G^{7} * |G^{7} * |G^{7} * * |G^{7} * * |C * |F * * |C *
Than choices on You- Tube --or stars in the sky.
Verse 5:
    |C * * |F * |F * |F * * |C * * |C *
So, all you young mai- dens --come listen to me,
     |C| * |G^{7} * |G^{7} * |G^{7} * |G^{7} * * |G^{7}|
Don't place your af- fec- tion --on a green willow tree.
Verse 6:
          * * |F * |F * *
For the leaves they will wi- ther,
--and the roots they will die,
* |C * * |G<sup>7</sup> * |G<sup>7</sup> * |G<sup>7</sup> * |G<sup>7</sup> * |C * * |F * * |C *
You'll all be for- sak- en --and never know why.
Chorus:
   |C * * |F * * |F * * |C * * |C * * |C *
On top of Old Smo- key, ---all covered with snow,
* |C * * |G<sup>7</sup> * |G<sup>7</sup> * |G<sup>7</sup> * * |G<sup>7</sup> * * |C * * |F * * |C * *
lost my true lov- er --for courting too slow.
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### **Polly Wolly Doodle**

Verse 1 Well I went down south for to see my gal Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all day. G My Sal she is a spunky gal G Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all day. Chorus Fare thee well, Fare thee well, Fare thee well my fairy fay. G For I'm going to Lou'siana for to see my Susyanna G Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all day. Verse 2 C I went to the river, I couldn't get across Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all day. I jumped on a gator, I thought it was a horse

Sing the chorus here.

Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all day.

G \* C \*
Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all day.

I thought I heard the chicken sneeze

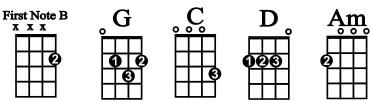
Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all day.

Sing the chorus here.

Watch: How to Play Polly Wolly Doodle at AndoAnderson.com.

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# Ripple



Intro: (|G) |G |G |C |C |C |C |G |G |G |C |C |G |D |C |G

#### Verse 1:

|G |D |C |G |-would you) hold it near as it were your own?

#### Verse 2:

|G |G |C |C |C |C |-It's a hand-me-) down, --the thoughts are broken,

|C |C |C |G |G (--per-) haps they're better left un- sung.

|G |G |C |C |C (--I don't) know, --don't really care,

|G |D |C |G |G / D / (extra measure) let there be songs --to fill the air.

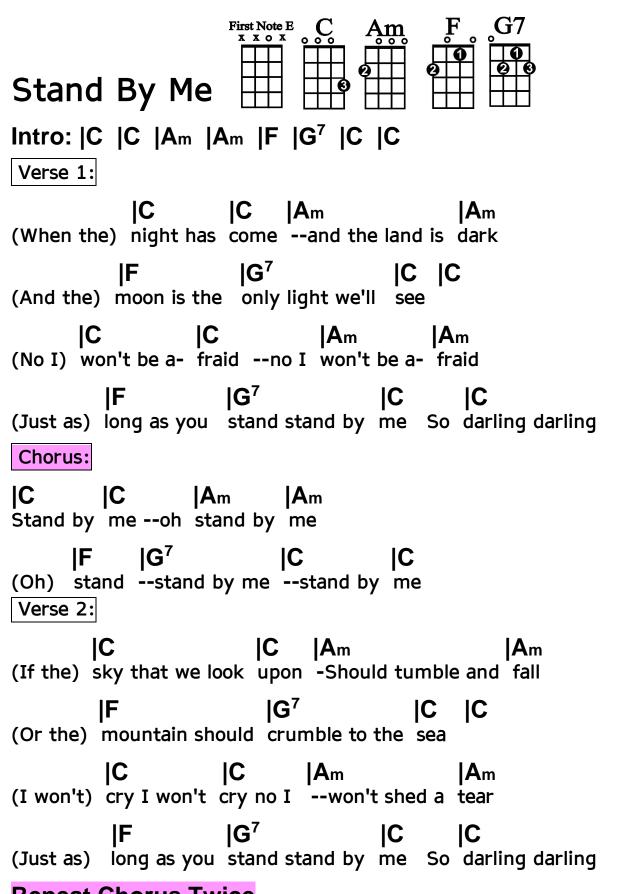
#### Bridge:

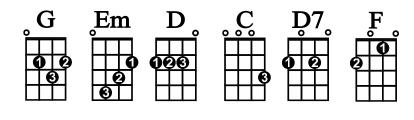
|Am |Am |D |D Ripple in still water,

|G| |C|  $|A^7|$  |D| (--when there) is no pebble tossed, nor wind to blow.

Ripple -2
Verse 3:
G  G  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C
C  C  C  G (if your) cup is full may it be a- gain.
G  G  C  C  C (Let it be) knownthere is a fountain,
G  D  C  G that was not made by the hands of men.
Verse 4:  G  G  C  C (There is a) road,no simple highway,
C  C  C  G  G  C-Be-) tween the dawn and the dark of night,
G  G  C  C (and if you) gono one may follow,
G  D  C  G  G / D / (extra measure) that path is for your steps a- lone.
Play Bridge
Verse 5:  G  G  C  C (You who) chooseto lead must follow,
C  C  C  G (but) if you fall you fall a- lone.
G  G  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C
G  D  C  G  If I knew the way I would take you home.
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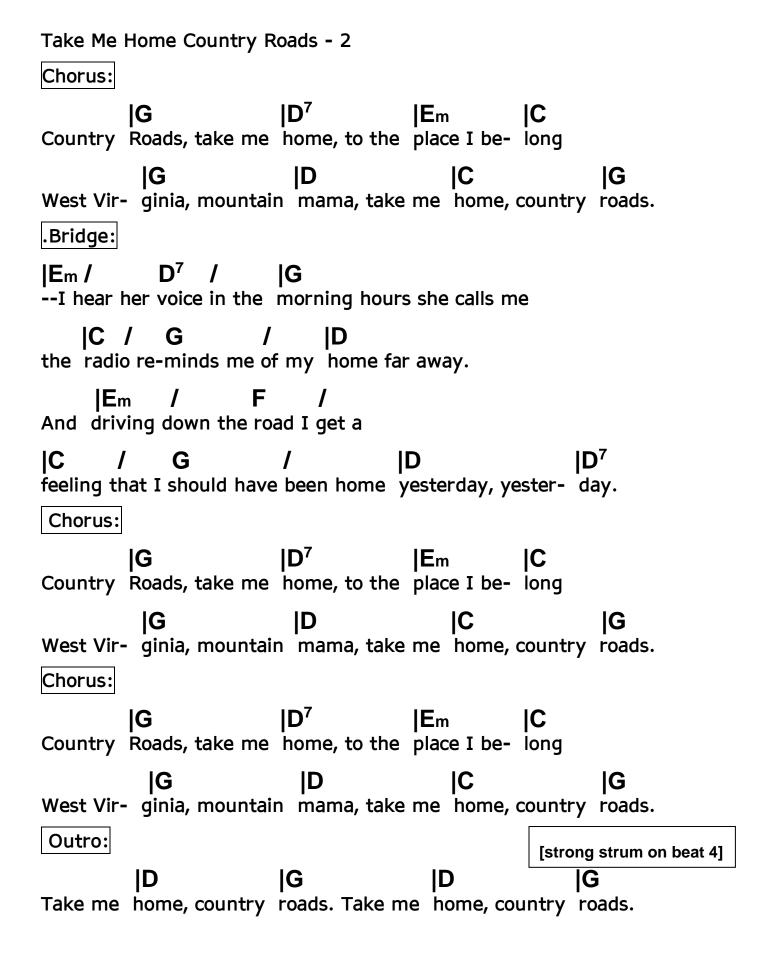
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## Take Me Home Country Roads

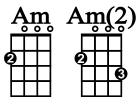
Intro: |G |G Verse 1: IG **IE**m --Almost Heaven, --West Virginia, [2 extra beats] G / // ID --Blue Ridge Mountains, Shenandoah River. **IE**m IG --Life is old there, older than the trees, ID younger than the mountains, blowin like a breeze. Chorus: IE<sub>m</sub> Country Roads, take me home, to the place I be-long IG West Vir- ginia, mountain mama, take me home, country roads. Verse 2: **IE**m --All my memories --gather round her, G / // [2 extra beats] --miner's lady, stranger to blue water |G --Dark and dusty, painted on the sky, ID misty taste of moonshine, teardrop in my eye.

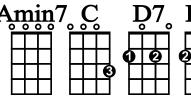


#### Midcoast Ukes

MidcoastUkes.org

#### The Letter







Gsus<sub>2</sub>

Intro:

Verse 1:

IAm IF

Give me a ticket for an aeroplane

|A<sub>m</sub><sup>7</sup> |D7

I don't have the time to take a fast train

IAm IF

Oh my lonely days are gone I'm a-comin' home

|E<sup>7</sup> |Am C D C D C

You see my baby just wrote me a letter

|Am C G Gsus2

Verse 2:

|Am |F

I don't care how much money that I've got to spend

|Am<sup>7</sup> |D7

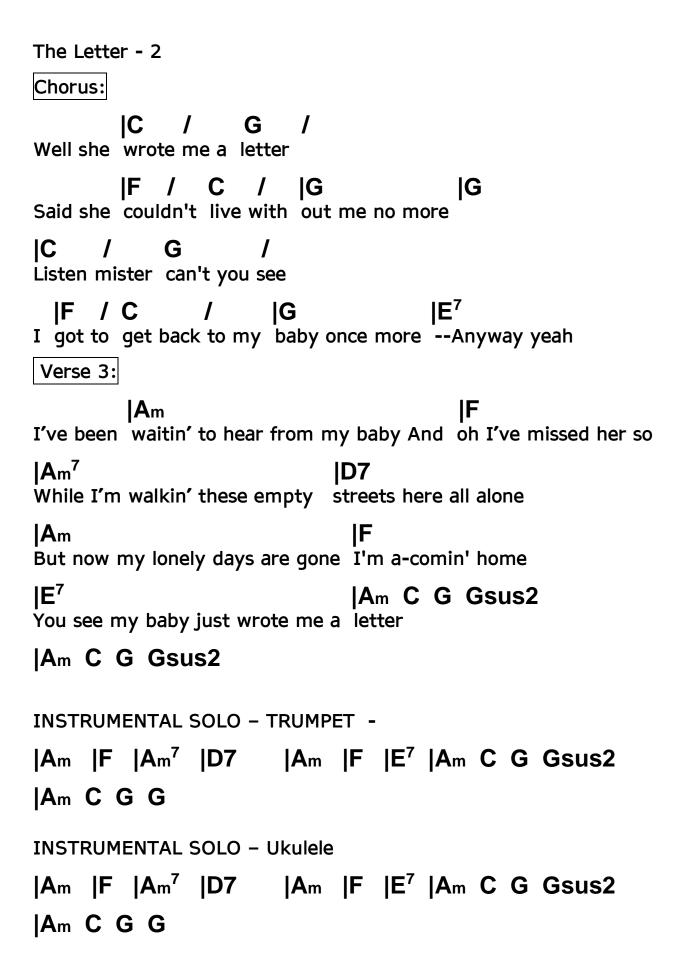
You see I've got to get back to my baby once again

IAm IF

Yeah my lonely days are gone I'm a-comin' home

|E<sup>7</sup> - |Am C G Gsus2 |Am C G /

'Cause my baby just wrote me a letter

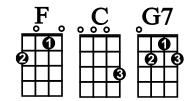


The Letter - 3 Chorus:
C / G / Well she wrote me a letter
F
C
F
Am  F   Give me a ticket for an aeroplane
Am <sup>7</sup>  D7 I don't have the time to take a fast train
Am  F   Oh my lonely days are gone I'm a-comin' home
E <sup>7</sup>  A <sub>m</sub> You see my baby just wrote me a letter
Outro:
E <sup>7</sup>  Am My baby just wrote me a letter (Backup vocals sing I'm coming home)
E <sup>7</sup>  Am My baby just wrote me a letter (Backup vocals sing I'm coming home)
E <sup>7</sup>  Am  My baby yeah she wrote me a letter (All sing I'm coming home)

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## This Land Is Your Land

Intro: |F |C / Am / |G<sup>7</sup> |C / C<sup>7</sup> (hold)



## Chorus:

|F |C

This land is your land, this land is my land

 $|G^7|$   $|C/C^7|$ 

From the Cali- fornia to the New York island

F |C / Am /

From the Redwood Forest, to the gulf stream waters

|G<sup>7</sup> |C

This land was made for you and me

Verse 1:

IF IC

As I went walking that ribbon of highway

|G7 |C<sup>7</sup>

I saw a- bove me that endless skyway

IF |C / Am /

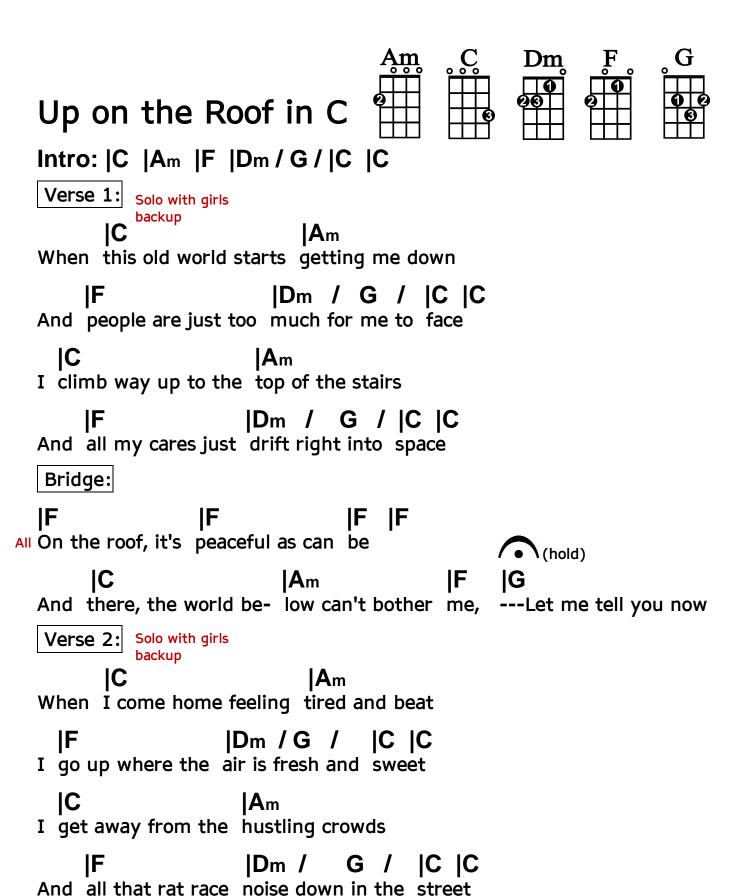
And saw be- low me that golden valley

 $|G^7|$ 

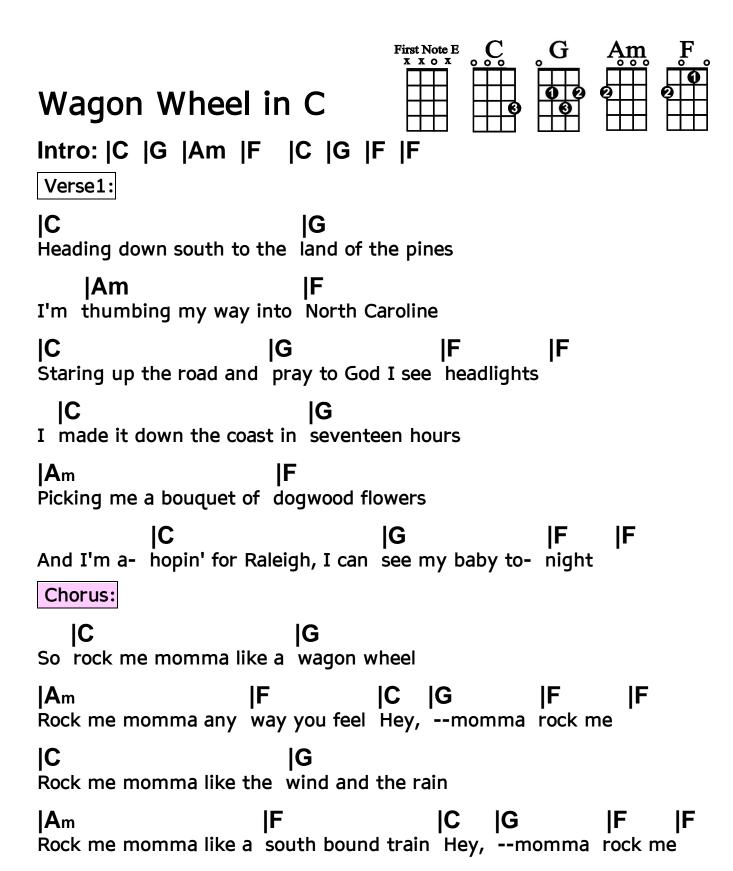
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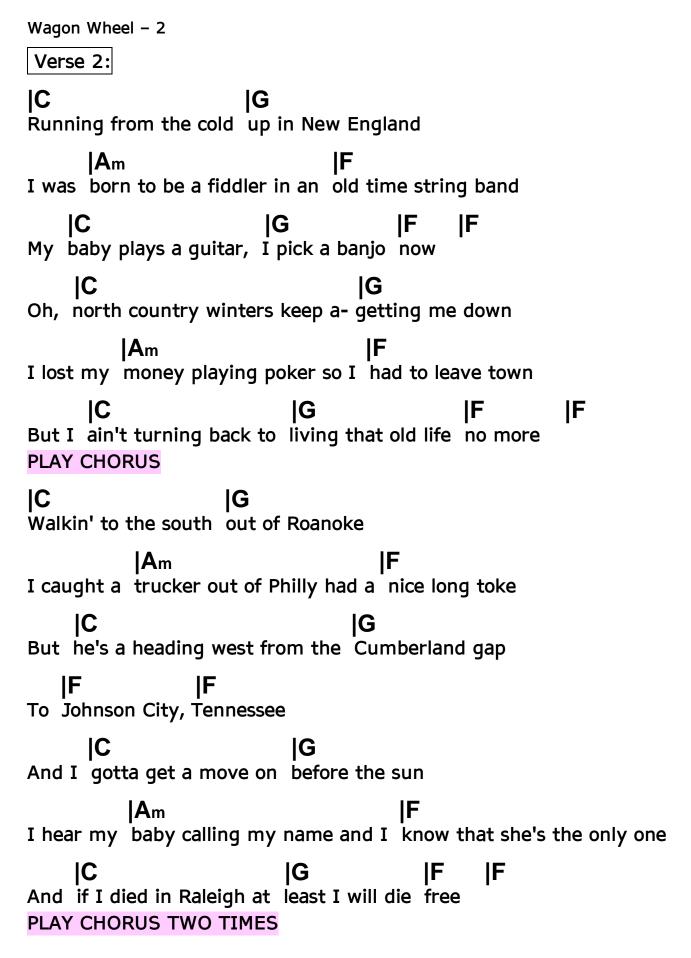
**Play Chorus** 

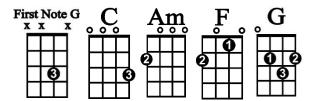
This Land Is Your Land -2
Verse 2:
F  C  I roamed and rambled and I followed my footsteps
G7  C <sup>7</sup> To the sparkling sands of her diamond deserts
F  C / Am / And all a- round me , a voice was sounding
<b>G</b> <sup>7</sup>
Play Chorus
Verse 3:
F  C  When the sun comes shining, then I was strolling
G7  C7 In the wheat fields waving and dust clouds rolling
F  C / Am / The voice was chanting as the fog was lifting
<b>G</b> <sup>7</sup>   <b>C</b> This land was made for you and me
Play Chorus
Play Chorus AGAIN
Play Chorus AGAIN Ending



	Up on the Roof – 2
	Bridge 2:
All	F  F  F  F  F  C  F  F  F  F  F  F  F  F  F  F  F  F  F
	C  Am  F  G  C  C  Where you just have to wish to make it soup on the roof
	Instrumental:  C  Am  F  Dm / G /  C  C
	Bridge 3:
All	F  F  F  At night, the stars put on a show for free
	C  Am  F  G  And, darling, you can share it all with me,I keep-a tellin' you
	Verse 3: Solo with girls backup
	C  Am  Right smack dab in the middle of town
	F  Dm / G /  C  C   I found a para- dise that's trouble- proof
	C  Am
	F  Dm / G / There's room enough for two up on the
	Outro: C C Am AmLead:RoofUp on the roofUp on the roof)Backup:(up on the roof)(up on the roof)
	C  C  Am  Am
	Lead: roof Up on the roof All Up on the Backup: (up on the roof) (up on the roof)
	C (hold) Lead: roof



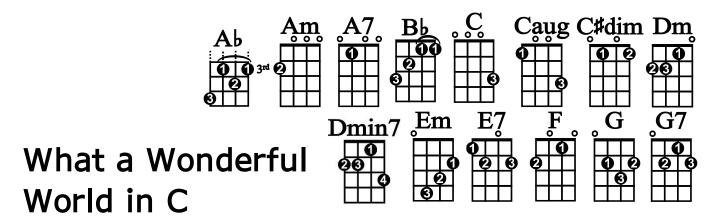




## Whiskey in the Jar

Intro: Instrumental
Verse 1:
C  Am  Am  C  As) I was going over the far fam'd Kerry Mountains,
F  C / G / (I) met with Captain Farrel, and his money he was countin',
C  Am (I) first produced my pistol, and I than produced my rapier,
<b>F</b>   <b>C</b>  Sayin': "Stand and deliver for you are a bold deceiver".
Chorus:
G  C  C (Musha) ring dum a doo dum a da, Whack for the daddy ol',
F  C G C / Whack for the daddy ol', There's whiskey in the jar.
Verse 2:
C  Am (I) counted out his money and it made a pretty penny,
F  C / G / (I) put it in my pocket, and I took it home to Jenny,
$\begin{tabular}{ll}  C  &  A_m  \\ (She) sighed, and she swore that she never would deceive me, \\ \end{tabular}$
F  C  C  But the) devil take the women for they never can be easy.

Whiskey in the Jar - 2
Chorus:
G  C  C (Musha) ring dum a doo dum a da, Whack for the daddy ol',
F  C G C / Whack for the daddy ol', There's whiskey in the jar.
Verse 3:
C  Am  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C
F  C / G / (I) dreamt of gold and jewels and for sure it was no wonder,
C  Am  Am  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C
<b>F</b>   <b>C</b> (Then) sent for Captain Farrel, to be ready for the slaughter.
Play Chorus:
Verse 4:
C  Am (Now) there's some take delight in the carriages a rolling
F  C / G / (and) others take delight in the hurling and the bowling
C  Am    C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C
F  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C  C
Play Chorus:



Intro: |Ab |Dm<sup>7</sup> / G<sup>7</sup> / |C / C+ / |F / G /

Verse 1:

|C / Em / |F / Em / I see trees of green, --red roses, too,

 $|\mathbf{Dm}^7|$  /  $|\mathbf{C}|$  /  $|\mathbf{E}^7|$  / Am / --I see them bloom, --for me and you

|Ab |Dm<sup>7</sup> / G<sup>7</sup> / |C / C+ / |F / G / And I think to myself ---What a wonderful world.

Verse 2:

|C / Em / |F / Em / I see skies of blue, --and clouds of white,

|Dm<sup>7</sup> / C / |E<sup>7</sup> / Am / --The bright blessed day, the dark sacred night

|Ab|  $|Dm^7|$  |C| |C| |C| And I think to myself ---What a wonderful world.

