

December 2025 Songbook

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas! Here is your December Songbook, for the first meeting of the month on Wednesday 3rd December . There will be a SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SONG BOOK FOR OUR MAIN MEETING ON 17TH DECEMBER. Have a wonderful month and keep on ukin'.

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| 1. Bye bye love | 12. Feliz Navidad |
| 2. A lonely pup in a Christmas shop | 13. A picture of you |
| 3. Love me do | 14. I'm dreaming of a white Christmas |
| 4. Rudolph the red nosed Reindeer | 15. Rock around the clock |
| 5. Runaway | 16. Silent night |
| 6. Deck the halls | 17. Worried Man blues |
| 7. Half way to Paradise | 18. While shepherds watched (Ilkley Moor) |
| 8. Mele Kalikimaka | 19. Streets of London |
| 9. Raining in my heart | 20. Santa Claus is coming to town |
| 10. Beginning to look a lot like Christmas | 21. Blue Suede Shoes |
| 11. Sway | 22. We wish you a Merry Christmas |

As it's Christmas time, please wear your Santa Hats and other festive paraphernalia. We've trimmed down the number of Christmas songs this year, but we can't ignore Christmas completely! Enjoy yourself, it's later than you think. Ho Ho Ho!



OPEN MICS WELCOME, AS USUAL!

Bye Bye Love (by The Everly Brothers, 1957)



Chorus:

[C] Bye bye [G] love [C] bye bye [G] happiness
 [C] Hello [G] loneliness I think I'm a [D7] gonna [G] cry [G7]
 [C] Bye bye [G] love [C] bye bye [G] sweet caress
 [C] Hello [G] emptiness I feel like [D7] I could [G] die
 [G] Bye bye my [D7] love good[G]bye

[Tacet] There goes my [D7] baby with someone [G] new
 [G] She sure looks [D7] happy I sure am [G] blue
 She was my [C] baby till he stepped [D7] in
 Goodbye to romance that might have been [G] [G7]

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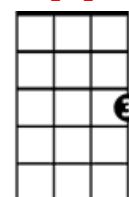
[G] I'm through with [D7] romance I'm through with [G] love
 [G] I'm through with [D7] counting the stars a[G]bove
 Here's the [C] reason that I'm so [D7] free
 My lovin' [D7] baby is through with me [G] [G7]

Chorus:

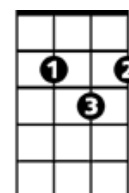
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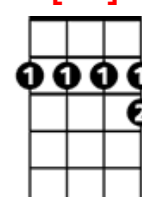
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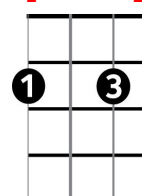
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[D7]



[D7-alt]



A Lonely Pup In A Christmas Shop (Adam Faith & The Roulettes)



[A] Soft brown eyes that [A] seem to say
 [A] Stay a while, I [E7] want to play
 [E7] Would you, could you, [E7] do please stop?
 He's a [E7] [single strum] lonely pup in a Christmas [A] shop

[A] Thank you lady, [A] thank you sir
 Is there [A] someone else that [E7] you'd prefer?
 [E7] He's not selfish, [E7] just a flop
 Though he [E7] [single strum] wags his tail
 In a Christmas [A] shop [A7]

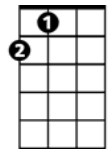
[D] Mister Santa, [A] if you would
 [E7] Send him someone, [A] oh so good
 [D] Someone who will [A] take him home
 For [B] ev'ry-[B7]-one to [E7] see

[A] Christmas time, a [A] Christmas tree
 [A] With a happy [E7] family
 [E7] Pity him, he's [E7] got no pop
 He's a [E7] [single strum] lonely pup in a Christmas [A] shop [A7]

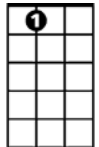
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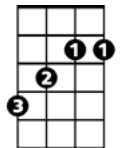
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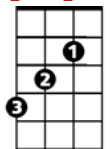
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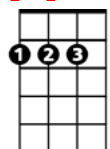
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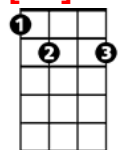
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Love Me Do (Lennon/McCartney, 196)



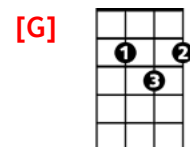
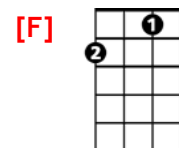
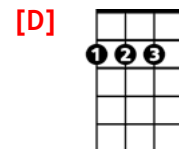
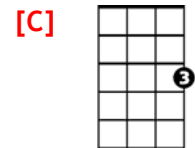
Intro: [G]/// [C]/// x2

[G] Love, love me [C] do
You [G] know I love [C] you
I'll [G] always be [C] true
So pleeee-[C]-ease
[NC] Love me [G] do [C]
Wo oh [G] Love me do [C]

[G] Love, love me [C] do
You [G] know I love [C] you
I'll [G] always be [C] true
So pleeee-[C]-ease
[NC] Love me [G] do [C]
Wo oh [G] Love me do [C]

[D] Someone to love, [C] some-[F]-body [G] new
[D] Someone to love, [C] some-[F]-one like [G] you
[G] Love, love me [C] do
You [G] know I love [C] you
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[D] Someone to love, [C] some-[F]-one like you [G]
[G] Love, love me [C] do
You [G] know I love [C] you
I'll [G] always be [C] true
So pleeee-[C]-ease
[NC] Love me [G] do [C]
oh, [G] Love me do,
[C] Yeah [G] love me do, [fading] [C] wo oh [G] love me do





Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer

key:F, artist:Gene Autry writer:Johnny Marks

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7cdeDkpGzRA>

[F] Rudolph, the red-nosed reindeer
Had a very shiny [C] nose,
And if you ever saw it,
[C7] You would even say it [F] glows.
All of the other reindeer
Used to laugh and call him [C] names
They never let poor Rudolph
[C7] Join in any reindeer [F] games. [F7]

[Bb] Then one foggy [F] Christmas Eve
[C] Santa came to [F] say,
[C] "Rudolph with your [A7] nose so bright,
[G] Won't you guide my [C7] sleigh tonight?"
[F] Then all the reindeer loved him
And they shouted out with [C] glee,
"Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer,
[C7] You'll go down in [F] history!

BACK TO THE START AND REPEAT ALL

[C7] You'll go down in [F] history!
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Runaway (Del Shannon & Max Crook)



[Am] As I walk along I [G] wonder what went wrong

With [F] our love, a love that was so [E7] strong

[Am] And as I still walk on I [G] think of

The things we've done to-[F]-gether

While our hearts were [E7] young

[A] I'm a walkin' in the rain

[F#m] Tears are fallin' and I feel the pain

[A] Wishin' you were here by me [F#m] to end this misery

And I [A] wonder, I wa wa wa wa [F#m] wonder

[A] Why, why why why why [F#m] why she ran away

And I [D] wonder where she will [E7] stay

My little [A] runaway [D] run run run run [A] runaway [E7]

Instrumental: [Am] [G] [F] [E7] [Am] [G] [F] [E7]

[A] I'm a walkin' in the rain

[F#m] Tears are fallin' and I feel the pain

[A] Wishin' you were here by me [F#m] to end this misery

And I [A] wonder I wa wa wa wa [F#m] wonder

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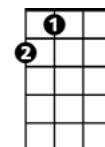
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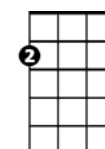
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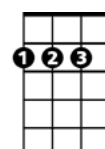
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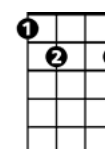
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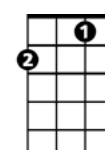
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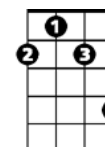
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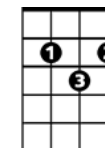
[F]



[F#m]



[G]



Deck The Halls [Trad]



[F] Deck the halls with boughs of holly

[C7] Fa la la la [F] laa, la [C7] la la [F] laa

[F] Tis the season to be jolly,

[C7] Fa la la la [F] laa, la [C7] la la [F] laa

[C7] Don we now our [F] gay [C] apparel

[F] Fa la laa [Dm] la la [G7] la la [C] la

[F] Troll the ancient Yuletide carol

[Bb] Fa la la la [F] la, la la [C7] la [F] la.

[F] See the blazing Yule before us,

[C7] Fa la la la [F] laa, la [C7] la la [F] laa

[F] Strike the harp and join the chorus,

[C7] Fa la la la [F] laa, la [C7] la la [F] laa

[C7] Follow me in [F] merry [C] measure

[F] Fa la laa [Dm] la la [G7] la la [C] la

[F] While I tell of Yuletide treasure,

[Bb] Fa la la la [F] la, la la [C7] la [F] la.

[F] Fast away the old year passes,

[C7] Fa la la la [F] laa, la [C7] la la [F] laa

[F] Hail the new, ye lads and lasses

[C7] Fa la la la [F] laa, la [C7] la la [F] laa

[C7] Sing we joyous [F] all [C] together,

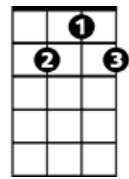
[F] Fa la laa [Dm] la la [G7] la la [C] la

[F] Heedless of the wind and weather,

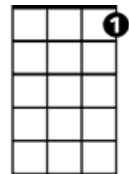
[Bb] Fa la la la [F] la, la la [C7] la [F] la.

[slowly] [Bb] Fa la la la [F] la, la la [C7] la [F] la.

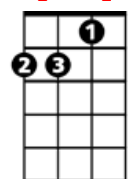
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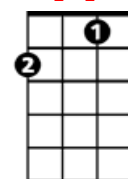
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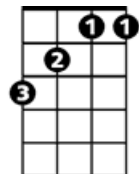
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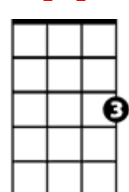
[F]



[Bb]



[C]



Halfway to Paradise (Sung by Billy Fury)

[G] I want to [C] be your [G] lover, but your friend is all
I've [D] stayed [D7]
I'm only [G] halfway to [C] paradise, so [G] near, yet
[D] so far a [G] way.

I long for [G] your lips [C] to kiss [G] my lips,
but just when I think they [D] may, [D7]
You lead me [G] halfway to [C] paradise,
so [G] near, yet [D] so far a [G] way.

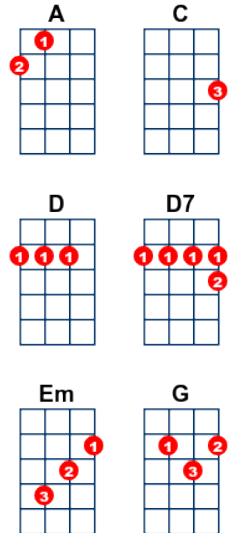
[D] Being close to you is almost [G] heaven (heaven),
but [D] seeing you can do just so [G] much.
It [D] hurts me so to know your heart's a [G] treasure (treasure),
That [Em] my heart [A] is forbidden to [D] tou.....ch,
[D7]

So put your [G] sweet lips [C] close to my [G] lips,
and tell me that's where they're gonna [D] stay. [D7]
Don't lead me [G] halfway to pa[C]radise,
So [G] near, yet [D] so far a [G] way.

Instrumental Verse – kazoo etc

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Don't lead me [G] halfway to pa[C]radise,
So [G] near, yet [D] so far a [G] way.
[C] So [G] near, yet [D] so far a [G] way.



Mele Kalikimaka

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ob4LT_gUSFQ

[C] [C] [A7] [Dm7] [G7] [C] [G7]

[C] Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say,
on a bright Ha-**[D7]**waiian Christmas **[G7]** Day.
That's the island greeting that we **[Dm7]** send, to **[G7]** you.
From the land where palm trees **[C]** sway.

[C7] Here we know that Christmas, **[F]** will be green and bright.
The **[A]** sun to shine **[A7]** by day and **[D7]** all the stars at **[G7]** night.

[C] Mele Kalikimaka is Hawaii's **[A7]** way,
to **[Dm7]** say Merry **[G7]** Christmas to **[C]** you.

Kazoo - [C] Mele Kalikimaka is the thing to say, etc (1st Verse)

[C7] Here we know that Christmas will be **[F]** green and bright.
The **[A7]** sun to shine by day and all the, **[D7]** stars at **[G7]** night.

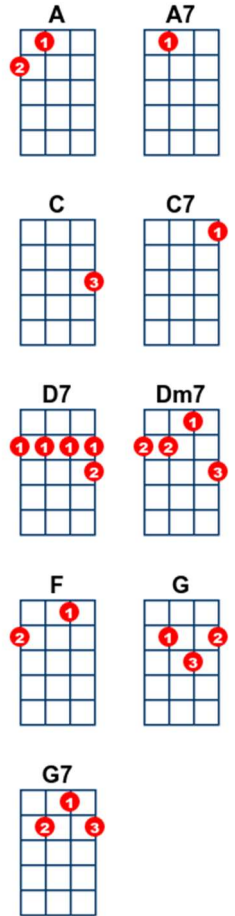
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[NC] Mele Kalikimaka is the **[C]** thing to say,
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From the land where palm trees **[C]** sway.

[C7] Here we know that Christmas will be **[F]** green and bright.
The **[A7]** sun to shine by day and all the **[D7]** stars at **[G7]** night.

[C] Mele Kalikimaka is Hawaii's **[A7]** way,
to **[D7]** say Merry **[G7]** Christmas, a **[D7]** very merry **[G]** Christmas.

A **[D7]** very very merry merry **[G7]** Christmas to **[C]** you. **[G7] [C]**



Raining in My Heart

key:C, artist:Buddy Holly writer:Felice and Boudleaux Bryant

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ILeZof1wGps> But In G

Play the [C7-3] instead of a std C7 to make a nice effect

Intro (first verse):

The [C] sun is out, the [Caug] sky is blue,
there's [Am/C] not a cloud to [C7] spoil the view
but it's [F] raining, [G] raining in my [C] heart

The [C] sun is out, the [Caug] sky is blue,
there's [Am/C] not a cloud to [C7] spoil the view
but it's [F] raining, [G] raining in my [C] heart [G7]

The [C] weather man says [Caug] clear today,
he [Am/C] doesn't know you've gone [C7] away
and it's [F] raining, [G] raining in my [C] heart [C7]

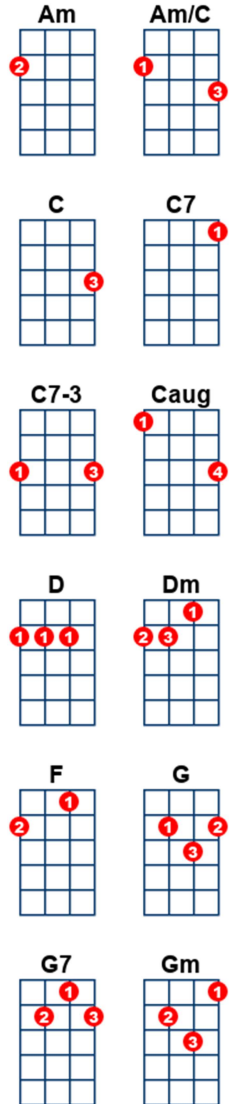
[Gm] Oh, mise-[C]ry, mise-[F]ry,
[Am] what's gonna be-[D]come of [Dm] me? [G7]

I [C] tell my blues they [Caug] mustn't show
but [Am/C] soon these tears are [C7] bound to flow,
'cause it's [F] raining, [G] raining in my [C] heart [G7]

(Play only) [C]/// [Caug]/// [Am/C]/// [C7]///
(sing) it's [F] raining,.. [G] raining in my [C] heart
(Play only) [C]/// [Caug]/// [Am/C]/// [C7]///
(sing) it's [F] raining,.. [G] raining in my [C] heart [C7]

[Gm] Oh, mise-[C]ry, mise-[F]ry,
[Am] what's gonna be-[D]come of [Dm] me? [G7]

I [C] tell my blues they [Caug] mustn't show
but [Am/C] soon these tears are [C7] bound to flow,
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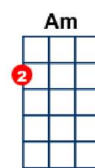
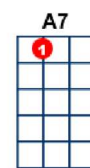




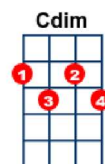
It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas

key:C, artist:Bing Crosby writer:Meredith Willson

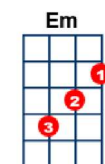
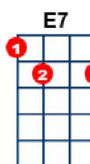
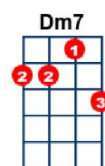
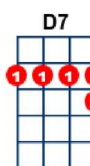
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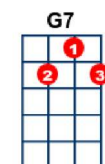
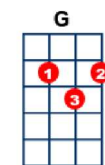
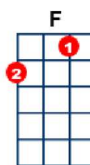
[G7] It's be-**[C]**ginning to look a **[F]** lot like **[C]** Christmas,
Ev-ry-**[E7]**where you **[F]** go **[A7]**
Take a **[Dm7]** look in the five and **[G7]** ten,
[Em] glistering once a-**[Am]**gain
With **[G]** candy canes and **[D7]** silver lanes a-**[G7]**glow.



It's be-**[C]**ginning to look a **[F]** lot like **[C]** Christmas,
toys in **[E7]** ev'ry **[F]** store **[A7]**
But the **[Dm7]** prettiest sight to **[Cdim]** see
is the **[C]** holly that will **[A7]** be
on your **[Dm7]** own **[G7]** front **[C]** door.



[E7] Hopalong boots and a pistol that shoots
are the **[Am]** wishes of **[E7]** Barney and **[Am]** Ben,
[D7] Dolls that will talk and will go for a walk
Is the **[G7]** hope of **[D7]** Janice and **[G7]** Jen,
And **[G7]** Mom and Dad can hardly wait for school to start
again.



[G7] It's be-**[C]**ginning to look a **[F]** lot like **[C]** Christmas,
Ev-ry-**[E7]**where you **[F]** go**[A7]**
There's a **[Dm7]** tree in the Grand Ho-**[G7]**tel,
[Em] one in the park as **[Am]** well,
The **[G]** sturdy kind that **[D7]** doesn't mind the **[G7]** snow.

[G7] It's be-**[C]**ginning to look a **[F]** lot like **[C]** Christmas
soon the **[E7]** bells will **[F]** start, **[A7]**
And the **[Dm7]** thing that will make them **[Cdim]** ring
is the **[C]** carol that you **[A7]** sing,
right with-**[Dm7]**in **[G7]** your **[C]** heart. **[A7]**
right with-**[Dm7]**in **[G7]** your **[C]** heart. **[F]** **[C]**

Sway (by Dean Martin, 1954)



Intro: [Dm] / / / [E7] / / / [Am] / / / [Am]
 [NC] When marimba rhythm [Dm] starts to play
 [E7] Dance with me, [Am] make me sway
 [Am] Like a lazy ocean [Dm] hugs the shore
 [E7] Hold me close, [Am] sway me more.
 Like a flower bending [Dm] in the breeze
 [E7] Bend with me, [Am] sway with ease
 [Am] When we dance you have a [Dm] way with me
 [E7] Stay with me, [Am] sway with me.

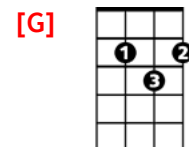
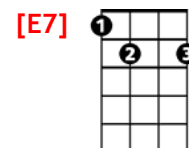
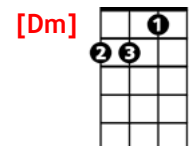
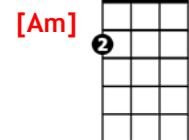
[Am] Other dancers may [G] be on the floor
 Dear, but my eyes will [C] see only you
 Only you have the [E7] magic technique
 When we sway I go [Am] weak. [Stop]

I can hear the sound of [Dm] violins
 [E7] Long before [Am] it begins
 [Am] Make me thrill as only [Dm] you know how
 [E7] Sway me smooth, [Am] sway me now.

Instrumental Break: [Dm] [E7] [Am] [Am]
 [Dm] [E7] [Am]

[Am] Other dancers may [G] be on the floor
 Dear, but my eyes will [C] see only you
 Only you have the [E7] magic technique
 When we sway I go [Am] weak. [Stop]

I can hear the sound of [Dm] violins
 [E7] Long before [Am] it begins
 [Am] Make me thrill as only [Dm] you know how
 [E7] Sway me smooth, [Am] sway me now.
 [Am] Make me thrill as only [Dm] you know how
 [E7] Sway me smoo-oo-oo-ooth, [Stop]
 Sway me [Am] no . . . [Dm] . . . [Am] . . . ow!





Feliz Navidad

(José Feliciano)

[C]Feliz Navi [F]dad
[G7]Feliz Navi [C] dad [Am]
Feliz Navi[F]dad
Prospero [G]Año y Felici[C]dad.

[C]Feliz Navi [F]dad
[G7]Feliz Navi [C] dad [Am]
Feliz Navi[F]dad
Prospero [G]Año y Felici[C]dad.

[C]I wanna wish you a [F]Merry Christmas
[G]I wanna wish you a [C]Merry Christmas [Am]
I wanna wish you a[F] Merry Christmas
From the [G]bottom of my [C]heart

[C]I wanna wish you a [F]Merry Christmas
[G]I wanna wish you a [C]Merry Christmas [Am]
I wanna wish you a[F] Merry Christmas
From the [G]bottom of my [C]heart

BACK TO START AND REPEAT ALL

[C]Feliz Navi [F]dad
[G]Feliz Navi [C] dad [Am]
Feliz Navi[F]dad
Prospero [G]Año y Felici[C]dad.

A Picture Of You (Beveridge & Oakman, 1962)



[Bb] A-[C]-hoo

[C] In the night there are [Bb] sights to be [G] seen

[C] Stars like jewels on the [Bb] crown of a [G] queen

[F] But the only sight I want to [G] view

Is that [C] wonderful [F] picture of [C] you [G]

[C] On a streetcar or [Bb] in the [G] café

[C] All of the evening and [Bb] most of the [G] day

My [F] mind is in a maze, what can I [G] do?

I [C] still see that [F] picture of [C] you

[Em] It was last [Dm] summer, [Em] I fell in [Dm] love

[Em] My heart [Dm] told me what [Em] to do [G]

[C] I saw you there on the [Am] crest of a hill

And [F] I took a little picture of [G] you

[C] Then you were gone like a [Bb] dream in the [G] night

[C] With you went my heart, my [Bb] love and my [G] light

I [F] didn't know your name, what could I [G] do?

I [C] only had a [F] picture of [C] you

Instrumental break:

[C] / / / [C] / / / [Bb] / / / - [G] [G] -

[C] / / / [C] / / / [Bb] / / / - [G] [G] -

[C] Then you were gone like a [Bb] dream in the [G] night

[C] With you went my heart, my [Bb] love and my [G] light

I [F] didn't know your name, what could I [G] do?

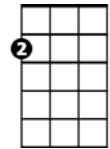
I [C] only had a [F] picture of [C] you, oh [F] yeah

That [C] wonderful [F] picture of [C] you [X]

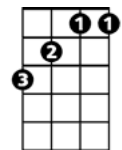
I'm [C] left with a [F] picture of [C] you, oh, [F] yeah

That [C] wonderful [F] picture of [C] you

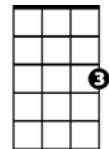
[Am]



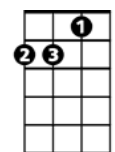
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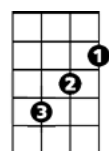
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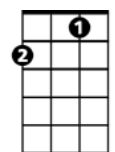
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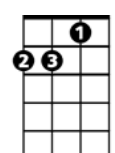
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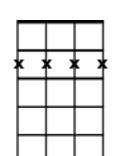
[F]



[G]



[X]



(I'm Dreaming Of A) **White Christmas** (by Irving Berlin)

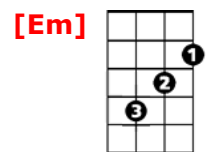
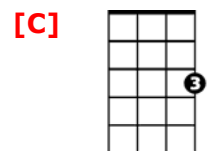
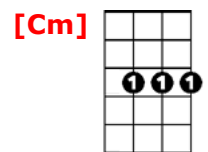
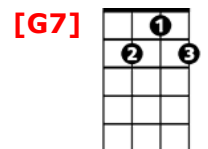
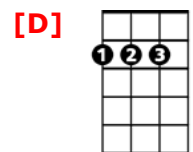
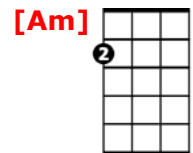
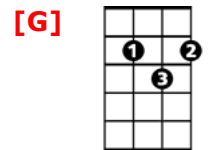


[G] I'm dreaming of a [Am] white [D] Christmas
[C] Just like the [D] ones I used to [G] know
Where the tree tops [G7] glisten and [C] children [Cm] listen
To [G] hear [Em] sleigh bells in the [Am] snow [D]

[G] I'm dreaming of a [Am] white [D] Christmas
[C] With every [D] Christmas card I [G] write
May your days be [G7] merry and [C] bright [Cm]
And may [G] all your [Am] Christmas-[D]-es be [G] white [D]

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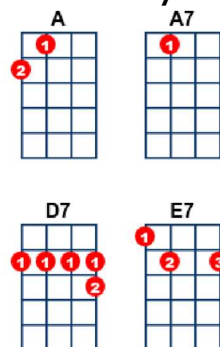


Rock Around the Clock [A]

key:A, artist:Bill Haley writer:Max C. Freedman, James E. Myers

Bill Haley: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DWkuM2IPbZQ>

* is single Down only strum, ** is single Down Up strum



[A]* One, two, three o'clock, four o'clock, rock [A]**

[A]* Five, six, seven o'clock, eight o'clock, rock [A]**

[A]* Nine, ten, eleven o'clock, twelve o'clock, rock

We're gonna [E7] rock around the clock tonight.

Put your [A] glad rags on and join me, hon,
we'll have some fun when the [A7] clock strikes one

We're gonna [D7] rock around the clock tonight,

we're gonna [A] rock, rock, rock, 'til broad daylight.

We're gonna [E7] rock, gonna rock, a [D7] round the clock to-[A]night. [E7]

When the [A] clock strikes two, three and four,

if the band slows down we'll [A7] yell for more

We're gonna [D7] rock around the clock tonight,

we're gonna [A] rock, rock, rock, 'til broad daylight.

We're gonna [E7] rock, gonna rock, a [D7] ound the clock to-[A]night. [E7]

When the [A] chimes ring five, six and seven,

we'll be right in [A7] seventh heaven.

We're gonna [D7] rock around the clock tonight,

we're gonna [A] rock, rock, rock, 'til broad daylight.

We're gonna [E7] rock, gonna rock, a [D7] round the clock to-[A]night. [E7]

When it's [A] eight, nine, ten, eleven too,

I'll be goin' strong and [A7] so will you.

We're gonna [D7] rock around the clock tonight,

we're gonna [A] rock, rock, rock, 'til broad daylight.

We're gonna [E7] rock, gonna rock, a [D7] round the clock to-[A]night. [E7]

Instrumental / kazoo verse

When the [A] clock strikes twelve, we'll cool off then,
start a rockin' round the [A7] clock again.

We're gonna [D7] rock around the clock tonight,

we're gonna [A] rock, rock, rock, 'til broad daylight.

We're gonna [E7] rock, gonna rock, a [D7] round the clock to-[A]night. [A]

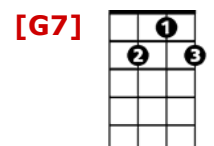
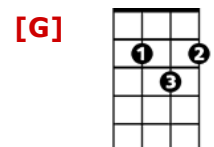
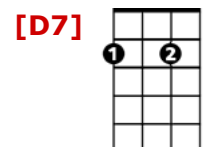
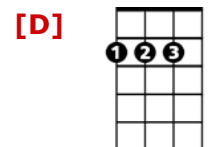
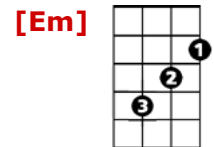
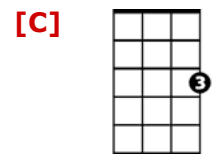
Silent Night [Mohr & Gruber]



[G] Silent night, holy night!
 [D] All is [D7] calm, [G] all is [G7] bright,
 [C] Round yon virgin, [G] mother and [G7] child,
 [C] Holy infant so [G] tender and mild,
 [D] Sleep in [D7] heavenly [G] peace [Em]
 [G] Sleep in [D7] heavenly [G] peace. [C][G]

Silent night, holy night!
 [D] Shepherds [D7] quake [G] at the [G7] sight
 [C] Glories stream from [G] heaven [G7] afar
 [C] Heavenly hosts sing [G] alleluia
 [D] Christ the [D7] saviour is [G] born [Em]
 [G] Christ the [D7] saviour is [G] born. [C][G]

Silent night, holy night!
 [D] Son of [D7] God, [G] love's pure [G7] light
 [C] Radiant beams from [G] thy holy [G7] face,
 [C] With the dawn of [G] redeeming grace
 [D] Jesus [D7] Lord at thy [G] birth [Em]
 [G] Jesus [D7] Lord at thy [G] birth.





Worried Man Blues

key:C, artist:The Stanley Brothers and the Clinch Mountain Boys

writer:Traditional

The Stanley Brothers and the Clinch Mountain Boys:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=is4WK99hPcg>

CHORUS: [C] It takes a worried man to sing a worried song
It [F] takes a worried man to sing a worried [C] song
[C] It takes a worried man to [E7] sing a worried [Am] song
I'm worried [G7] now but I won't be worried [C] long

[C] I went across the river to lay me down to sleep
I [F] went across the river to lay me down to [C] sleep
[C] I went across the river [E7] to lay me down to [Am] sleep
When I woke [G7] up there were shackles on my [C] feet

CHORUS:

[C] Twenty-nine links of chain wrapped around my leg
[F] Twenty-nine links of chain wrapped around my [C] leg
[C] Twenty-nine links of [E7] chain wrapped around my [Am] leg
And on each [G7] link was the initial of my [C] name

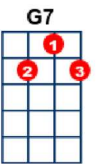
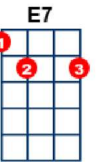
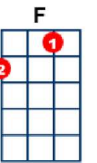
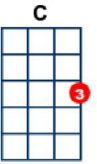
CHORUS:

[C] I asked the judge what might be my fine
[F] I asked the judge what might be my [C] fine
[C] I asked the judge [E7] what might be my [Am] fine
Twenty-one [G7] years on the Rocky Mountain [C] Line

CHORUS:

[C] This train that I ride is sixteen coaches long
The [F] train that I ride is sixteen coaches [C] long
[C] The train that I ride is [E7] sixteen coaches [Am] long
The girl I [G7] love is on that train and [C] gone

[C] It takes a worried man to sing a worried song
It [F] takes a worried man to sing a worried [C] song
[C] It takes a worried man to [E7] sing a worried [Am] song
I'm worried [G7] now but I won't be worried [C] long
I'm worried [G7] now but I won't be worried [C] long



While Shepherds Watched - Alt

key: F, artist: Stamford Bridge Singers writer: Nahum Tate

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pf90SQPBgGA>

to the tune of 'Ilkley Moor Bar t'at.'

[F] for 2 bars

[F] While shepherds [C7] watched their flocks by [F] night, (flocks by night)

All seated [Bb] on the [F] gro-[C7]ound,

The angel of the Lord came [F] down,

[G7] The angel of the Lord came [C7] down

And [F] glory shone around [F] [F] and glory shone around [F]

And [Gm] glory [C7] shone a-[F]round,

[F] Fear not, said [C7] he, for mighty [F] dread, (mighty dread)

had seized their [Bb] troubled [F] mi-[C7]ind

Glad tidings of great joy [F] I bring

[G7] Glad tidings of great joy [C7] I bring

To [F] you and all mankind [F] to you and all mankind [F]

To [Gm] you and [C7] all man-[F]kind

[F] To you in [C7] David's town this [F] day, (town this day)

Is born of [Bb] David's [F] li-[C7]ine

A Saviour, who is Christ the [F] Lord,

[G7] A Saviour, who is Christ the [C7] Lord,

And [F] this shall be the sign [F] and this shall be the sign [F]

And [Gm] this shall [C7] be the [F] sign

[F] The heavenly [C7] babe you there shall [F] find, (there shall find)

To human [Bb] view dis-[F]pla-[C7]yed,

All meanly wrapped in swaddling [F] bands,

[G7] All meanly wrapped in swaddling [C7] bands,

And [F] in a manger laid [F] and in a manger laid [F],

And [Gm] in a [C7] manger [F] laid.

[F] All glory [C7] be to God on [F] high, (God on high)

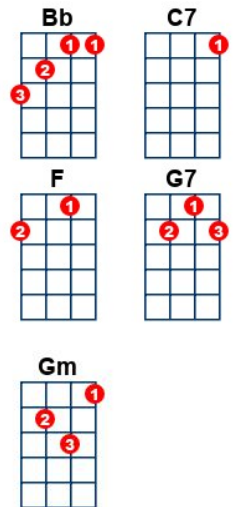
And to the [Bb] earth be [F] pe-[C7]eace

Good will to men from highest [F] heav'n

[G7] Good will to men from highest [C7] heav'n

Be-[F]gin and never cease [F] begin and never cease [F]

Be-[Gm]gin and [C7] never [F] cease.



Streets Of London (by Ralph McTell, 1969)



[C] Have you seen the [G] old man in the [Am] closed-down [Em] market
 [F] Kicking up the [C] papers with his [Dm] worn out [G] shoes?
 [C] In his eyes you [G] see no pride, [Am] hand held loosely [Em] by his side
 [F] Yesterday's [C] paper telling [G7] yesterday's [C] news

Chorus: So [F] how can you [Em] tell me you're [G7] lonely, [Am]
 [D] And say for [D7] you that the sun don't [G] shine? [G7]
 [C] Let me take you [G] by the hand and
 [Am] lead you through [Em] the streets of London
 [F] I'll show you [C] something to [G] make you change your [C] mind

[C] Have you seen the [G] old girl who [Am] walks the streets of [Em] London
 [F] Dirt in her [C] hair and her [Dm] clothes in [G] rags?
 [C] She's no time for [G] talking, she [Am] just keeps right on [Em] walking
 [F] Carrying her [C] home in two [G7] carrier [C] bags.

Chorus

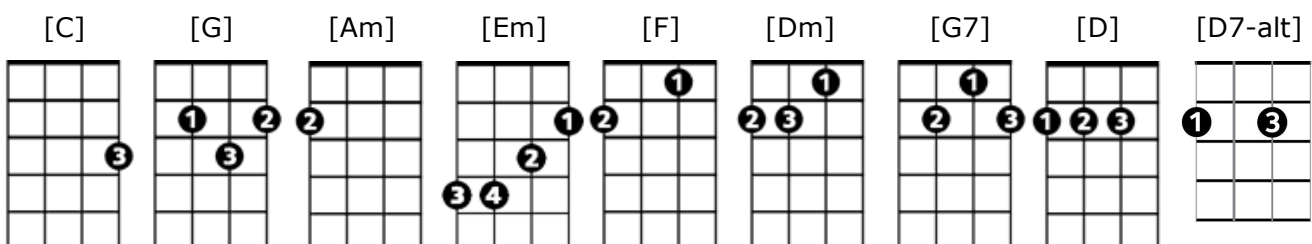
[C] In the all night [G] café, at a [Am] quarter past [Em] eleven,
 [F] Same old [C] man sitting [Dm] there on his [G7] own
 [C] Looking at the [G] world over the [Am] rim of his [Em] tea-cup,
 [F] each tea lasts an [C] hour and he [G7] wanders home [C] alone

Chorus

And [C] have you seen the [G] old man, out[Am]side the seaman's [Em] mission
 [F] Memory fading [C] with the medal [Dm] ribbons that he [G] wears?
 [C] In our winter [G] city, the rain [Am] cries a little [Em] pity
 For [F] one more forgotten [C] hero and a [G7] world that doesn't [C] care

Chorus

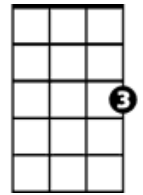
[F] I'll show you [C] something to [G] make you change your [C] mind



Santa Claus Is Comin' To Town [by Gillespie & Coots, 1934]



[C]



You [C] better watch out, you [F] better not cry,

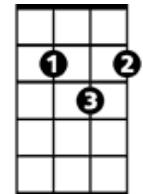
You [C] better not pout, I'm [F] telling you why.

[C] Santa Claus is [F] coming to town

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[C] Santa [Am] Claus is [F] coming [G] to town [C] [G]

[G]



He's [C] making a list, he's [F] checking it twice,

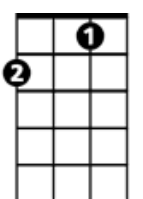
He's [C] gonna find out who's [F] naughty or nice.

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[F]



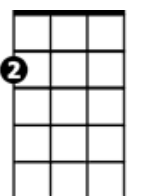
He sees you when you're [F] sleeping,

He [C] knows when you're [F] awake,

He [D] knows if you've been [G] bad or good

So be [D] good for goodness [G] sake

[Am]



Oh, you [C] better watch out, you [F] better not cry,

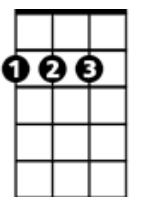
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[D]



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So be [D] good for goodness [G] sake,

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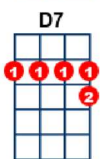
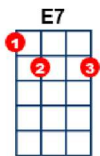
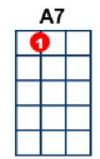
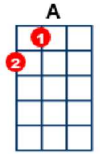
[Half time] [C] Santa [Am] Claus is [F] coming [G] to town [C]



Blue Suede Shoes

key:A, artist:Elvis Presley writer:Carl Perkins

Elvis Presley - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T1Ond-OwgU8>



Well it's a [A]* one for the money, [A]* two for the show
[A]* Three to get ready, now [A7] go cat go
But [D7] don't you step on my blue suede [A] shoes
You can [E7] do anything but lay [D7] off of my blue suede [A]
shoes [E7]

Well you can [A]* knock me down, [A]* step in my face
[A]* Slander my name all [A]* over the place
And [A]* do anything that you [A]* want to do
But [A] ah ah honey lay [A7] off of my shoes
And [D7] don't you step on my blue suede [A] shoes
You can [E7] do anything but lay [D7] off of my blue suede [A] shoes [E7]

(instrumental) [A] [A] [A] [A7] [D7] [D7] [A] [A] [E7] [D7] [A] [E7]

Well you can [A]* burn my house, [A]* steal my car
[A]* Drink my liquor from an [A]* old fruit jar
And [A]* do anything that you [A]* want to do
But [A] ah ah honey lay [A7] off of my shoes
And [D7] don't you step on my blue suede [A] shoes
You can [E7] do anything but lay [D7] off of my blue suede [A] shoes [E7]

(instrumental) [A] [A] [A] [A7] [D7] [D7] [A] [A] [E7] [D7] [A] [E7]

Well it's a [A]* one for the money, [A]* two for the show
[A]* Three to get ready, now [A7] go cat go
But [D7] don't you step on my blue suede [A] shoes
You can [E7] do anything but lay [D7] off of my blue suede [A] shoes [E7]

Quiet start and build to full on last line

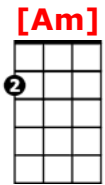
[A] Blue blue, blue suede shoes
[A] Blue blue, blue suede [A7] shoes
[D7] Blue blue, blue suede shoes
[A] Blue blue, blue suede shoes
You can [E7] do anything but lay [D7] off of my blue suede [A] shoes [A]

Repeat last line twice more

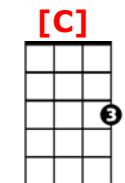
We Wish You A Merry Christmas [in C] (Trad.)



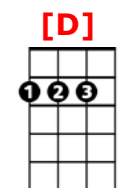
We [C] wish you a merry [F] Christmas,
 We [D] wish you a merry [G] Christmas,
 We [E7] wish you a merry [Am] Christmas and a
 [F] Happy [G] new [C] year.



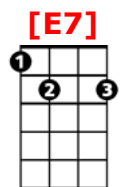
Good tidings we [G] bring to [Am] you and your [G] kin
 We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas and a
 [F] Happy [G] new [C] year.



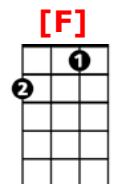
Oh [C] bring us some figgy [F] pudding,
 Oh [D] bring us some figgy [G] pudding,
 Oh [E7] bring us some figgy [Am] pudding,
 And [F] bring it [G] out [C] here!



Good tidings we [G] bring to [Am] you and your [G] kin
 We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas and a
 [F] Happy [G] new [C] year.



We [C] won't go until we [F] get some,
 We [D] won't go until we [G] get some,
 We [E7] won't go until we [Am] get some,
 So [F] bring some [G] out [C] here!



Good tidings we [G] bring to [Am] you and your [G] kin
 We [C] wish you a merry [G] Christmas and a
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