

2024 Funky Frets Uke Fest

Saturday Workshops

9am

- Advanced Beginner Ukulele Workshop Part 1 with Jim Beloff
- The Tasteful Use of Effect Pedals with Ray Cygrymus
- Baritone Ukulele - 3 Ukes In 1 with Uncle Zac

10am

- Exploring Fingerpicking Techniques with Curt Sheller
- Arranging Songs for the Ukulele with Jodi Damon
- Songs of Hawaii with William Ernestburg

11am

- Another Year Jam with Jim Beloff
- Formby Fun with Peter Moss
- 60's Sing-A-Long with Laura Wootton

1pm

- Jazzin' Up Da Blues with Curt Sheller
- Memorizing Your Songs with Jodi Damon
- Tin Pan Alley - The Brain with Uncle Zac

2pm

- Advanced Beginner Ukulele Workshop Part 2 with Jim Beloff
- Summer Breezes with Peter Moss
- Kanikapila with The Aloha Boys with The Aloha Boys

3pm

- Songs of Hawaii with William Ernestburg
- Making the Song Your Own with Laura Wootton
- Strumming: The Heart of Ukulele with Uncle Zac



Ray Cygrymus

The Tasteful Use of Effect Pedals

Discover common effect pedals, the top choices for ukulele, their functions, and proper usage techniques to enhance your ukulele sound.

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GAIN-BASED PEDALS

- **Overdrive** - Replicates the light breakup of a tube amp
- **Distortion** - Heavier than overdrive; not recommended for hollow body ukuleles
- **Fuzz Box** - Heavier than distortion with more sustain; recommended only for solid body ukuleles

MODULATION PEDALS

- **Chorus** - Fills up your sound by multiplying notes, sounding like multiple uses playing together. Think 8-String ukuleles
- **Tremolo** - Creates a wavering sound effect. Examples: Surf Music, “Gimmie Shelter”, “Crimson and Clover”.
- **Octaver** - Doubles the original pitch above, below or even multiple octaves. Using octave below is good for the uke’.

- **Flanger/Phaser** - Basically rotating between low, mid and high frequencies. Flanger is typically more drastic.
- **Wah Wah** - Like a phaser but you manually shift your tone from low to high by rocking your foot back and forth. Backward for bass, forward for treble.

TIME-BASED PEDALS

- **Reverb** a must, makes your sound much bigger; like being in a large room
- **Shimmer** - Orchestral-like swells of sound
- **Slapback Echo** - Rockabilly, Early Elvis, Blues
- **Long delay** - to expand the sound, solos, longer repeats

DYNAMIC EFFECTS

- **Change Volume/Control Volume**; levels out between quiet sections or loud sections
- **Compressor** - Smooths out and squashes your sound; excellent for finger picking techniques; increases sustain; tames very loud playing or strumming
- **Volume Pedal** - changes your volume level from the floor
- **Boost** - a clean increase in volume

LOOPER

- Records layers of parts of your playing so you can play a different part of it over
- Get one with drum patterns

TUNER PEDAL

First in chain;

tunes silently in noisy environment

DRUM MACHINE

- Excellent device to improve your timing
- Far more effective than than metronome

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR OVERDRIVE/DISTORTION

- **Electro-Harmonix Soul Food** - very transparent; works well with ukuleles and piezo pickups; provides clean boost to gritty overdrive
- **Fulltone OCD** - heavier overdrive with excellent sustain; works extremely well with electric solid bodied ukuleles
- **Boss BD-2 Blues Driver** - creamy and crunchy overdrive; perfect for blues.



RECOMMENDATIONS FOR COMPRESSORS

- **Wampler Ego Compressor** - excellent level of control due to five-knob circuitry
- **MXR DYNA COMP Mini or Regular Compressor**
 - Industry standard for many years for compression and sustain.



RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REVERB PEDALS

- **Electro-Harmonix Oceans 11 Reverb** - great sounding reverbs; the shimmer effect is gorgeous with the ukulele.
- **TC Electronic Hall of Fame Reverb 2** - lots of options; tone print circuitry gives even more options.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR DELAY

- **TC Electronics Flashback Delay and Looper** -
rhythmic subdivision switch very helpful
- **Electro-Harmonix Canyon Delay and Looper** -
built-in octaver a plus
- **Electro-Harmonic Slap-back Echo** - excellent
for short delay; great for blues, rockabilly

RECOMMENDATION FOR PHASER

- **MXR Phase 95** - combines two different classic phase circuits, the MXR 45 (more mellow sound) and the MXR 90 (*more pronounced phasing*)



RECOMMENDATION FOR DI/ EQ/EFFECTS UNITS

- **Fishman ToneDEQ** - Excellent Multi-effects;
built-in compressor
- **L.R. Baggs Venue** - Superb equalization;
built-in tuner



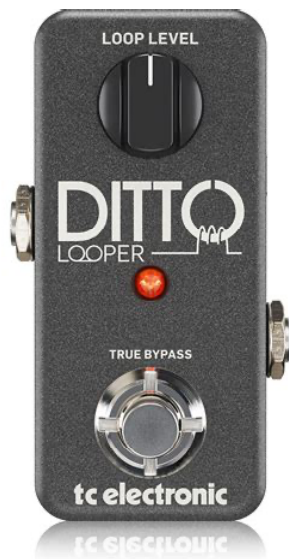
RECOMMENDATION FOR DRUM MACHINE

- **Beat Buddy** - Hundreds of patterns plus the ability to edit those patterns on a computer; create set lists, alter tempos etc.
- **Singular Sound Footswitch+** - Allows spot-on pausing of drum pattern



RECOMMENDATION FOR LOOPERS

- **TC Electronics Ditto** - Easy to use
- **Boss RC 500** - versatile with pre-loaded drum patterns



SETTING UP YOUR PEDAL BOARD

Output → of last pedal to amp

Input → of first pedal to ukulele

UKE —> *Cable* —> **DI** —> *XLR* —> **PA**

UKE —> *Cable* —> **DI** *unit with effects and EQ* —> *XLR* —> **PA** *or amplifier*

** DI box: an extension box to the PA*

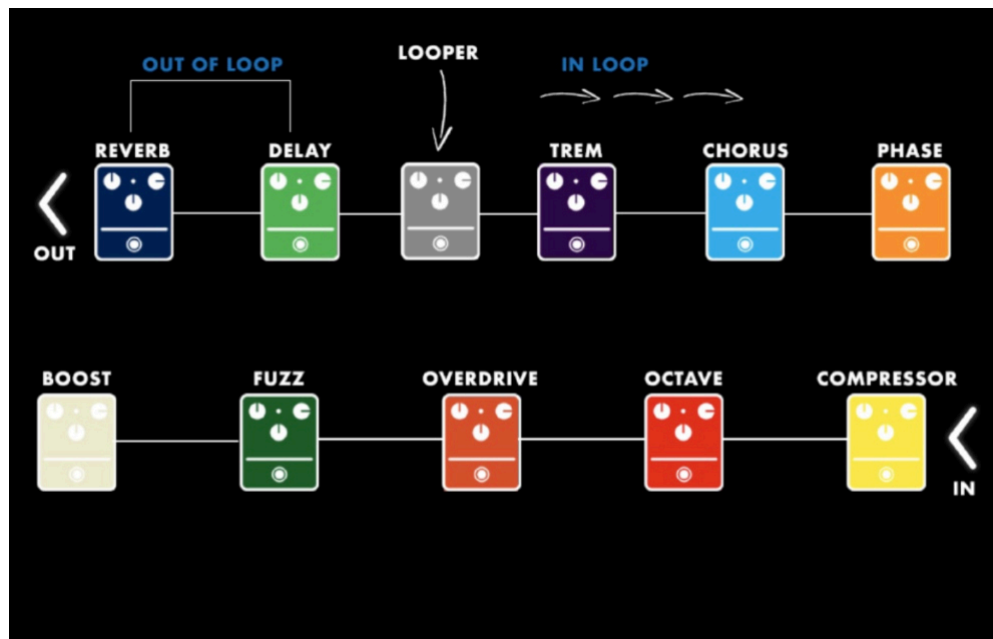
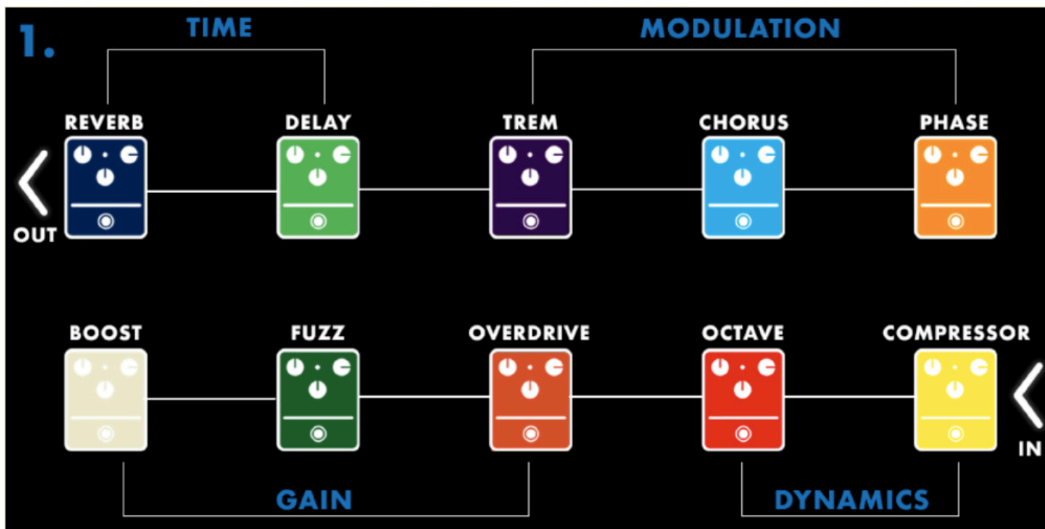
THINGS NEEDED:

- Pedal board with power supply, at least six outputs
- Quarter inch patch cables
- 9V Power Cables
- Sticky Velcro

PEDALBOARD EFFECT CHAIN ORDER

1. **Dynamics** - Compressors Volume Pedals
2. **Filters** - Wah Wah, Pitch Shifter
3. **Gain Effects** - Overdrive, Distortion, Fuzz
4. **Modulation** - Chorus, Flanger, Tremolo,
Phase Shifter
5. **Time Based Effects** - Delay, Reverb

TWO COMMON PEDALBOARD DIAGRAMS





Uncle Zac

Baritone Ukulele - 3 Ukes in One

Come explore the most misunderstood member of the ukulele family Is it really a uke? Or is it a mini guitar? What do you do with it? UncleZac will take you through the Bari's unlimited flexibility to support the group or shine alone.

Using his Theory Of Four Method for chording and demonstrating some barring techniques he hopes to take some of the mystery out of playing up the neck so that you can get the most out your wonderful Baritone Ukulele.

There is something for all Bari players at any level.

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3 Ukes In 1

TRANSPOSITION CHART*

I	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	I
II	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	B_b	B	C	C#	II
III	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	A#	B	C	C#	D	D#	III
IV	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	C	D_b	D	E_b	E	IV
V	G	G#	A	B_b	B	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	V
VI	A	A#	B	C	C#	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	VI
VII	B	B#	C#	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	A#	VII
I	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	I

*SAME CHORDS : **C#/D_b** **D#/E_b** **F#/G_b** **G#/A_b** **A#/B_b**

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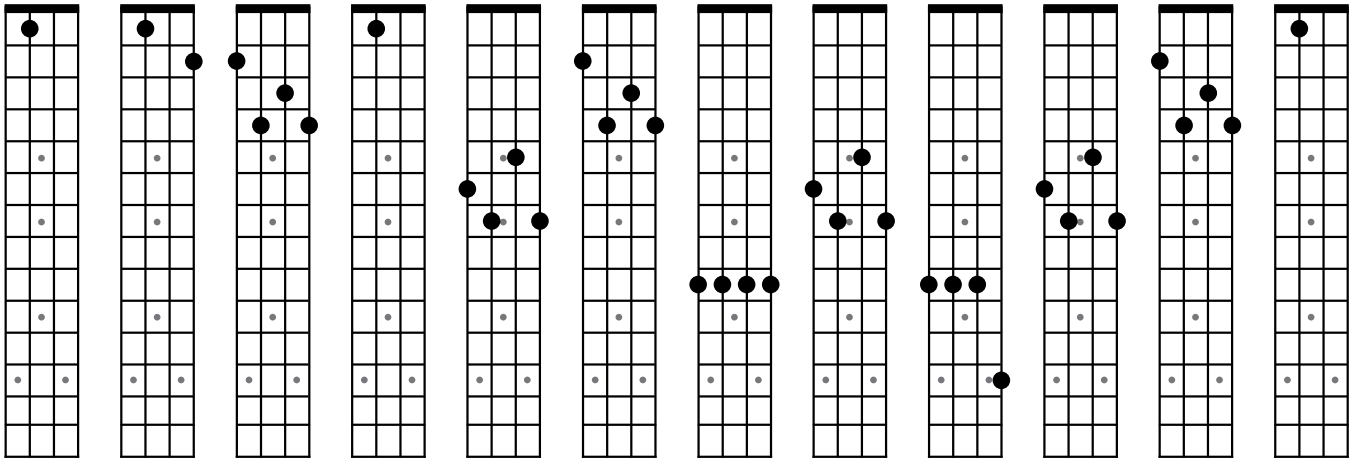
BYE BYE BLUES

C C Ab7 Ab7 C C A7 A7
 D7 D7 G7 G7 C Cdim Dm7 G7
 G G Eb7 Eb7 G G E7 E7
 A7 Am D7 D7 G Gdim Am7 D7
 C Ab7 C C G Eb7 G G

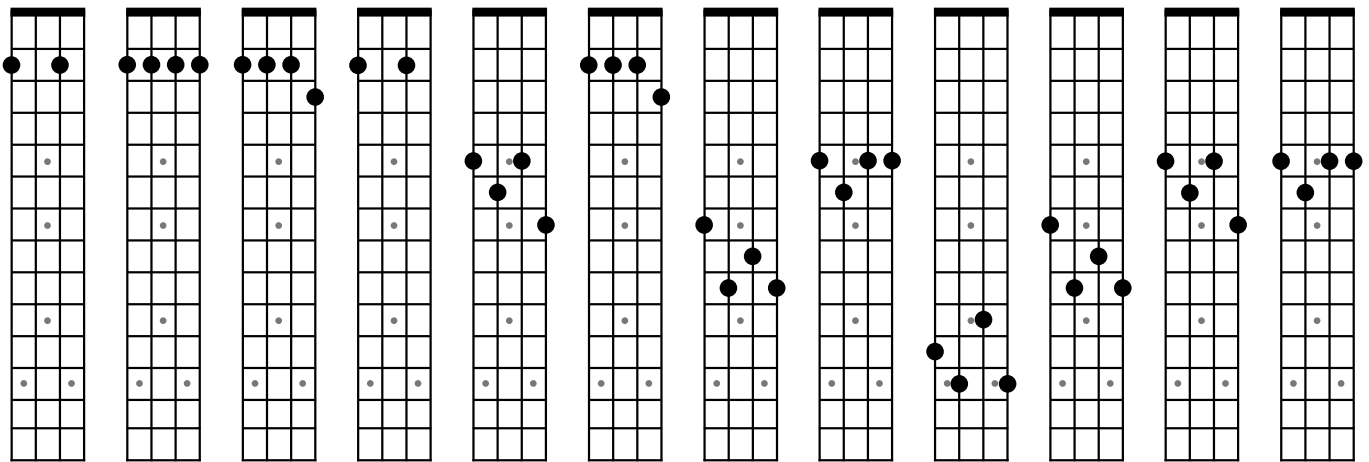
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 Capo 2
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SWEET GEORGIA BROWN

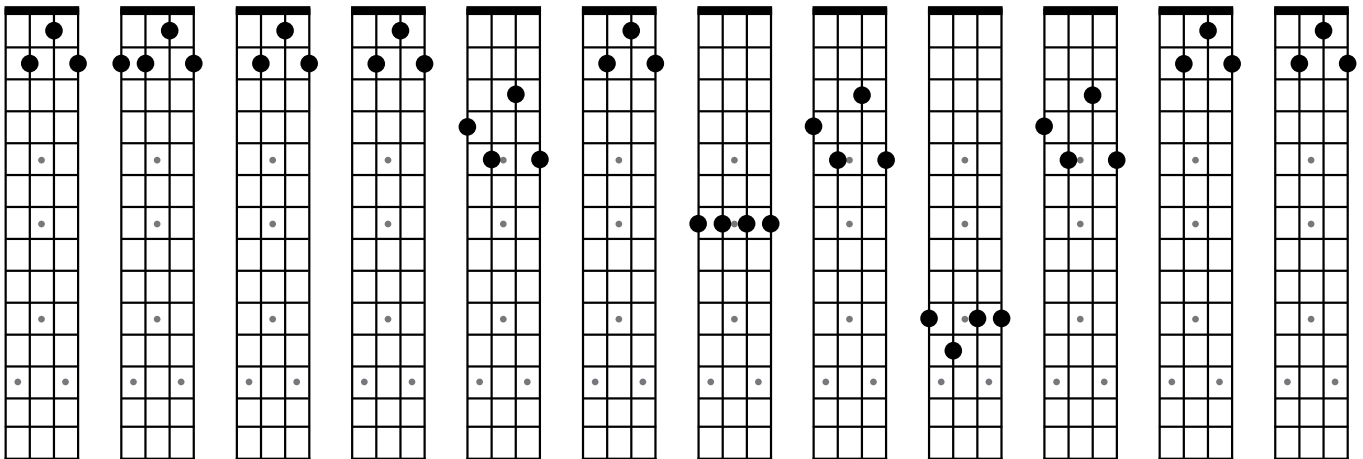
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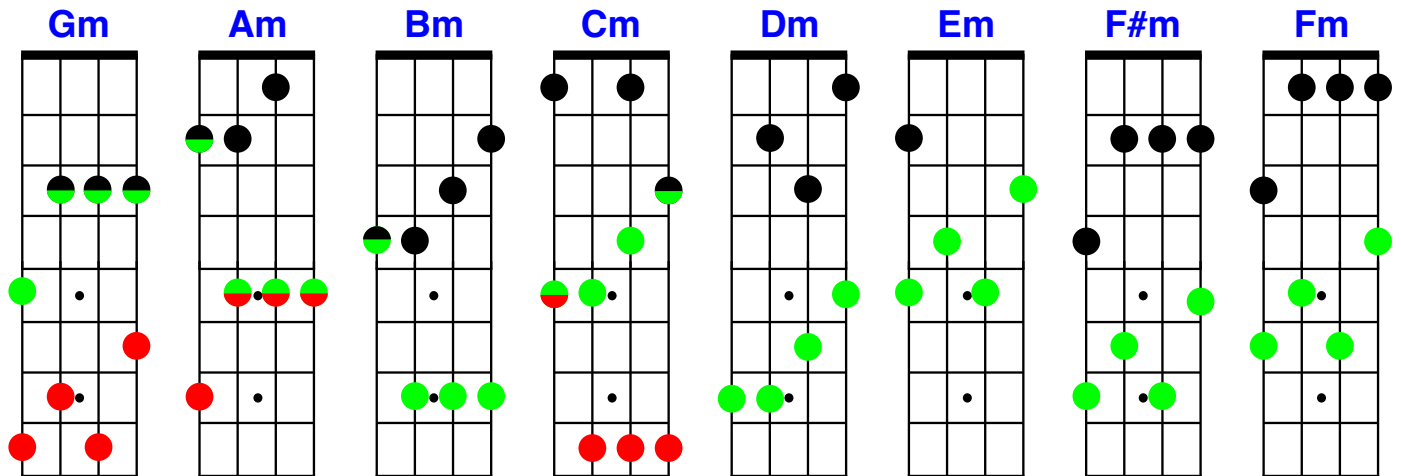
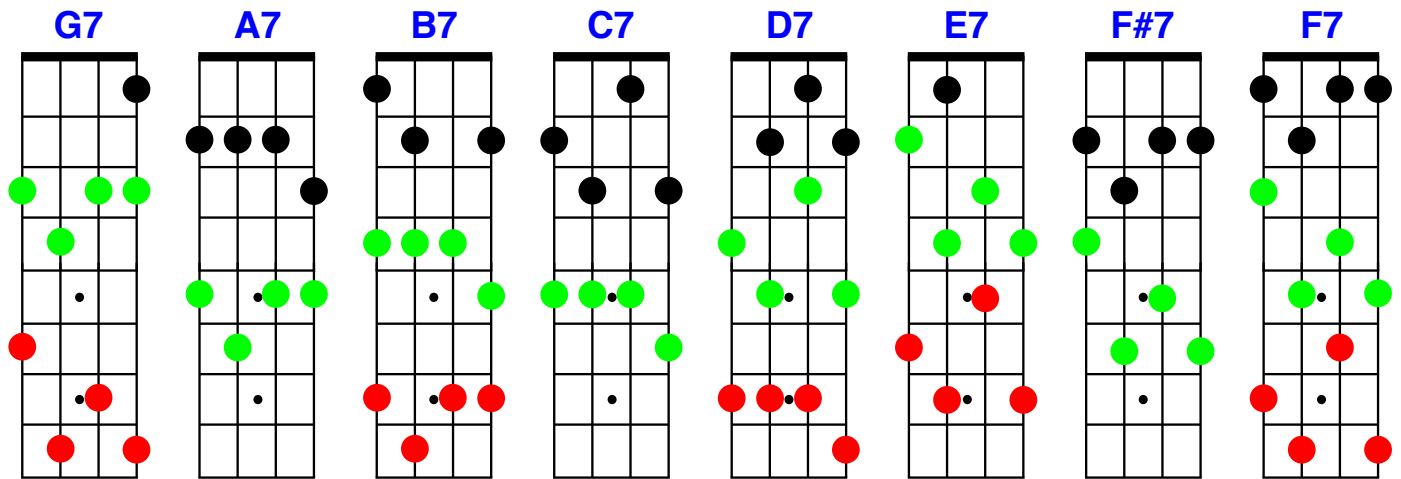
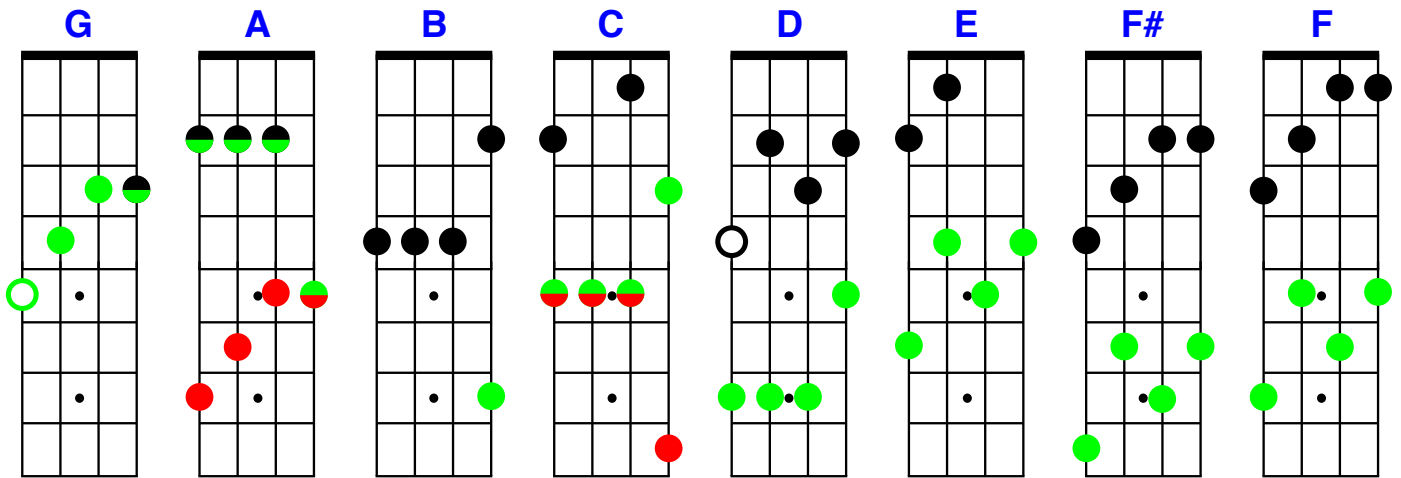
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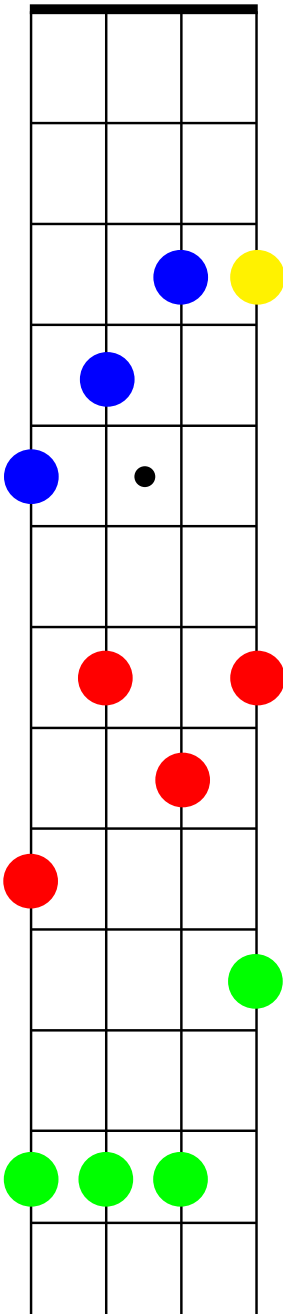


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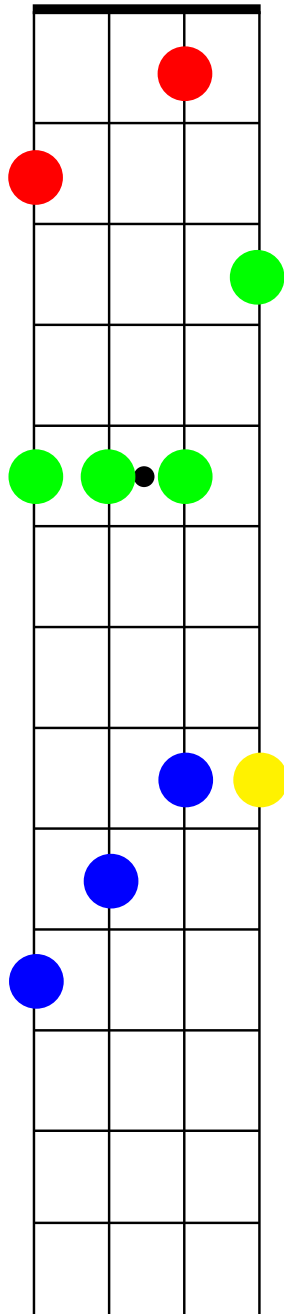


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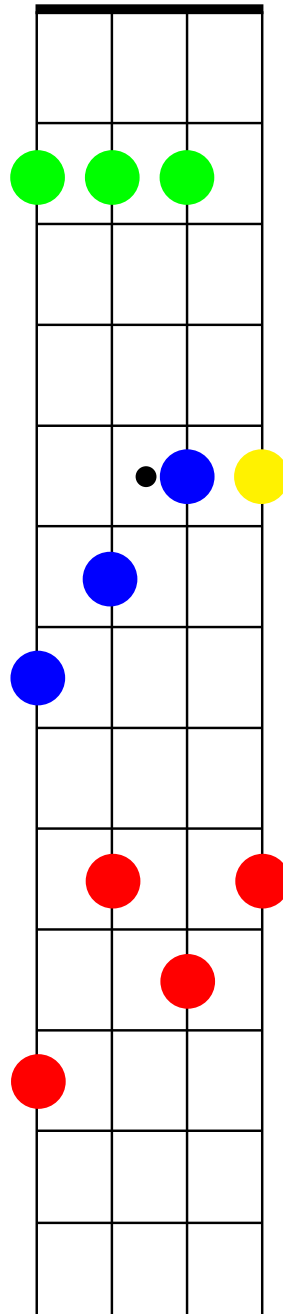
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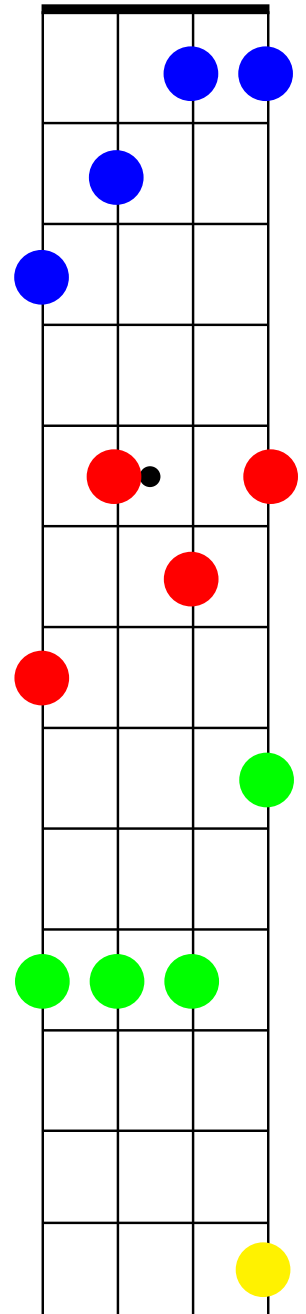
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A-G-F-C



F-C-A-G



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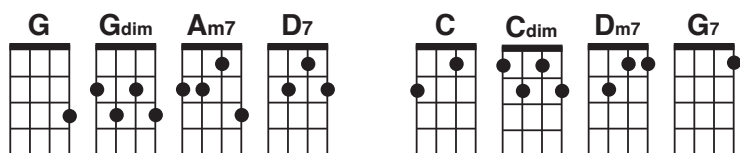
- 1 SHAPE - 1st STRING
- 2 SHAPE - 2nd STRING
- 3 SHAPE - 3rd STRING
- 4 SHAPE - 4th STRING

REMEMBER:

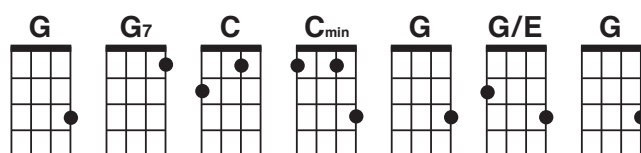
- 1 SHAPE & 4 SHAPE CAN SHARE A DOT
- 3 SHAPE & 1 SHAPE CAN SHARE A BARRE

- 1 = G SHAPE • 2 = C SHAPE
- 3 = A SHAPE • 4 = F SHAPE

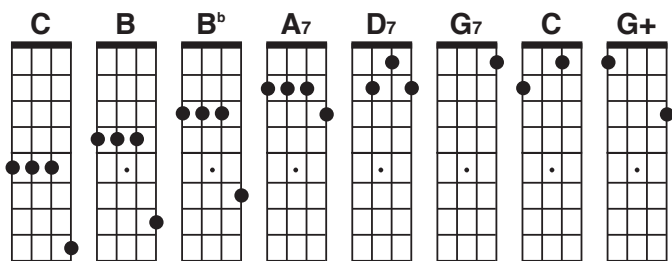
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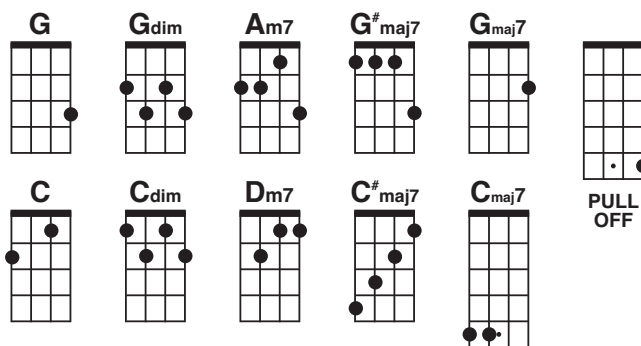
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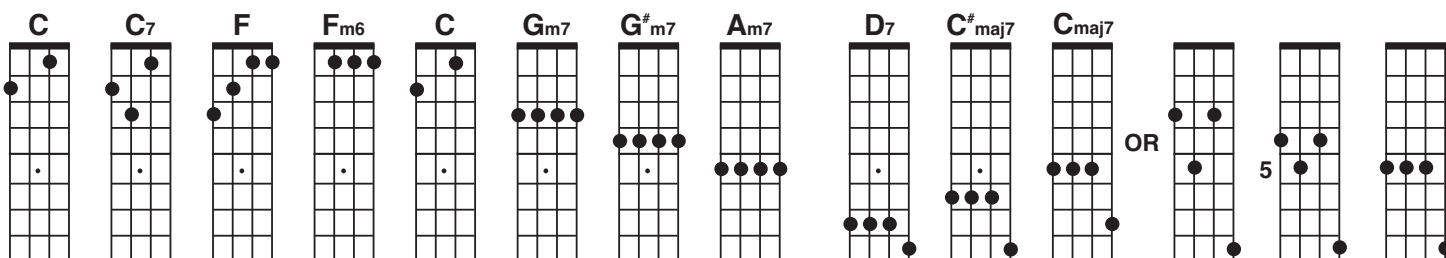
STANDARD "C" ENDING



WALKING INTRO



MAJOR 7th ENDINGS



STANDARD "F" ENDING WITH VARIATIONS



Curt Sheller

Exploring Fingerpicking Technique

There are two distinctly different Fingerpicking Styles. The Classical (pima) and "Alternating Thumb" styles. This workshop will give you and introduction to both styles with a focus on the Alternating Thumb style.

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Fingerpicking - Getting Started

The Two Distinct Fingerpicking Styles

There are two distinctly different fingerpicking styles. One is the Alternating Thumb and two finger style commonly called Travis Picking in the guitar world and Scruggs Style in the banjo world. Both named after the most famous musicians that made the styles famous.

This series of lesson's focus is on the second style most associated with the other style, the classical guitar technique that involves the thumb and three fingers. In the classical guitar world the fingers are known as indicated with **pima** for the Spanish initials of the thumb and finger names. For these series of lessons I'll stick with the English initials.

Each repetition should be done a massive number times. That *IS* the key to developing the finger strength and finger independence needed for this style.

Fingering Notation

- Thumb (**t**)
- Index finger (**i**)
- Middle finger (**m**)
- Ring finger (**r**)

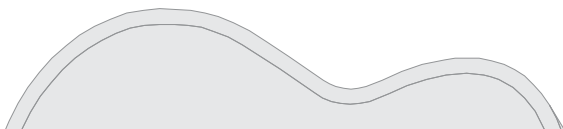
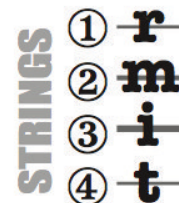
Each finger is assigned to a string. String ④ is the closest to your nose and string ① is closest to the floor - your toes.

String ④ is played by the *thumb* (**t**)

String ③ is played by the *index* finger (**i**)

String ② is played by the *middle* finger (**m**)

String ① is played by the *ring* finger (**r**)



24 Possible Combinations

Play each of the individual patterns melodically as single notes.

t i r m example

t	i	m	r
t i m r	i t m r	m t i r	r t i m
t i r m	i t r m	m t r i	r t m i
t m i r	i m t r	m i t r	r i t m
t m r i	i m r t	m i r t	r i m t
t r i m	i r t m	m r t i	r m t i
t r m i	i r m t	m r i t	r m i t

The next step is to play the combinations harmonically - two, three and finally all four strings together.

Practice Tips

- 1) With only the open strings
- 2) With a single chord
- 3) Switching between two chords
- 4) Applied to a chord progression or song
- 5) Vary the rhythmic value of the notes

Using the original **24** combinations, melodically make one finger louder > than the others.

>
t i m r >
t i m r t i m r >
t i m r t i m r t i m r >
t i m r

As you can see there are a lot of possibilities. Each with a distinct musical sound and possibility.

Rest Stoke and Free Stroke

When plucking a single string there are two distinct strokes, the rest stroke and free stroke. Both strokes start with the pad of the fingertip touching the string. What happens next determines the sound and what the stroke is traditionally called. The rest and free stroke can be used with the thumb, index, middle and ring fingers.

For a **REST STROKE**, the finger follows through to the next lower string, coming to rest on that string. The pad of the fingertip is responsible for more of the stroke than the fingernail. The rest stroke can heavier, louder sound.

When using the rest stroke on the lowest string ④ of the ukulele, follow through as if there was an additional lower string. The rest stroke is relegated to single notes.

Using the rest stroke requires having shorter nails. With longer nails a good sounding rest stroke is not possible.

A **FREE STROKE**, is when the finger does not follow through, producing more of the sound with the fingernail. The free stroke produces a lighter sound.

The free stroke is necessary in cases when you don't want to mute the lower string when it's needed to keep sounding. The free stroke is necessary when playing multiple strings such as intervals and chords.

In the classical guitar world that are some players that promote one stroke versus the other – both are a necessary musical tool to develop and explore. Both strokes will vary between players depending in their nail length and shape.

Explore both strokes with ALL exercises:

Single Strings

For single strings any one of the your plucking hand fingers can play that single string. It can be either **t**, **i**, **m**, or **r**. All depends on whether you are making a musical decision or a purely technique decision. I would explore each possibility and all single strings.

For quicker single note runs a combination of fingers will probably be more efficient and maintainable in the long run.

Single String, One Finger Drills

Explore the following using **t**, **i**, **m**, and **r**.

① _____
② _____
③ _____
④ **t** _____

Alternating Fingerpicking Patterns - Summary

Rhythm is the Foundation

At the heart of all fingerpicking patterns, whether you call it *Tavis Picking* or *Scruggs Style* or *banjo rolls* – it's all just a different execution of specific rhythmic patterns in a particular style.

Here are the core fingerpicking patterns from my book "Fingerpicking for Ukulele – Alternating Thumb Style". These are the same patterns I use for all private students, regardless of the instrument.

After the foundation of the alternating thumb is established the fingerpicking patterns are organized into levels according to the number of fingers involved with the alternating thumb. For the basic style it's the index (**i**) and middle (**m**) fingers only and the number of times within a pattern the finger is used.

Thumb and Index Finger - Level One

Here's the index finger incorporated one time in a four beat pattern.

pattern 1	{	t i t + t + t +	}	/ / / /
		1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +		
		↓ ↑ ↓ ↑ ↓ ↑ ↓ ↑		
pattern 2	{	t + t i t + t +	}	/ ▭ / /
		1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +		
		↓ ↑ ↓ ↑ ↓ ↑ ↓ ↑		
pattern 3	{	t + t + t i t +	}	/ / ▭ /
		1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +		
		↓ ↑ ↓ ↑ ↓ ↑ ↓ ↑		
pattern 4	{	t + t + t + t i	}	/ / / ▭
		1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +		
		↓ ↑ ↓ ↑ ↓ ↑ ↓ ↑		



Jodi Damon

Arranging Songs for the Ukulele

This workshop will demonstrate how to re-imagine any song for the ukulele. Jodi will demonstrate many simple and intermediate playing techniques and styles that can be used to add depth, interest and an arc to your songs and performances.

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Arranging Songs for Ukulele

Presented by [Jodi Damon](#)

Where to Begin

When possible, pick a song that you know and love.

The first step will be finding the music for the song you'd like to arrange.

Here are some resources for finding chords to a song:

Google search of Song Title + chords (i.e. "Here Comes the Sun chords")

Ultimate Guitar (or literally any guitar tab website)

www.ultimate-guitar.com

Chordify <https://chordify.net>

Chord AI ([app available on Apple and Android](#))

Google search of Song Title + lyrics (i.e. "Here Comes the Sun lyrics")

Songbooks are also a great resource for chord charts/tabs.

The next step is listening to many versions of the song. YouTube is a great resource for this. Listen to the studio version, live versions, acoustic versions and listen to other people's covers of the song. This will help you to start imagining what you can do with the song. You can also look up guitar tutorials for strumming patterns.

Next print the song out or upload it into a digital form that you can edit or take notes on. This will help you remember stylistic choices you've made when arranging and playing the song.

Things to consider when arranging

Make it Interesting:

Vary the way you play different sections of the song.

For example, fingerpicking on the verses and strumming on the choruses, changing the dynamics (playing louder and softer for different sections of the song), or including an instrumental section for the song (by playing the same chords of a verse or chorus and omitting the lyrics).

Also consider adding full stops or a capella portions to the song.

Develop an Arc:

Some songs work very well when played as an arc, meaning it might grow in intensity as the song progresses. (Techniques listed in the Toolbox section of this handout are listed in order of intensity). Arcs can also be used quite effectively within a phrase or verse.

Capture a Mood:

Playing a pensive or sweet song? Try fingerpicking

Want to emphasize lyrics? Try slowing down on the line or simplifying the strumming.

Want to get people dancing? Try adding percussion (On the ukulele via chucking, Z chord or tapping, or foot tambourine etc)

Don't forget about your voice:

You can emphasize lyrics with your voice (singing important words off the beat or without strumming)

Experiment with phrasing and timing

Sing legato or staccato

Whisper, speak

Use dynamics

Techniques for your toolbox (low – high Intensity):

Fingerpicking

Harp Strum (essentially a slower strum using the meaty part of your thumb)

Harp strum + finger picking
(Changes in dynamics/tempo)

Strum with thumb

Strum with nails

Stum & chuck every 4 beats

Stum & chuck every 2 beats

Stum & chuck every beat

Other percussion or full stops (chucking, tapping, Z chord, pluck every string at same time and then quickly mute)

Play instrumental going up the neck (using chord inversions). This is especially effective when going in a linear motion up and down the neck.

Vary Strum patterns by omitting or adding stums to existing patterns
(ex Riptide)

DUDUDUDU

D DU UDU

D D UDU

D XU UDU

D

Endings:

Finish with just vocals (either letting last chord ring out while delivering last line or muting last chord)

Finish abruptly
i.e. i.e. The Universe Song, have it all

Short cadence (I V I)

A E A

1 2 3 4 1

C G C

D A D

F C F

G D G

Slow down the last line

Pick each string and end on the same note that is the key of the song

A just pick each string of the chord

C just pick each string of the chord

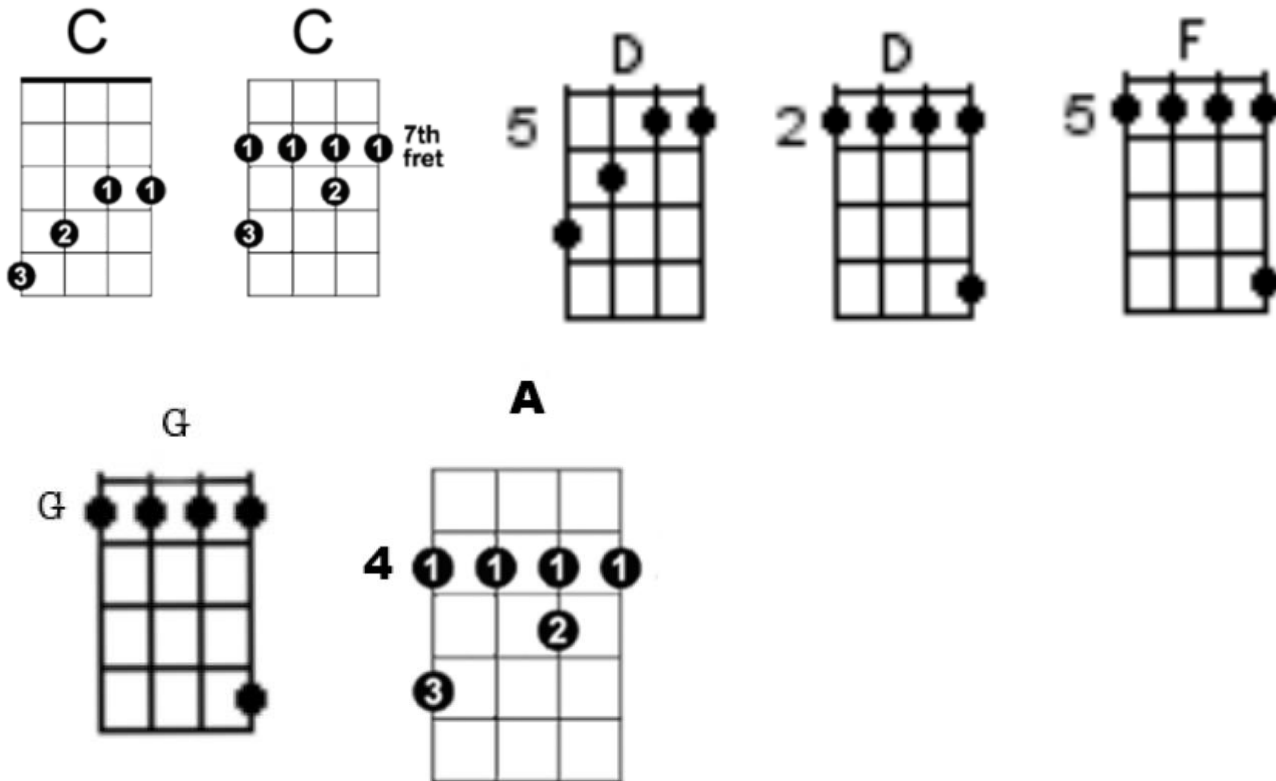
D pick each string plus A string on the 5th fret

F pick each string plus A string on the 8th fret

G pick each string plus A string on the 10th fret

End on a 7th Chord or V7 chord (unresolved ending)

Chord Inversions (sweet ending)



Final Considerations:

When you might want to try to sound like the original.

Try recording yourself so you can see if your stylistic choices are translating to the listener.

Don't be afraid to change it up. You don't have to play it the same way every time.

Start where you are. And slowly add to your toolbox of skills.



William Ernestburg

Songs of Hawaii

Join us for a musical journey through the songs of Hawaii with your favorite Uncle and Funky Frets' very own "Ambassador of Aloha!" In this engaging class, Uncle Bill will share his favorite Hawaiian songs, transporting you to the beautiful islands through melody and story.

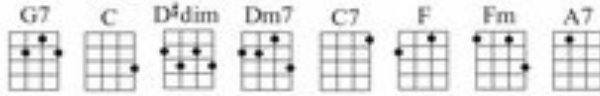
Discover the rich cultural heritage of Hawaii as Uncle Bill delves into the places and stories described in these songs, offering personal anecdotes and experiences from his upbringing in Laie, HI. Whether you're a seasoned musician or simply a lover of Hawaiian culture, this class promises to be a heartwarming and educational experience.

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Beyond The Reef

Words and Music by
JACK PITMAN

FIRST NOTE



Slowly

G7 C D#dim Dm7 C7 F Fm A7

Be - yond the reef, _____ where the sea is dark and cold, _____ my love has

Dm7 G7 C (C) G7

gone, _____ and our dreams grow old. There'll be no tears, _____
Some day I know _____

C D#dim Dm7

— there'll be no re - gret - ting. _____ Will {she} re - mem - ber me; _____
— {she'll} come back a - gain to me. _____ 'Til then my heart will be _____
— {he'll}

G7 C *Fine* C7 F Fm

— will {she} for - get? I'll send a thou - sand flowers, _____ when the trade - winds
— be - yond the reef.

C A7 Dm7 Fm G7 *D.S. al Fine*

blow. I'll send my lone - ly heart, _____ for I love {her} so.
{him}

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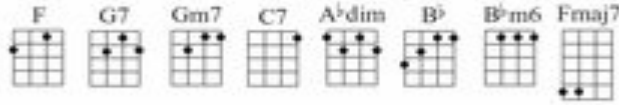
Hanalei Moon

Words and Music by
BOB NELSON

FIRST NOTE



Slowly, with feeling



When you see breeze, Ha - na - lei by moon - light, you will
 ev - 'ry wave will whis - per; "You are

be in hea - ven by the sea. Ev - 'ry way."
 mine. Don't ev - er go a -

Ha - na - lei, Ha - na - lei moon is light - ing be - lov - ed Kau -

a - 'i. Ha - na - lei, Ha - na - lei moon. A -

lo - ha no wau i - a o - e. A - o - e Ha - na - lei moon.

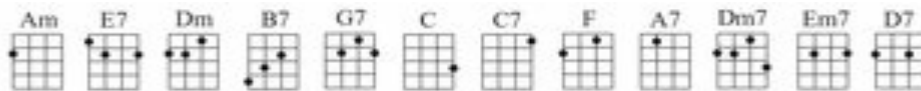
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Honolulu Baby

Words and Music by
MARVIN HATLEY

FIRST NOTE



Am E7 Am E7 Am

While on a South Sea is-land, un-der-neath the beau-ty of the stars. I
hu-la gal was danc-ing, and I knew I'd found a par-a-dise. So

Dm Am B7 E7 A

stray'd up-on some maid-ens who were strum-ming on their gui-tars. A
this is what I

Am G7 C C7 F

told her, as I gazed in-to her eyes. Ho-no-lu-lu ba-by, where'd you get those
ba-by, where'd you get that
ba-by, you sure know your

To Coda C G7 C C7

eyes? And the dark com-plex-ion, I just id-ol-ize. Ho-no-lu-lu
style? And the pret-ty red lips,
stuff! Ho-no-lu-lu ba-by,

2. C G7

and that sun-ny smile? When you start to dance, your

C7 A7 Dm7 G7 C C7 B7

hu-la hips en-trance then you shake it up and down. You shake a lit-tle here, you

Em7 Am D7 G7 C7 D.S. al Coda

shake a lit-tle there, well you got the boys go-ing to town. Ho-no-lu-lu

Coda

C Dm7 C

gon-na call your bluff.

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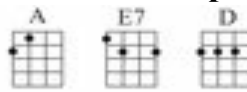
The Magic Islands

Lyrics and Adaptation by
KEN DARBY
Traditional Polynesian Melody
"Ku'u Lei Awapuhi"

FIRST NOTE



Moderately



Far a - way the mag - ic is - lands call to me a - cross the
Far a - way the mag - ic is - lands call to me a - cross the

sea, _____ and the mag - ic of the is - lands
years, _____ and the mag - ic of the is - lands

thrills my heart with mem - o - ry. _____ } White gin - ger was in bloom, _____
fills my lone - ly dreams with tears. _____

_____ it filled the air _____ with sweet per - fume and we were there. _____

Two shad - ows on the sand, _____ a tro - pic moon a - bove _____

_____ and we were lost, so lost in love. _____ love. _____

1. A 2. A

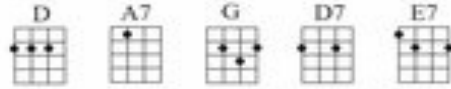
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A Song Of Old Hawaii

Words and Music by GORDON BEECHER
and JOHNNY NOBLE

FIRST NOTE



Dreamily

There's the per - fume of a mil - lion flow - ers
cling - ing to the heart of old Ha - wai - 'i. There's a rain - bow
trade - wind
fol - low - ing the show - ers, bring - ing me a part of old Ha -
sigh - ing in the heav - ens, sing - ing me a song of old Ha -
wai - 'i. There's a sil - ver moon, a sym - pho - ny of
stars. There's a hu - la tune and the hum of soft gui - tars. There's the

Fine

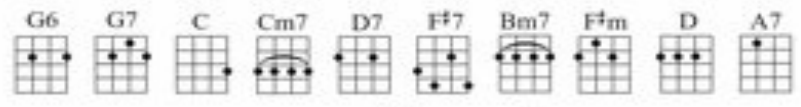
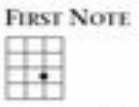
D.S. al Fine

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Sophisticated Hula

Words and Music by
SOLBRIGHT



Lively

G6 **G7** **C** **Cm7** **D7** **F#7** **Bm7** **F#m** **D** **A7**

G6 **G7** **C** **Cm7**

Hands on your hips, do your hu - la flips, so -
 Swing your part - ner 'round, soon you'll cov - er ground, } so -
 Dance to the mu - sic sweet. Then you will re - peat, } so -

G6 **D7** **G6**

phis - ti - cat - ed hu - la is the talk of the town.
 phis - ti - cat - ed hu - la is the talk of the town.

1. **D7** 2. **G6 (D7 G) last time F#7** *Fine*

The na - tive hu - la maid - ens, they love to dance;

Bm7 **F#m**

they do their danc - ing to the beat of the drums. They do the hu - la 'cause it

D **A7** **D7** *D.C. al Fine (take 2nd ending)*

gives 'em a chance; it's got a mel - o - dy that ev - 'ry - one hums. Oh!

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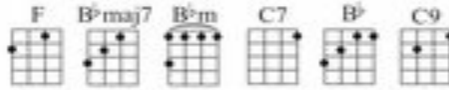
White Sandy Beach

Words and Music by
WILLYDANN

FIRST NOTE



Moderately



1. I saw you in my dreams. We were walk - ing hand in hand.

(2.) play - ing in the sun. We were hav - ing so much fun.

(3.) hot, long sum - mer days. ly - ing there in the sun.

— on a white sand - y beach of Ha - wai - 'i.

— on a white sand - y beach of Ha - wai - 'i.

— on a white sand - y beach of Ha - wai - 'i.

The sound of the o - cean soothes my rest - less soul. The sound of the o -

- cean rocks me all night long.

3. Those

Oh, last night in my dream, I saw your face a - gain.

We were there in the sun on a white sand - y beach

of, of, of, of Ha - wai - 'i.

The Hawaiian Turnaround

Words by
JIM BELOFF
 Music by
HERB OHTA

FIRST NOTE

Breezily

G C Cm E7 A7 D7 G7

1. When you ar - rive_____ in Hon - no - lu - lu, there's an un - mis -
 2. No - ta - ble notes,_____ you hear 'em at the start and end of
 3. When you get home,_____ the mo - ment that your feet are fin - 'ly

tak - a - ble sound,_____ Ev - 'ry - where that mu - sic is found,_____
 man - y a song,_____ And in you'll find you're hum - ming a - long,_____
 touch - ing the ground,_____ in your heart you're par - a - dise bound,_____

1. _____ || 2., 3. *To Coda* Φ

it's the Ha - wai - ian turn - a - round, _____ round, _____
 it's the Ha - wai - ian turn - a - _____ round, _____
 it's the Ha - wai - ian turn - a - _____

Beau - ti - ful views,_____ ev - 'ry di - rec - tion,_____ Trop - i - cal hues,_____

pic - ture per - fec - tion;_____ par - a - dise found,_____ each time you turn,_____ a - round. _____
D.C. al Coda
D7 (take 2nd ending)

Φ *Coda*

This is the Ha - wai - ian turn - a - round, _____

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Peter Moss

Formby Fun

Here we will explore the various right hand techniques of the genius ukulele player from the UK that was George Formby. The terms typically associated with these strumming methods are Syncopation, also known as the “Split Stroke”. Will you play like him after 1 hour ? – most likely not. However, I will definitely point you in the right direction, sharing 3 of his most popular strumming patterns and interlacing them with some triples, not forgetting some straight beats. I will then slot these into one of his most famous songs “When I’m cleaning windows”. Is this for you? Well, if you can count from 1-8 and can generally keep time, you will do just fine. Come and have a try. Peter.

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Pattern 1 - 4 beats or one Bar/Measure

D	U	D	D	U	D	D	
8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	Quarter	

Pattern 2 - 8 Beats or TWO Bars/Measures

D	D	U	D	D	U	D	D	D	D	(Pause)
	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th				Quarter

Pattern 3 - 8 Beats or TWO Bars/Measures

D	D	U	D	D	U	D	D	U	D	D	U	D	D
	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	Quarter

More Advanced Syncopation

Pattern 1B- 4 beats or one Bar/Measure - The "FLICK"

		UP					
D	U	D	D	U	D	D	
		1 6th					
8th	8th	16th	8th	8th	8th	Quarter	

Pattern 3 - 8 Beats or TWO Bars/Measures - "TAPPING"

	TAP	1st	4th	TAP	1st	4th	TAP	1st	4th	TAP	1st	4th	TAP
D	D	U	D	D	U	D	D	U	D	D	U	D	D
	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	8th	Quarter

The Triple

- 1) Down with the nail of the Index/Pointer finger
- 2) Down with the Pad of the Thumb
- 3) Back up with the pad of the Index/Pointer finger

DOWN
DOWN
UP

Five Foot Two

Verse							
Straight	Pat 1	Pat2	Cont...	Straight	Pat 1	Straight	Pat 1
C	E7	A7	A7	D7	G7	C	G7
Straight	Pat 1	Pat2	Cont...	Straight	Pat 1	Pat 2	Cont...
C	E7	A7	A7	D7	G7	C	C
Bridge							
Pat 3	Cont...	Cont...	Cont...	Cont...	Cont...	Cont...	Cont...
E7	E7	A7	A7	D7	D7	G7	G7
Verse							
Straight	Pat 1	Pat2	Cont...	Straight	Pat 1	Pat 2	Cont...
C	E7	A7	A7	D7	G7	C	



Laura Wootton

60s Sing-A-Long

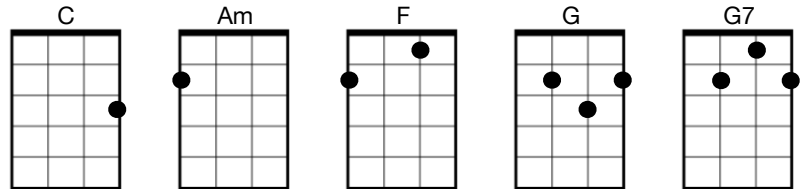
This will be a playful sing-and-play-along class that is open to all levels. We will play one song from each year of the 1960s. Attendees will receive a PDF of some of Laura's arrangements that have chord diagrams and strumming cues on them. Please print the PDF for class or bring a tablet/screen on which you can view it on.

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This Magic Moment - 1960



Key of C



INTRO: C Am F G

VERSE 1

||: This magic **C** mo - ment so **Am** diff - 'rent and so new

Was like any **F** oth - er until **G** I kissed you

And then it **C** hap - pen - ed it **Am** took me by surprise

I knew that you **F** felt it too by the **G** look in your eyes **G7**

CHORUS

Sweeter than **Am** wine. Softer than a **F** sum - mer night.

Everything I **C** want I have, whenever I **G** hold you tight.

VERSE 2

This magic **C** mo - ment while your **Am** lips are close to mine

Will last **F** for - ev - er **G** for - ev - er till the end of **C** time

Whoa... Oh... Oh... **Am** Oh... Whoa... Oh... Oh... **F** Oh...

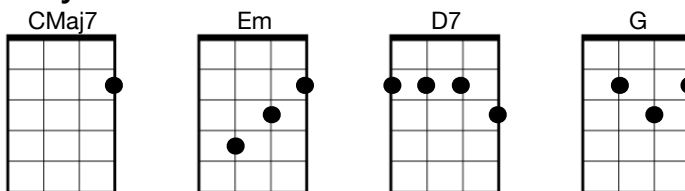
Whoa... Oh... Oh... **G** Oh... Oh... Oh... :||

END: Magic **C** Mo - ment.



Stand By Me - 1961

Key of G



INTRO: G

VERSE 1

G
When the night has come **Em** and the land is dark

CMaj7 **D7** **G**
And the moon is the on - ly light you'll see

G **Em**
No, I won't be afraid, no, I won't be afraid

CMaj7 **D7** **G**
Just as long as you stand, stand by me

*** CHORUS ***

G **Em**
So, darling, darling, stand by me. Oh, stand by me

CMaj7 **D7** **G**
Oh, stand, stand by me, stand by me...

END on G

VERSE 2

G **Em**
If the sky that we look upon should tumble and fall

CMaj7 **D7** **G**
Or the mount - ain should crumb - le to the sea

G **Em**
I won't cry, I won't cry, no, I won't shed a tear

CMaj7 **D7** **G**
Just as long as you stand, stand by me

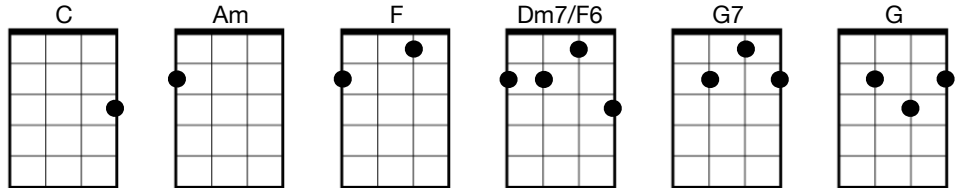
***** TO CHORUS *****

Up On The Roof - 1962

Key of C



INTRO: C



VERSE 1

When this old world starts get - tin' me down
 And peop - le are just too much for me to face

I climb way up to the top of the stairs
 And all my cares just drift right in - to space.

BRIDGE 1

On the roof it's peaceful as can be
 And there the world be - low don't bother me
 Let me tell you now...

VERSE 2

When I come home feeling' tired and beat
 I go up where the air is fresh and sweet
 I get away from the hust - lin' crowd
 And all that rat - race noise down in the street.

BRIDGE 2

F **F6** **F** **F6**
 On the roof the on - ly place I know

C **Am** **F**
 Where you just have to wish to make it so

G7 **C**
 Let's go! Up on the roof...

BREAK/SOLO

C **Am** **F**  **Dm7**  **G7** **C**

BRIDGE 3



F **F6** **F** **F6**
 At night the stars put on a show for free

C **Am** **F**
 And, dar - ling, you can share it all with me



G7
 I keep on tell - in' you ...

OUTRO VERSE

C **Am**
 Right smack dab in the mid - dle of town

F  **Dm7**  **G7** **C**
 I've found a par - a - dise that's trouble - proof

C **Am**
 And if this world starts get - tin' you down

F  **Dm7**  **G7** **C**
 There's room enough for two up on the roof,

Am **C** **F** **G7** **C**
 up on the roof. Yeah, ba - by, aw, hon - ey, up on the roof.

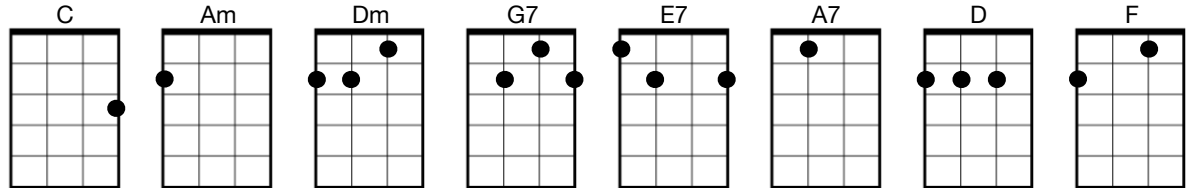
FND on C



Be My Baby - 1963

Key of C

INTRO: C



VERSE 1

The night we met I knew I needed you so.

And if I had the chance I'd never let you go.

So won't you say you love me, I'll make you so proud of me.

We'll make them turn their heads ev - 'ry place we go...

*****CHORUS*****

So won't you please (be my, be my...)

Be my little ba - by (my one and only)

Say you'll be my dar - lin', be my baby now. Oh, oh, oh, oh oh.
END on C

VERSE 2

I'll make you hap - py baby, just wait and see.

For every kiss you give me, I'll give you three.

Oh, since the day I saw you, I have been waiting for you.

You know I will adore you till eternity. ***** to CHORUS*****

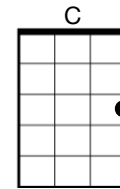
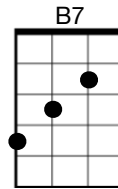
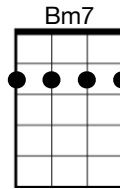
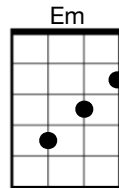
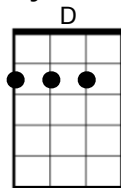
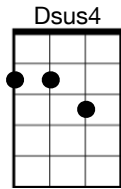
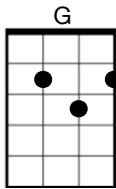
I Want To Hold Your Hand - 1964

Key of G



INTRO:

G



VERSE 1

Oh, yeah I'll tell you some - thing I think you'll under - stand
 When I say that some - thing, I wanna hold your hand

G

Dsus4

D

Em

Bm7

G

Dsus4

D

Em

B7

CHORUS

I wanna hold your hand I wanna hold your hand

VERSE 2

Oh, please, say to me, you'll let me be your man
 And, please, say to me, you'll let me hold your hand

G

Dsus4

D

Em

Bm7

G

Dsus4

D

Em

B7

CHORUS

I wanna hold your hand I wanna hold your hand

BRIDGE

And when I touch you, I feel hap - py in - side
 It's such a feel - ing that, my love, I can't hide...
 I can't hide ... I can't hide

Dm

G

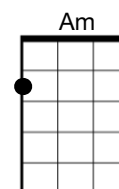
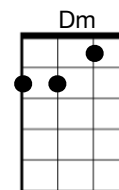
C

Am

Dm

G

C



VERSE 3

G **Dsus4** **D** **Em** **Bm7**
 Yeah, you got that some - thing I think you'll under - stand
G **Dsus4** **D** **Em** **B7**
 When I say that some - thing, I wanna hold your hand

CHORUS

C **D** **G** **Em** **C** **D** **G**
 I wanna hold your hand I wanna hold your hand

BRIDGE

Dm **G** **C** **Am**
 And when I touch you, I feel hap - py in - side
Dm **G** **C** **D**
 It's such a feel - ing that, my love, I can't hide...
C **D** **C** **D** **C** **D** **C** **D**
 I can't hide ... I can't hide

VERSE 3

G **Dsus4** **D** **Em** **Bm7**
 Yeah, you got that some - thing I think you'll under - stand
G **Dsus4** **D** **Em** **B7**
 When I say that some - thing, I wanna hold your hand

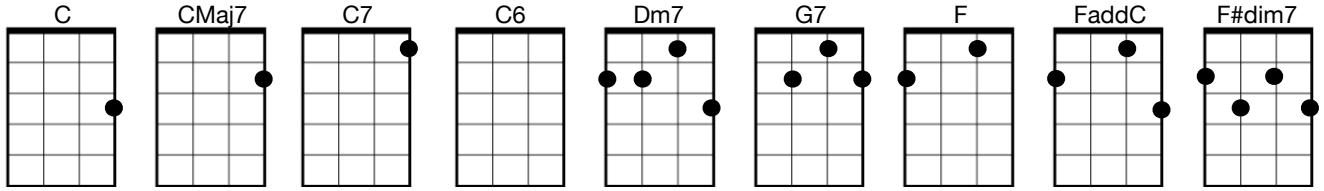
OUTRO CHORUS

C **D** **G** **Em**
 I wanna hold your ha - a - a - and
C **D** **B7**
 I wanna hold your hand
C **D** **C** **D** **C** **D** **G**
 I wanna hold your ha - a - a - a - a - and
END on G



L O - V - E — 1965

Key of C



INTRO: C G7 C G7

VERSE 1

C CMaj7 Dm7 G7
 "L" is for the way you look at me
 ↓↓↑↑ ↓↓↑↑
 Dm7 G7 CMaj7 C6
 "O" is for the on - ly one I see

C C7 F FaddC
 "V" is ver - y, very extra - ord - in - ar - y
 ↓↓↑↑ ↓↓↑↑
 D D7 G D7 G7
 "E" is ev - en more than any - one that you adore

VERSE 2

C CMaj7 Dm7 G7
 Love is all that I can give to you
 ↓↓↑↑ ↓↓↑↑
 Dm7 G7 CMaj7 C6
 And love is more than just a game for two

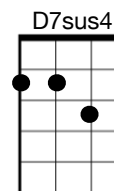
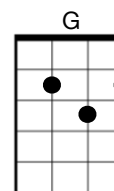
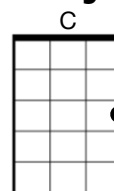
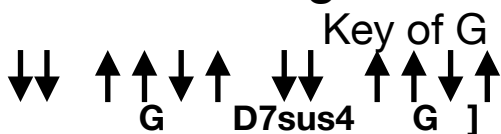
C C7
 Two in love can make it.

F F#dim7
Take my heart and please don't break it.

C G7 C G7 - turnaround to **VERSE 1**
Love was made for me and you. D7 - to **END**

C G7 C
END: Yes, love was made for me and you.
END on C

59th Street Bridge/Feelin' Groovy - 1966



INTRO: 2x [C
VERSE 1

C **G** **D7sus4** **G**
Slow down you move too fast,

C **G** **D7sus4** **G**
you've got to make the morn - ing last

C **G** **D7sus4** **G** **C** **G**
Just kick - in' down the cobble - stones, lookin' for fun,

D7sus4 **G** 2x [**C** **G** **D7sus4** **G**]
And feel - in' groov - y. feel - in' groov - y

VERSE 2

C **G** **D7sus4** **G**
Hello lamp - post watch - a know - in'?

C **G** **D7sus4** **G**
I've come to watch your flow - ers grow - in'.

C **G** **D7sus4** **G**
Ain't you got no rhymes for me?

C **G** **D7sus4** **G** 2x [**C** **G** **D7sus4** **G**]
Doot - in doo - doo, feel - in' groov - y. Feel - in' groo - vy

VERSE 3

C **G** **D7sus4** **G**
I've got no deeds to do, no prom - ises to keep.

C **G** **D7sus4** **G**
I'm dap - pled and drows - y and read - y to sleep.

C **G** **D7sus4** **G**
Let the morn - ing time wash all its pet - als on me.

C **G** **D7sus4** **G** 2x [**C** **G** **D7sus4** **G**]
Life, I love you, all is groov - y. feel - in' groov - y

END on G



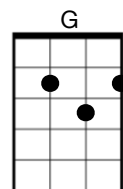
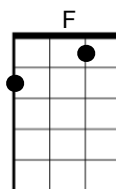
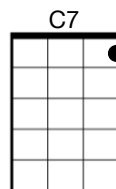
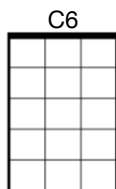
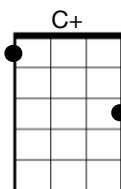
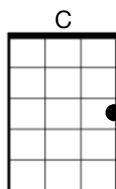


There's A Kind Of Hush - 1967

Key of C

INTRO:

C



VERSE 1

||: There's a kind of hush all over the world to - night

C

C+

C6

C7

All over the world you can hear the sound of lovers in love

F

G

C



You know what I mean

VERSE 2

Just the two of us and nobody else in sight

C

C+

C6

C7

There's nobody else and I'm feelin' good

F

G

just holdin' you tight

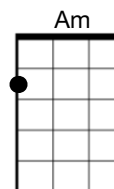
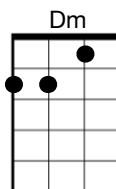
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BRIDGE

So list - en very care - full - y

F

Dm



Get clos - er now and you will see what I mean.

Am

Dm

G

It isn't a dream.

The on - ly sound that you will hear

F

Dm

is when I whisper in your ear,
 Am Dm
 ↓ ↓ ↑ ↑ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 G F
 "I love you, for - ev - er and ev - er."

VERSE 3

There's a kind of hush all over the world to - night
 C C+ C6 C7
 F G C G
 All over the world people just like us are fallin' in love. :||

END/OUTRO

G C
 Hush, they're fallin' in love

G C
 Hush, they're fallin' in love

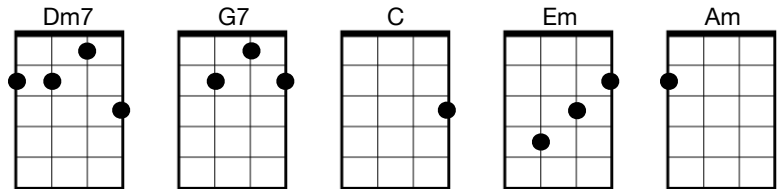
G C
 Hush, they're fallin' in love

END on C



It's A Beautiful Mornin' - 1968

Key of C



INTRO: Dm7 G7

VERSE 1

It's a beautiful morn - in' ahh!

I think I'll go out - side for a - while and just smile.

Just take in some clean, fresh air 'cause...

No sense in stay - in' inside, if the weath - er's fine

and you've got the time. It's your chance to wake up and plan

another brand new day (either way)

VERSE 2

It's a beautiful morn - in' ahh!

Each bird keeps sing - ing his own song, "So long!

I've got to be on my way now."

No fun just hang - in' around. I've got to cov - er ground

You couldn't keep me down.

Am

It just ain't no good if the sun shines

Dm7

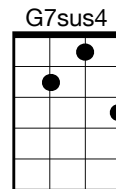
And you're still in - side (shouldn't hide) still in - side (shouldn't hide)

G7sus4

G7

C

still in - side (shouldn't hide) Woah, oh, oh, oh, oh...



INTERLUDE

C Em

Dm7 G7

C Em

Dm7 G7

Ooo - ooh Ah Ahhh... Ooo - ooh Ah Ahhh...

OUTRO

↓↓
Am

↓↓
C+

↓↓
D7sus4

↓↓
D7

There will be child - ren with rob - ins and flow - ers

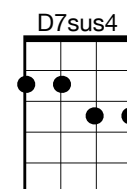
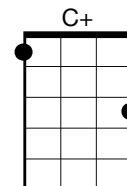
↓↓
Am

↓↓
C+

↓↓
D7sus4

↓↓↑
D7

Sun - shine car - ess - es each new waking hour



Em

Am

Dm7

Seems to me that peop - le keep seein' more and more each day

Dm7

(Gotta say) Lead the way (it's okay)

G7sus4

G7

C

Brand new day (all the way) Woah, oh, oh, oh, oh...

C Em

Dm7 G7

C Em

Dm7 G7

C

Ooo - ooh Ah Ahhh... Ooo - ooh Oh Ohhhh... Oh, oh, oh, oh...

C Em

Dm7

G7

Ooo - ooh Ah Ahhh....

C

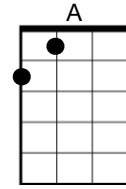
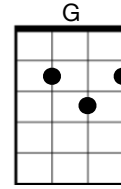
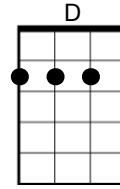
It's a beautiful morn - in'.

END on C



Put A Little Love In Your Heart - 1969

Key of D



Intro: D

VERSE 1

D

Think of your fellow man lend him a helping hand

D

Put a little love in your heart.

D

You see it's getting late. Oh, please don't hesitate.

D

Put a little love in your heart.

CHORUS

D

And the world will be a bet - ter place

A

A

And the world will be a bet - ter place

A

For you and me just wait and see

VERSE 2

D

A - noth - er day goes by and still the children cry

D

Put a little love in your heart.

G

D

We want the world to know we won't let hatred grow.

D

Put a little love in your heart.

CHORUS

And the world will be a bet - ter place

And the world will be a bet - ter place

For you and me just wait and see

VERSE 3

Take a good look around and if you're feelin' down

Put a little love in your heart.

I hope that you decide kindness will be your guide.

Put a little love in your heart.

CHORUS

And the world will be a bet - ter place

And the world will be a bet - ter place

For you and me just wait and see

[Put a little love in your heart.] repeat 3x
END on D



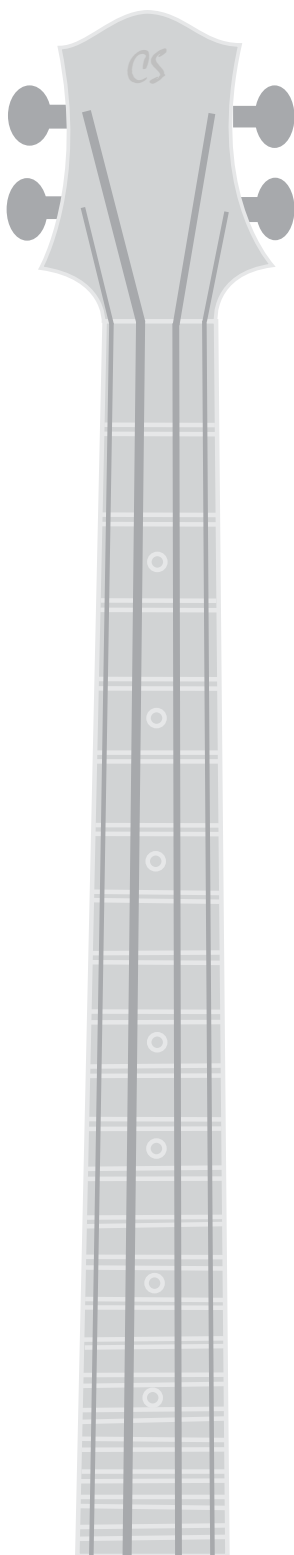
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This workshop will explore expanding the blues beyond the basic C , F , and G chords - the I , IV , V . Will spice it up with cool substitutions and using harmonic connections while still retaining the essence of the I , IV , V of the da' Blues.

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Introduction



The “**Blues**” are at the heart of all American music. It has influenced Country, Rock, Folk, Jazz, Bluegrass and just about every form of American music we listen to today.

Studying the blues chord progressions in this book will open a wealth of creative possibilities for exploring chords and chord progressions in all styles of music, not just the blues.

The “**Blues**”, a Scale, a Chord Progression, and a Feeling.

This book covers the “chord changes” or *progression* part of the blues.

Here is a common twelve measure blues chord progression in the key of C major.

C 1* I				
F 5 IV		C 7 I		
G 9 V		C 12 I		

Measures *one, five, seven, nine, and eleven* are critical measures where the **I**, **IV** and **V** chords **MUST** appear or their direct diatonic substitutions for a progression to remain a blues progression.

The most common form of a blues chord progression is twelve measures in length containing three four measure sections:

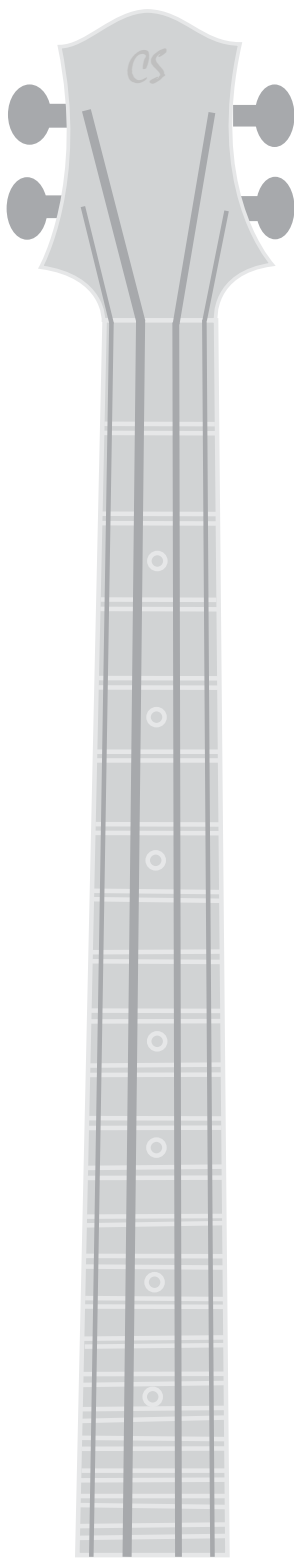
- 4 Measures of the **I** chord
- 2 Measures of the **IV** chord and 2 bars of the **I** chord
- 2 Measures of the **V** chord and 2 measures of the **I** chord

Totalling 12 measures

* These UPPERCASE roman numerals correspond to the chord's function with in its major or minor tonality. See the author's book **Harmonic Analysis for Scale Selection and Chord Substitution** for more information.



Chord Substitution Principles



A substitution is when a chord replaces or is used in addition to an existing chord.

Chords can have a *active* or *passive* quality to them. *Active* chords tend to be restless and want to move on to other chords. *Passive* chords tend to offer a feeling of rest and resolution. This cycle of active and passive chords are what gives chord progressions their feeling of movement.

Passive Chords

Passive chords can substitute for *Passive* chords.

In the key of C major the passive chords are the **I, III** and **VI** chords. As triads they are **C, Em** and **Am** and as 4-part chords they are **Cmaj7, Em7** and **Am7**.

In the key of C minor the passive chords are the **I, III** and **VI** chords. As triads they are **Cm, Eb** and **Ab** and as 4-part chords they are **Cm7, Ebmaj7** and **Abmaj7**.

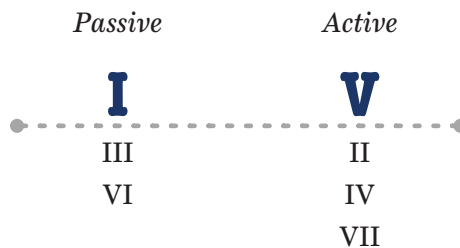
Active Chords

Active chords can substitute for *Active* chords.

In the Key of C major the active chords are the **V, II, VII** and **IV** chords. As triads they are **G, Dm, Bdim**, and **F**. As 4-part chords they are **G7, Dm7, Bm7b5**, and **Fmaj7**.

In the Key of C minor the active chords are the **V, II, VII** and **IV** chords. As triads they are **G, Dm, Bdim**, and **F**. As 4-part chords they are **G7, Dm7b5, Bm7b5**, and **Fm7**.

Summary





Direct Substitution

A direct substitute is when the root of a substitute chord matches the root of the original chord.

There are two types of direct substitutions: *replacement* and *expansion*, with the substitution characteristics of *superimposable* or *non-superimposable*.

Replacement

ORIGINAL

G⁷ C_{MA7}⁷

C: V I

SUBSTITUTION

G⁹ C_{MA7}⁷

C: V I

The original chord is removed and replaced with the substitute in the same time frame.

Expansion

Original chord remains plus the substitute in the same time frame.

ORIGINAL

G⁷ C_{MA7}⁷

C: V I

SUBSTITUTION

G⁹ G⁷ C_{MA7}⁷

C: V I





Superimposable

Upper partials (9, 11 and 13) can be used as a *direct* substitute without changing the scale that would be used to create melodies or improvise.

ORIGINAL

D_M^7 G^7 C_{MAY}^7

C: II V I

SUBSTITUTION

D_M^9 G^{13} C_{MAY}^9

C: II V I

Superimposable substitutions are *direct* substitutions, either replacing or expanding the existing chord.

Non-Superimposable

Alterations (**#4, b5, #5, b9, #9, #11, b13**).

Non-superimposed substitutions are *direct* substitutions, either replacing or expanding the existing chord. The scale selected depends on the chord alterations used.

ORIGINAL

D_M^7 G^7 C_{MAY}^7

C: II V I

SUBSTITUTIONS

D_M^7 G^{7b9} C_{MAY}^9

C: II V I





Note Substitution

6 for maj7, **6/9** for maj7, **m6** for m7, **mL7*** for m7.

Note substitutions are *direct* substitutions, either *replacing* or *expanding* the existing chord.

ORIGINAL

D_M7 G7 C_{Maj}7

C: II V I

SUBSTITUTION

D_M9 G9(#11) C%9

C: II V I



*minMaj7 - The "L" stands for *large* seventh, a major seventh.





Harmonic Principles

The Minor Third Substitution Principle

The *Minor Third Substitution Principle* states that a chord, ANY type, whose roots are 1 and 1/2 steps (*a minor third*) apart can substitute for each other. The most common chord type are 7th chords. These chords are often preceded by their **II** chords. Typically acting as a **V** or **II V** to the next chord.

Key of C Example

V G7	bVII7	→	bII7	→	III7
	Bb7	→	Db7	→	E7
	Fm7 Bb7				
	IVm7		Abm7 Db7		
	II V of ...		bVI m7		Bm7 E7
			II V of ...		VII m7
					II V of ...

bVII7

At times only the **II** of the **bVII** chord (*IVm7* or *IVm6*) is used. This is often referred to as a *Backdoor* substitution, due how the resolution to the **I** chord is approached from the **bVII7** chord vs., the traditional Dominant **V** resolution to the **I** chord.

ORIGINAL

C_{MAT}7
G7
C_{MAT}7

C: I V I

SUBSTITUTION

C_{MAT}7
F_M7
B^b7
C_{MAT}7

C: I Backdoor
Minor Third
Substitution for G7 (Bb7)
with it's II (Fm7) I





bII7

This substitution turns a *Full Diatonic** chord progression into a *Chromatic** chord progression. This is often referred to as the *Tritone* substitution.

ORIGINAL

C_{MA7}⁷ G⁷ C_{MA7}⁷

C: I V I

SUBSTITUTION

C_{MA7}⁷ D^{b7} C_{MA7}⁷

C: I bII (tritone)
Minor Third
Substitution for G7 I

III7

A rare substitution but worth exploring.

ORIGINAL

C_{MA7}⁷ G⁷ C_{MA7}⁷

C: I V I

SUBSTITUTION

C_{MA7}⁷ B_M⁷ E⁷ C_{MA7}⁷

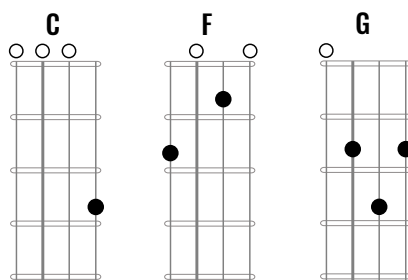
C: I III7 Minor Third
Substitution for G7
with its II chord I

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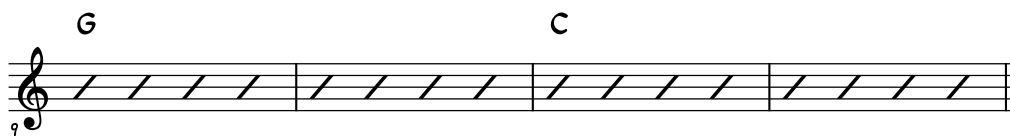
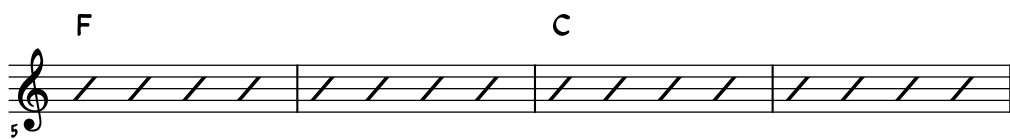
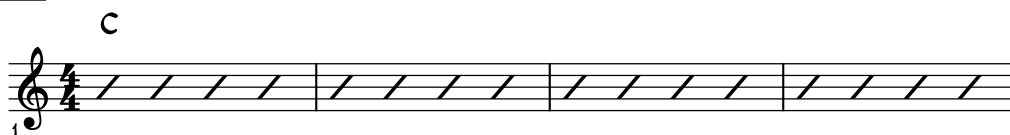




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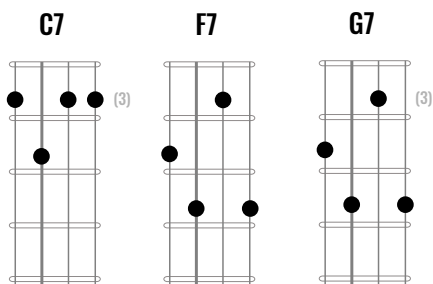


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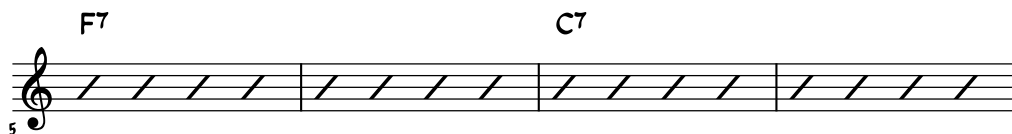




Example B



B





Major “Quick Four” Progression - Example D

To break up the monotony of six measures of a **I** chord when the progression is repeated. A **V** chord is added to measure twelve turning the progression back to the **I** chord. A **IV** chord is added to measure two, returning to the **I** chord in measure three. This change is often referred to as a “Quick Four” change. A **IV** chord can also be added to measure ten.

Chords can be *major triads* or *4-part seventh* chords.

D

1. **C7** / / / / | **F7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | / / / / | / / / / | / / / / |

I7 **IV7** **I7 (V of IV)** ----->

5. **F7** / / / / | / / / / | **C7** / / / / | / / / / | / / / / | / / / / |

IV7 **I7**

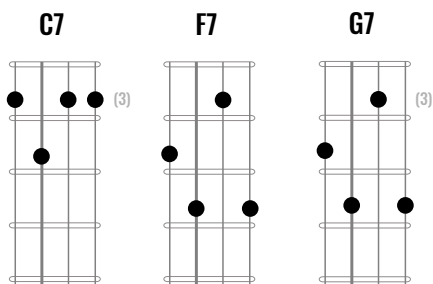
9. **G7** / / / / | **F7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **G7** / / / / | / / / / | / / / / ||

V **IV7** **I7** **V**

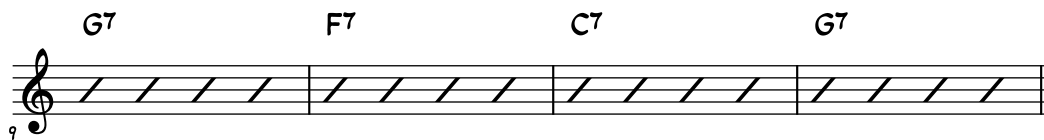




Example D



D





Linking Substitution - Example G

An *expansion* substitution in measure four treats measure five as a temporary tonic or **I** chord. The **C7** is acting as a V of IV *Secondary Dominant** chord and can be preceded by its **II** chord. A diatonic *expansion* substitution, **II** for **IV** in measure nine is created by moving the **V** chord to measure ten. This same substitution has been applied to measure twelve.

A more harmonically active turnaround has been added to measures eleven and twelve and will be used, or a variation for the remaining examples.

G

1. **C7** / / / / | **F7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Gm7** **C7** / / / / |

I7 IV7 I7 II V of IV.....

5. **F7** / / / / | / / / / | **C7** / / / / | / / / / |

IV7 I7

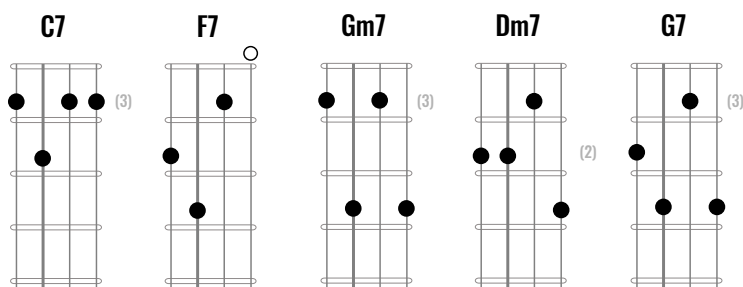
9. **Dm7** / / / / | **G7** / / / / | **C7** **F7** **Dm7** **G7** / / / / ||

II V II V
II is a Sub for IV





Example G



E

C7 F7 C7 Gm7 C7

F7 C7

Dm7 G7 C7 F7 Dm7 G7

1 5 9





Linking Substitution - Example H

An *expansion* substitution in measure four treats measure five as a temporary tonic or **I** chord. The **C7** is acting as a V of IV *Secondary Dominant** chord and can be preceded by its **II** chord. A diatonic *expansion* substitution, **II** for **IV** in measure nine is created by moving the **V** chord to measure ten. This same substitution has been applied to measure twelve.

A more harmonically active turnaround has been added to measures eleven and twelve and will be used, or a variation for the remaining examples.

H

1. **C7** / / / / | **F7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Gm7** **C7** / / / / |

I7 IV7 I7 IVm7 I7
II V of IV ----->

5. **F7** / / / / | / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **A7** / / / / |

IV7 I7 VI7
V of II ----->

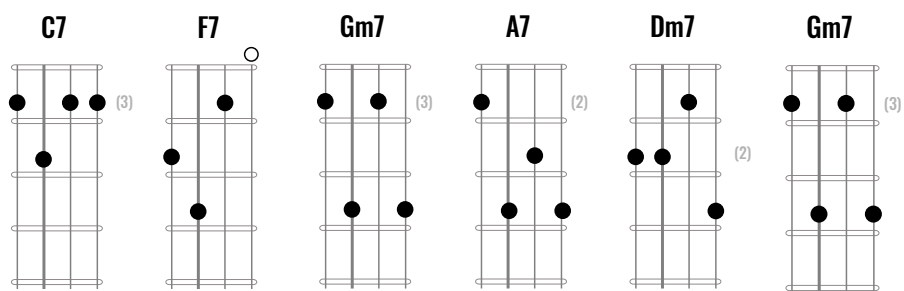
9. **Dm7** / / / / | **G7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **A7** / / / / | **Dm7** **G7** / / / / ||

II V I7 VI7 II V
V of II ----->





Example H



H

1 C7 F7 C7 Gm7 C7

5 F7 C7 A7

9 Dm7 G7 C7 A7 Dm7 G7





“Backdoor” Substitution - Example 0

The “Backdoor” substitution falls under the Minor Third Substitution principle, a **bVII⁷** (Bb7) substitute for the **V** (G7) chord and can proceed by its **II** chord.

0

1. **C7** / / / / | **F7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Gm7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / |
I⁷ IV⁷ I⁷ IVm⁷ I⁷
 II V of IV ----->

5. **F7** / / / / | **F#^o7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **A7** / / / / |
IV⁷ #IV^o7 I⁷ VI⁷
 V of II ----->

9. **Dm7** / / / / | **G7** / / / / | **Fm7** / / / / | **Bb7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **A7** / / / / | **Dm7** / / / / | **G7** / / / / ||
II V IVm⁷ bVII⁷ I⁷ VI⁷ II V
 “Backdoor” Substitution
 A II V in Eb Major
 V of II -----^

The “Backdoor” substitution can be found in many songs of the standard Jazz repertoire. Songs like: Valse Hot (m. 10), Ladybird (m. 3), How High the Moon (m. 28), Joy Spring (m. 4 & 12), Groovin’ High (m. 30), Four (m. 7), plus many more.

A common substitution for a **V** or **II V**. A linking substitute after a temporary modulation to a **IV** chord before returning to a **I** chord. Or as a free standing **V** or **II V** between two **I** chords.





Example 0

C7 	F7 	Gm7 	F#°7 	A7
Dm7 	G7 	Fm7 	Bb7 	

0

C7 F7 C7 Gm7 C7

F7 F#dim7 C7 A7

Dm7 G7 Fm7 Bb7 C7 A7 Dm7 G7





Confirmation Changes - Example P

This example used a technique called *Backcycling*. A series of linking **II V** chords leading to the **IV** chord. This progression is called the “Confirmation Cycle” and named after the Charlie Parker song “Confirmation”.

P

Confirmation Changes/Cycle

	C7		Bm7b5	E7		Am7	D7		Gm7	C7
	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /
1.	I7 I7		VII II V of VI	III7 ----->		VI II V of Vm7	II7 ----->		IVm7 II V of IV	I7 ----->
	F7		F#°7	C7		A7				
	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /			
5.	IV7		#IV°7	I7		VI7 V of II	----->			
	Dm7		G7	C7		A7		Dm	G7	
	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /	
9.	II		V	I7		VI7 V of II	-----↑	II	V	

The chord changes can be found in songs like: *Bluesette*, *There Will Never Be Another You*, and *Blues for Alice*.

Alternate Analysis

An alternative analysis could have been done using a double function notation of **II V/I** with the **I** serving a double function for the previous **II V** as well as a **II**.

	C7		Bm7b5	E7		Am7	D7		Gm7	C7
	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /	/ / / /
	I7		II Am:	V		II G:	V		II F:	V





Lewis Changes - Example Q

Named after John Lewis of the Modern Jazz Quartet these changes are often called the “*Stormy Monday*” changes.

Q

C7	Bm7b5	E7	Am7	D7	Gm7	C7
/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /
1. I7 I7	VII II V of VI	III7	VI II V of Vm7	II7	IVm7 II V of IV	I7
	----->		----->		----->	
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F7			Cmaj7	Dm7	Em7	A7
/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /
5. IV7			I	II	III II V of II	VI7
			----->			
Dm7	G7	C7	A7	Dm7	G7	
/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	
9. II	V	I7	VI7 V of II	II	V	
			----->			

The chord changes can be found in songs like; *Bluesette*, *There Will Never Be Another You*, and *Blues for Alice*.

Alternate Lewis Changes

F7	Cmaj7	Dm	Em7	Eb7
/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /
IV7	I	II	III	bIII7 Tritone Sub





Coltrane Blues - Example R

John Coltrane's music and compositions are a formative influence on all jazz musicians. His composition, Giant Steps and its use of a major third modulation sequence can be used in a blues progression.

R

Coltrane Changes

	Cmaj7	Eb7	Abmaj7	B7	Emaj7	G7	C7
1.	II	Ab: V	I	E: V I		C: V	V of IV
	Key Modulations						

	F7		F#°7	C7		A7
5.	I7			I7		V of II

Coltrane Changes

	* Dm7	Eb7	Abmaj7	B7	Emaj7	G7	C7	G7
9.	II	Ab: V	I	Eb: VI		C: V	I	V
	Key Modulations							

* The *Coltrane Changes* can start with either a **I** or **II** chord.





The Tritone Substitution - Example S

The *Tritone* substitution is a *Minor Third Substitution* that creates a chromatic root movement. Here the **V** chords are replaced with their tritone substitution.

S

<p>C7</p> <p> / / / / </p> <p>1. I7</p>	<p>F7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>IV7</p>	<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>Gm7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>IVm7 II bII of IV</p>	<p>Gb7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>bIV7</p> <p>.....></p>	
<p>F7</p> <p> / / / / </p> <p>5. IV7</p>	<p>F#°7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>#IV°7</p>	<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>Em7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>IIIIm7 II bII of II</p>	<p>Eb7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>bIII7</p> <p>.....></p>	
<p>Dm7</p> <p> / / / / </p> <p>9. II</p>	<p>G7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>V</p>	<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>A7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>VI7 V of II</p>	<p>Dm7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>II</p>	<p>Db7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>bII7</p> <p>.....^ II bII of I</p>





The Tritone Substitution - Example T

The *Tritone* substitution is a *Minor Third Substitution* that creates a chromatic root movement. Here the **V** chords are replaced with their tritone substitution.

T

	C7	/ / / /		F7	/ / / /		C7	/ / / /		Gm7	Gb7	/ / / /		
1.	I7			IV7			I7			IVm7	bIV7		II bII of IV ----->	
	F7	/ / / /		F#°7	/ / / /		C7	/ / / /		Em7	Eb7	/ / / /		
5.	IV7			#IV°7			I7			IIIIm7	bIII7		II bII of II ----->	
	Dm7	/ / / /		G7	/ / / /		C7	/ / / /		Eb7	Dm7	Db7	/ / / /	
9.	II			V			I7			bVII7 Tritone Sub	II	bII7	II bII of I ----->	





The Tritone Substitution - Example U

The *Tritone* substitution is a *Minor Third Substitution* that creates a chromatic root movement. Here the **V** chords are replaced with their tritone substitution.

U

1. **C7** / / / / | **F7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Dbm7** **Gb7** / / / / |

I⁷ IV⁷ I⁷ II V
Tritone II V of IV ----->

5. **F7** / / / / | **F#°7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Bbm7** **Eb7** / / / / |

IV⁷ #IV^{°7} I⁷ II V
Tritone II V of II ----->

9. **Dm7** / / / / | **G7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Eb7** / / / / | **Abm7** **Db7** / / / / ||

II V I⁷ bVII⁷ II V
Tritone Sub ↑ Tritone II V of I ----->

All these *Tritone Subs* are just *Minor Third Substitutions* of Secondary Dominant substitutions, a **V** to **X** with their **II** chords.





The Tritone II V Substitution - Example V

Adding the **II** chord to the tritone **bII** substitution in measure nine.

V

<p>C7</p> <p> / / / / </p> <p>1. I7</p>	<p>F7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>IV7</p>	<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>Dbm7 Gb7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>II V</p> <p>Tritone II V of IV -----></p>		
<p>F7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>5. IV7</p>	<p>F#7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>#IV°7</p>	<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>Bbm7 Eb7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>II V</p> <p>Tritone II V of II -----></p>		
<p>Dm7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>9. II</p>	<p>Abm7 Db7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>bVIIm7 bII7</p> <p>Tritone II V of I</p>		<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>Eb7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>bVII7</p> <p>Tritone Sub -----></p>	<p>Abm7 Db7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>II V</p> <p>↑ Tritone II V of I -----></p>

You can end up getting pretty crazy with the substitutions. But, it all still sticks with the harmonic intent of the progressions.





Expansion Substitution - Example W

Adding the **V** chord back into measure nine.

W

1. **C7** / / / / | **F7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Dbm7** / / / / | **Gb7** / / / / |

I7 IV7 I7 II V
Tritone II V of IV ----->

5. **F7** / / / / | **F#°7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Bbm7** / / / / | **Eb7** / / / / |

IV7 #IV°7 I7 II V
Tritone II V of II ----->

9. **Dm7** / / / / | **G7** / / / / | **Abm7** / / / / | **Db7** / / / / | **C7** / / / / | **Eb7** / / / / | **Abm7** / / / / | **Db7** / / / / ||

II V bVIIm7 bII7 I7 bVII7 II V
Tritone II V of I Tritone Sub ----->





Backdoor bVII7 Substitution - Example X

Using example **O** from page 42 a “Backdoor” **bVII7** chord replaces the **IV** chord in measure two.

X

<p>C7</p> <p> / / / / </p> <p>1. I7</p>	<p>Bb7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>bVII7 Backdoor V of I -----^</p>	<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>Gm7 C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>II V II V of IV -----></p>
<p>F7</p> <p> / / / / </p> <p>5. IV7</p>	<p>F#°7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>#IV°7</p>	<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>A7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>V V of II -----></p>
<p>Dm7</p> <p> / / / / </p> <p>9. II</p>	<p>G7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>V</p>	<p>C7</p> <p>/ / / / </p> <p>I7</p>	<p>A7 Dm7 G7</p> <p>/ / / / / / / / </p> <p>bVII7 II V V of II -----^</p>

The “Backdoor” substitution (*example O, page 42*) can be uses as a free standing **V** or **II V** between two **I** chords (*m1 and m2*).





Backdoor II V Substitution - Example Y

A **II** chord can be added to a “Backdoor” substitution.

Y

C7	Fm7 Bb7				C7	Gm7 C7	
/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /
1. I7	IVm7 bVII7				I7	II V	
	Backdoor II V of I -----^					II V of IV ----->	
F7	F#°7				C7	A7	
/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /
5. IV7	#IV°7				I7	II V	
	V of II ----->						
Dm7	G7		C7	A7	Dm7	G7	
/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /
9. II	V		I7	VI7	II	V	
				V of II -----^			





Backdoor II V with Tritone Substitution - Example Z

A Tritone substitution of the **V** of the “Backdoor” substitution, the **E7** in measure two.

Z

	C7	Fm7 E7	C7		Gm7 C7
	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /
1.	I7	IVm7 Backdoor II V of I	III7 I7		II II V of IV
5.	F7		F#7		A7
	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /
	IV7		#IV°7 I7		II V of II
9.	Dm7	G7	C7		A7 Dm7 G7
	/ / / /	/ / / /	/ / / /		/ / / /
	II	V	I7		VI7 V of II

In measure 2 (*m2*), you could substitute **Am7** for the **Fm7**, creating a different **II V**, **Am7 E7**.

26 Blues Chord Progression from A to Z. As you can see, it can get harmonically, pretty crazy. And there would be a lot more. And the title of the book would have to be changed. All the progressions adhere to the harmonic intent of a blues progression.





Scale Choices

Seventh Chords

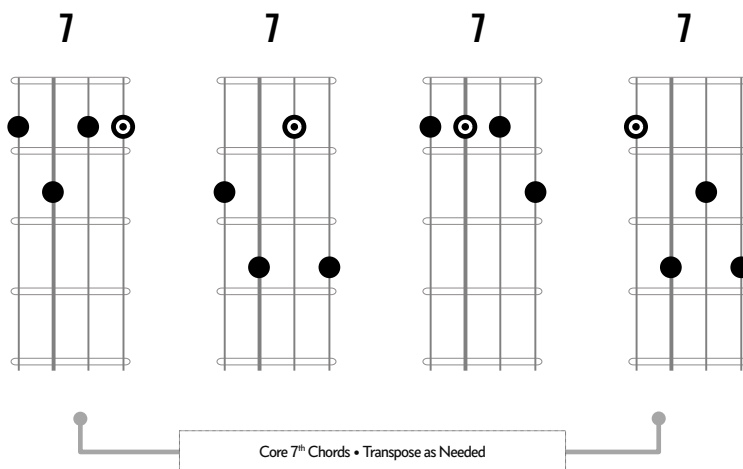
- For **Seventh** chords resolving up a perfect fourth (or down a perfect fifth) to a *major* chord type use a **Mixolydian** scale.
- For **Seventh** chords resolving up a perfect fourth (or down a perfect fifth) to a *minor* chord type use a **Mixolydian -2 -6** scale.

Core Chords

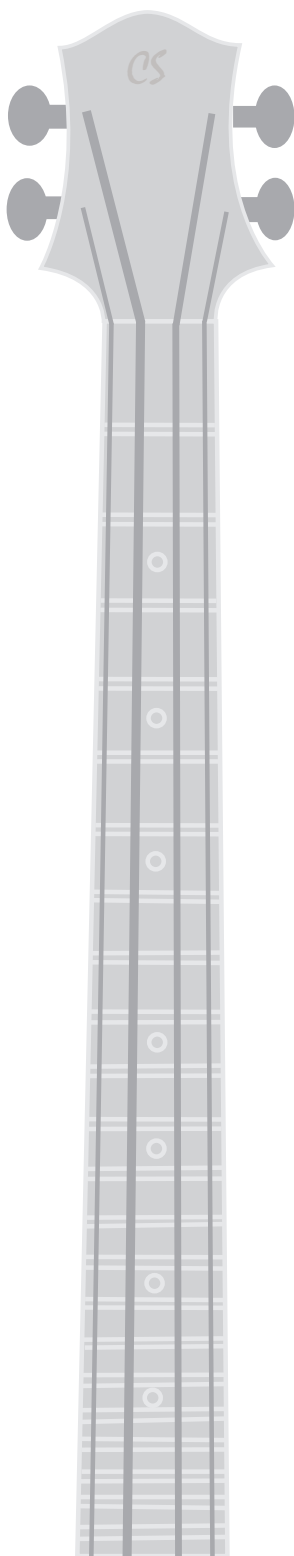
Seventh Chords

There are six essential chords to build your 4-part contemporary, a.k.a., “Jazz” chord vocabulary on.

From the below four, core Seventh chords you will need on your way to building any chord you would ever need.



Conclusion



A blues progression can be as simple as a **I IV V** basic twelve measure progression to a complex jazz arrangement with substitutions, upper partials and alterations.

For a blues progression to remain a blues progression it needs a **I, IV** and **V** chord in the post positions.

This book focused mainly on the major blues progression in the **Key of C** and briefly touched on the blues progression in a minor key. Other substitutions and keys are possible and should be explored.

The principles used to create the substitutions can be applied to other progressions and key - not just a blues progression.



Now Get to Work!





Jodi Damon

Memorizing Your Songs - Yes You Can!

This workshop is for anyone with the desire to memorize music, but especially for those who have ever uttered the phrase 'I just can't do it'. Fortunately, memorizing is not just for an elite group of people born with the right skills— anyone can train and develop their memorization skills. Jodi will describe many proven techniques that are helpful when memorizing music. She'll also discuss the benefits of memorizing music, and give you the pep talk you need to finally do it!

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Memorizing your Songs-Yes You Can!

Presented by [Jodi Damon](#)

“Whether you think you can or you think you can’t, you’re right.”

-Henry Ford

The power of the word ‘Yet’

“I can’t memorize music YET”

Memorization is a skill that can be developed and improved.

Why would you want to?

Pocket songs-for requests and campfires

Performance benefits- Gives you the opportunity to connect to a song more deeply

Not be limited to whether you have a songbook with you to play

To prove that you can do hard things!

Picking the right song

Let’s set ourselves up by choosing a good song to memorize. They are not all created equal and some will be much easier to commit to memory than others.

The easiest songs to memorize will be ones that tell a story and/or ones with which you are already very familiar. Also choosing a song with a simple or repetitive chord progression will assist in the task. The hardest ones are songs that repeat a lot but with slight changes or ones that list things.

Commit to it and decide you are going to do it.

Start playing the song using the song sheet with this in mind. You will pay attention differently now (similar to when a teacher tells you there will be a test on information in a lecture.)

Tips and Tricks:

Sing/play the song with the song sheet but work on playing sections without looking.

Use chunking: Learn the song in separate sections, then group them together at the end. Break it down to one section/verse at a time and don't overdo it. (example phone numbers)

Write out the lyrics- Try using different colors for different sections.

Practice interleaving. Interleaving is the idea of mixing or alternating skills or concepts that you want to learn. For example, spend some time memorizing a verse to the song you are working on. Then play some other songs (either that you already have memorized or using a song chart) and then revisit the verse you are working on.

Use spaced repetition. Review the information, then increase the time between reviews each time to enhance long term knowledge retention.

Sleep on it. Studies show that your brain processes and stores information while you sleep. Try to review the song just before you go to sleep and see if it helps embed the information in your memory.

Use visualization: Imagine/create images, diagrams, or animations to communicate the lyrics (ex Ukulele Anthem, Down on the Corner) Be as vivid as possible.

Connect it- Link the words to a personal experience. (example- how I memorized the order of the verses for Untitled No 4)

Memory Palaces. This technique involves attaching memory triggers to familiar locations. Try learning the words the first verse while standing in the kitchen, and the words to the next verse in the living room etc

Speak the words before singing it

Record yourself playing the song and try to sing along to it from memory

Isolate chords and work on playing them without singing. Look for patterns in the chord progression. Pay attention to what your hands are doing.

Find landmarks where words match up with chord changes.

REPETITION-this will eventually engage muscle memory. Don't need instrument, can sing the song in the shower, car, in your head before bed etc)

Take your time and practice correctly. If there is a part that you always forget/mess up on, isolate that part and play it repeatedly without mistakes. You do not want muscle memory to kick in if you continue to play/sing it incorrectly.

Keep it fun! Take breaks. Be patient. And rest assured, this will get easier and faster as you hone your memorization skills.

If you repeat this enough, muscle memory WILL kick in and you'll experience freedom to express and connect within the song!



Uncle Zac

Tin Pan Alley – The Brain

Tin Pan Alley – Where a Uke really sounds like a Uke

This workshop is designed for any player who wants to have some fun playing swing and jazz styles of Tin Pan Alley. The course is designed to accommodate ukes of all sizes and tunings as well as players from beginner to intermediate.

We will explore several LEFT HAND tips, tricks & techniques to take your playing of all sorts of songs out of first gear and into the wonderful world of swing. From chord substitution to melody rhythms, putting a new set of tools in your “UkeBag” and take your playing to the next level is the ultimate goal of this course and getting you there is the ultimate goal for UncleZac.

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TRANSPOSITION CHART*

I	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	I
II	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	B_b	B	C	C#	II
III	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	A#	B	C	C#	D	D#	III
IV	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	C	D_b	D	E_b	E	IV
V	G	G#	A	B_b	B	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	V
VI	A	A#	B	C	C#	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	VI
VII	B	B#	C#	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	A#	VII
I	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	I

*SAME CHORDS : **C#/D_b** **D#/E_b** **F#/G_b** **G#/A_b** **A#/B_b**
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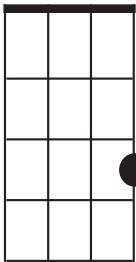
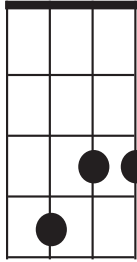
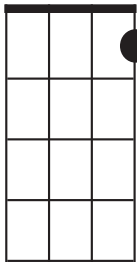
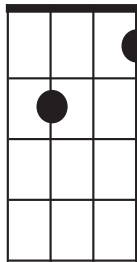
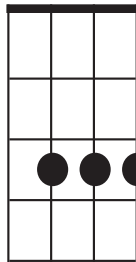
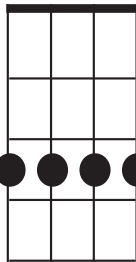
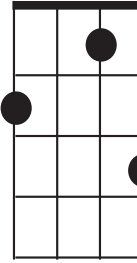
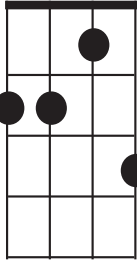
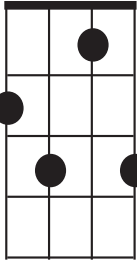
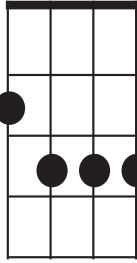
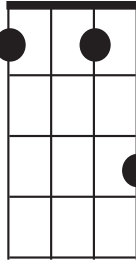
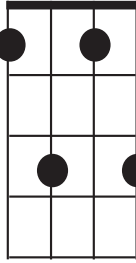
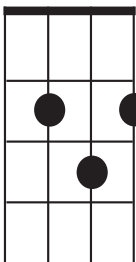
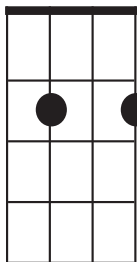
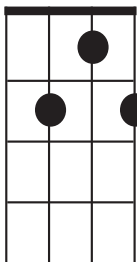
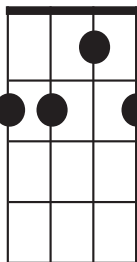
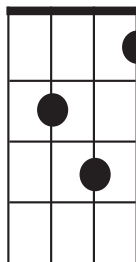
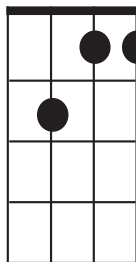
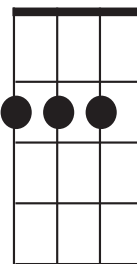
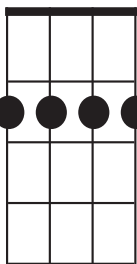
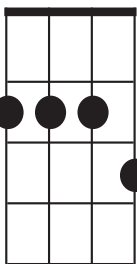
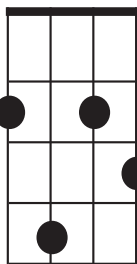
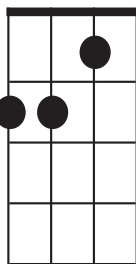
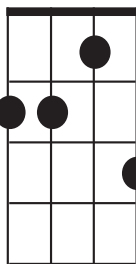
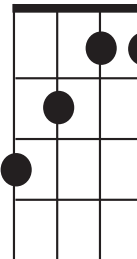
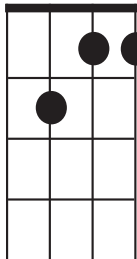
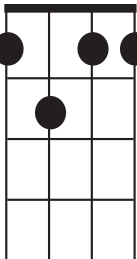
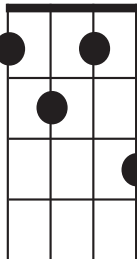
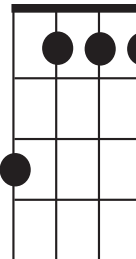
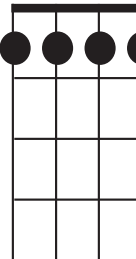
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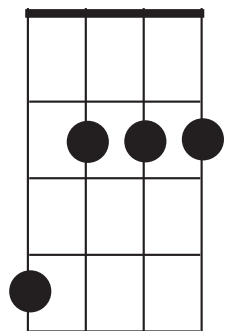
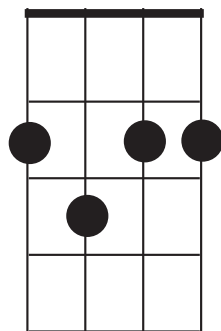
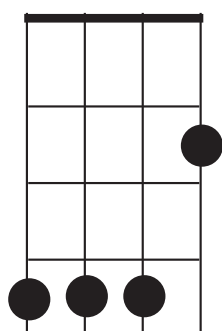
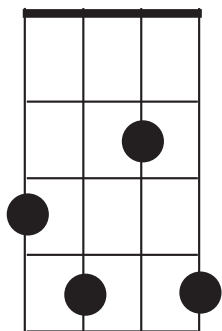
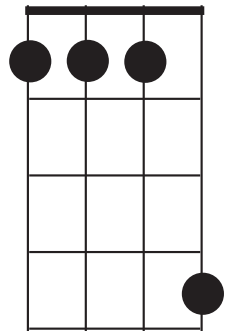
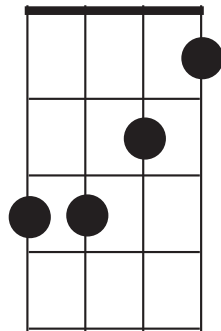
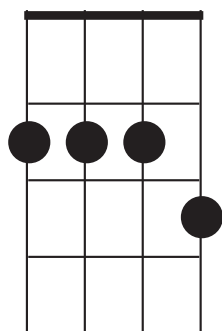
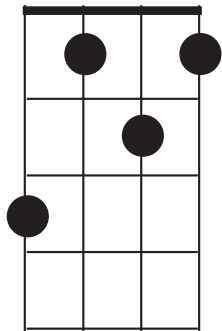
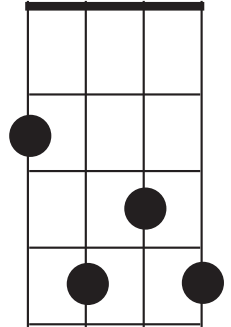
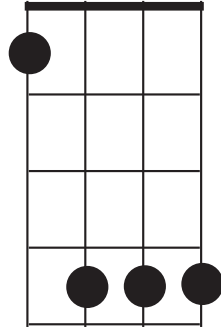
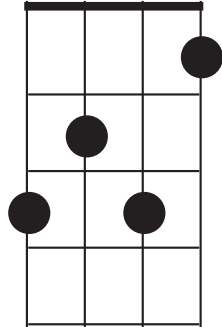
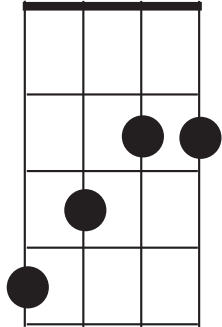
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G 	G6 	G7 	G9 	Gm 	Gm7 
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Bb 	Bb6 	Bb7 	Bb9 	Bbm 	Bbm7 

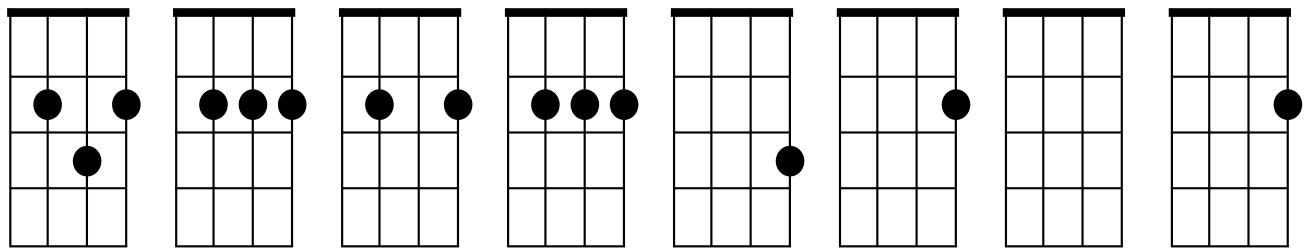
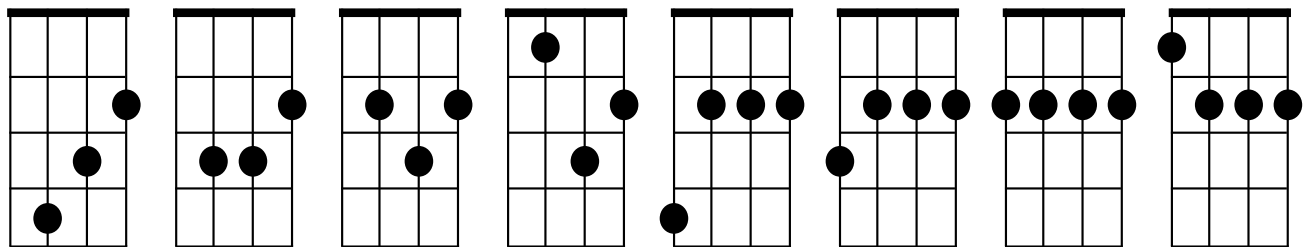
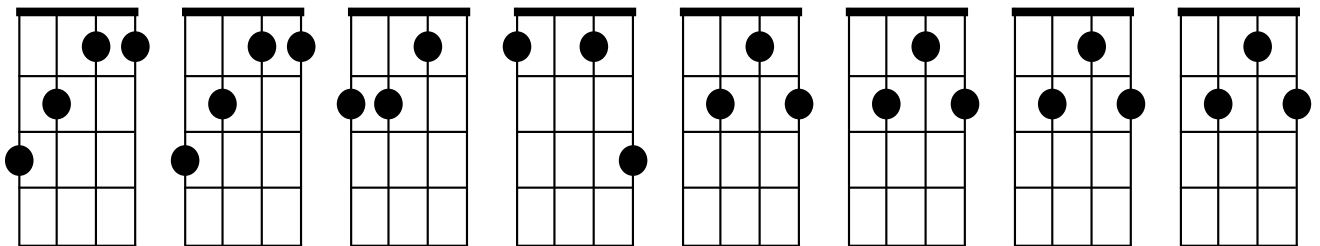
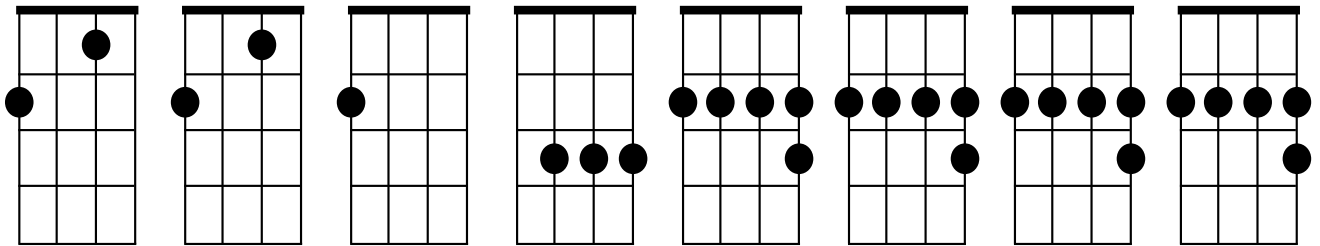
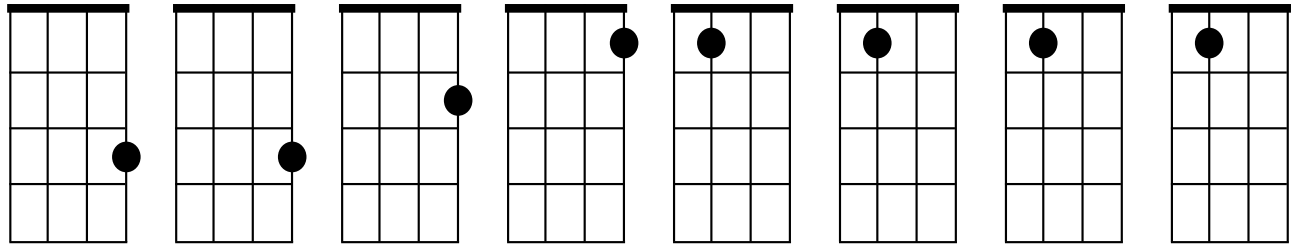
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C9	F9	G9	A9	D9	E9	Bb9	B9
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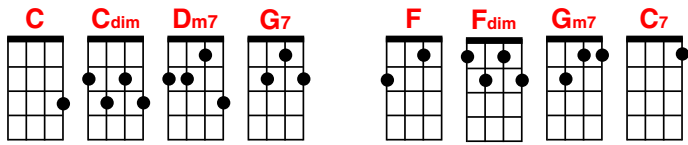
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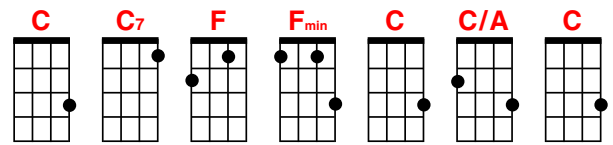
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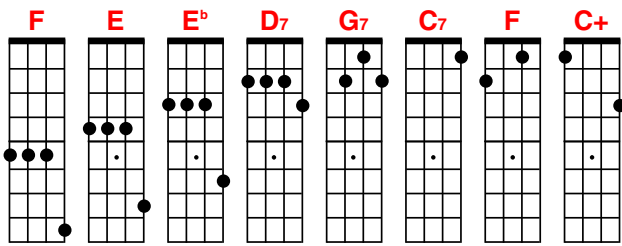
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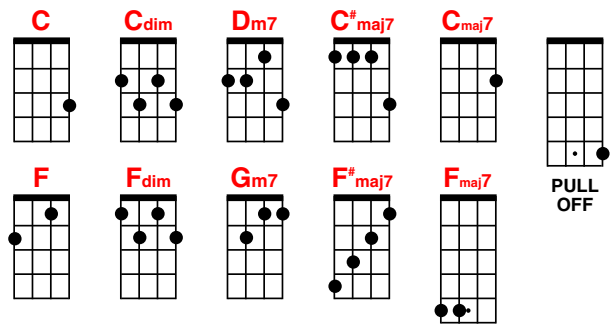
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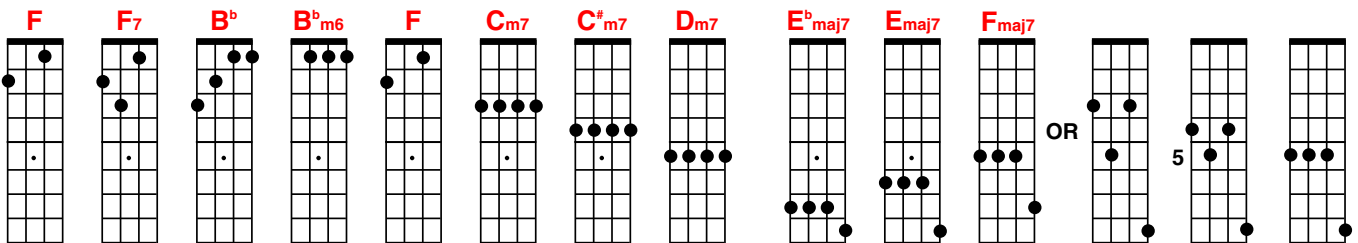
STANDARD "C" ENDING



WALKING INTRO

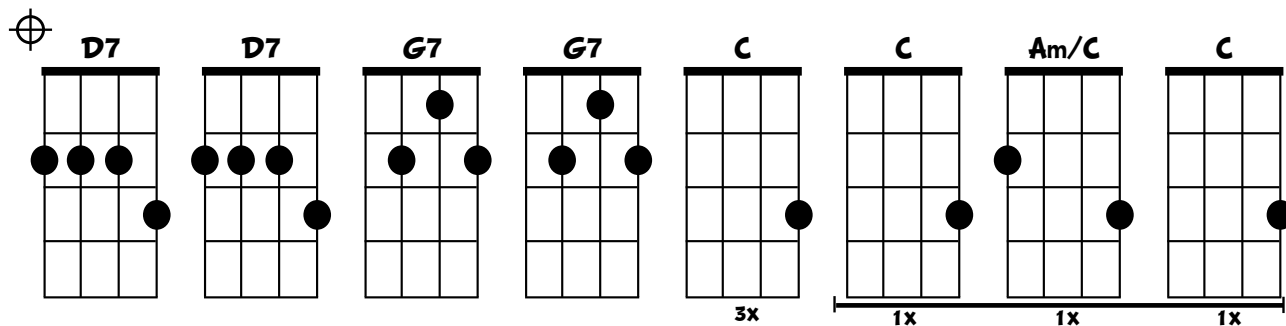
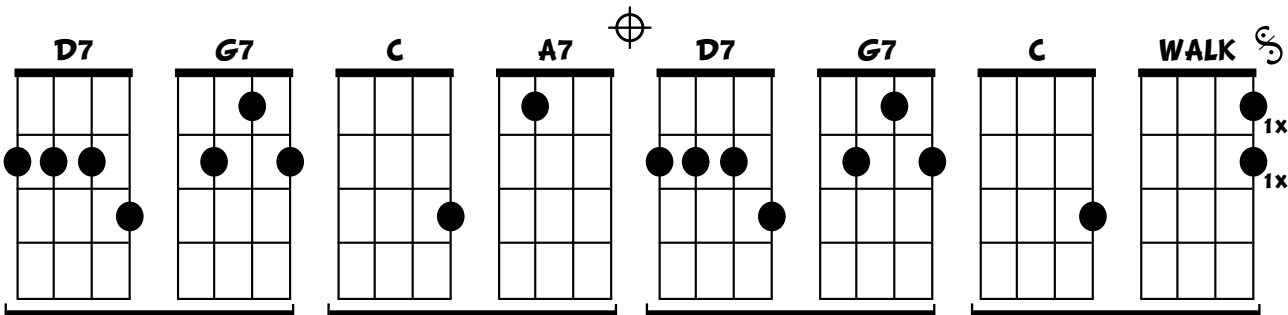
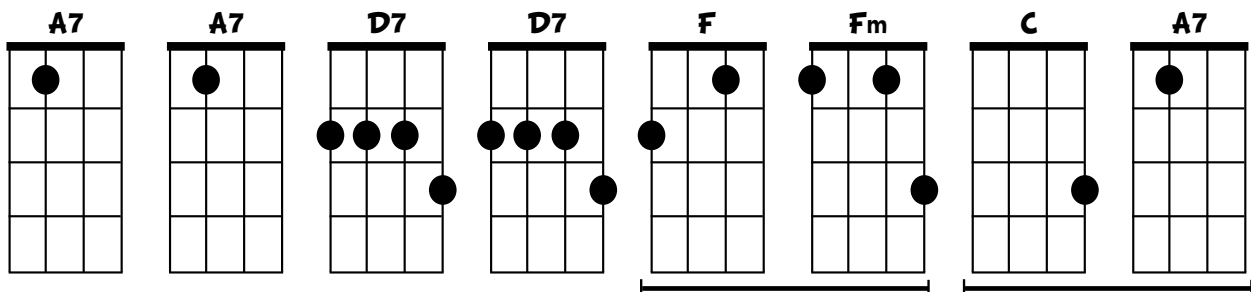
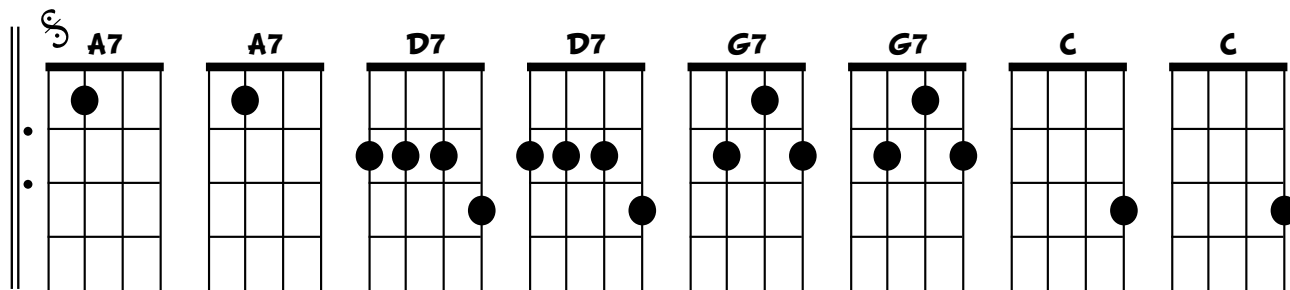
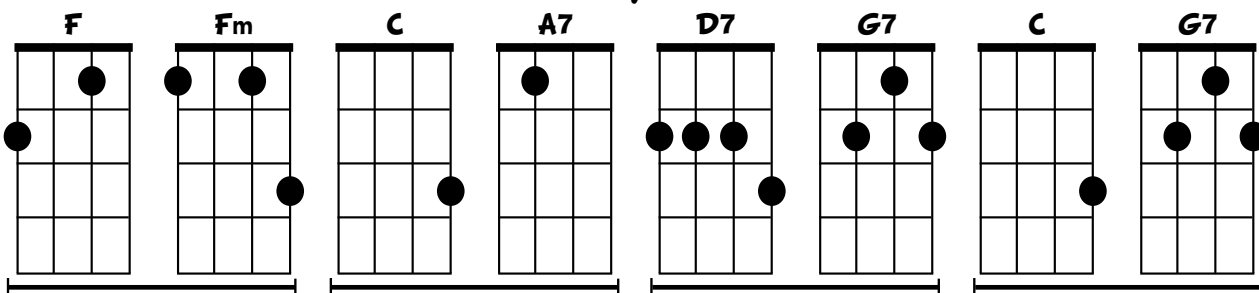


MAJOR 7th ENDINGS



STANDARD "F" ENDING WITH VARIATIONS

UP A LAZY RIVER





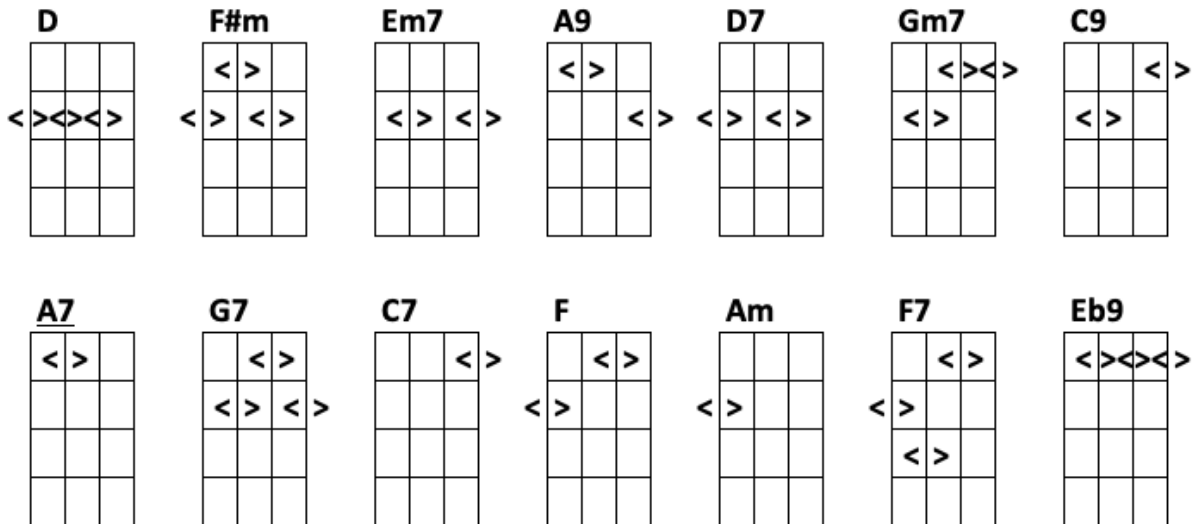
Peter Moss

“Summer Breezes”

“Summer Breezes” – This workshop feature the song “The Summer Wind”. It has been sung by many people but most famously by Frank Sinatra. I have put together a Uke & Sing arrangement that has a few substitute chords from the original to add a bit of spice. To help turn it into more of a performance piece, I add vocal harmony into the mix. If that wasn’t enough, I also go up a gear and change the key, leading to a very tasteful ending. Definitely a workshop to put a smile on your face. I hope to see you there. Peter.

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The Summer Wind



The **D(4)** Summer wind, came
F#m(4) Blowin' in from a-
Em7(8)-cross the sea, it
A9(8) Lingered there to touch your hair and
D(8) Walk with me, All
D7(8) Summer long, we sang a song then we
GM7(4) Strolled that golden **C9(4)** sand
D(4) Two sweethearts **A7(4)** and, the
D(8) Summer wind. Like.....

Cont.....

D(4) Painted kites, those
F#m(4) Days and nights, they went
Em7(8) Flying by, the
A9(8) World was knew beneath a blue, um-
D(8) -brella sky, then
D7(8) Softer than a piper man, one
GM7(4) Day it called to C9(4) you
D(4) I lost you A7(4) to the
D(8) Summer wind

Link....G7(4) C7(4) The...

F(4) Autumn wind and the
Am(4) Winter winds they have
Gm7(8) Come and gone, and...
C9(8) Still the days, those lonely days go
F(8) On and on, and.....
F7(8) Guess who sighs his lullabies, through
Gm7(4) Nights that never Eb9(4) end
F(4) My fickle C7(4) friend, the
F(8) Summer wind.

F(4) My fickle C7(4) friend, the
F(8) Summer wind.

F(4) My fickle C7(4) friend, the
(Slow down...) Gm7(4) Summer Eb9(4)
F..... Wind (Tremolo.....)



Laura Wootton

Making the Song Your Own

In this class, we will review the process of arranging a song to make it your own. We will review chords that can enhance the sound of a song and help you better tell its story. We will also review some strumming and plucking patterns. All levels are welcome to attend.

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Making the Song Your Own

Song Arranging with Laura L. Wootton
Funky Frets UkeFest 2024

- 1. Find a chord chart:** Look up a few chord charts for the song you'd like to do. See which ones have chords that sound/feel right to you. Maybe combine chords from different charts to create the sound that you want.
- 2. Transpose the song:** What is the best key for you?
 - What range is comfortable for you to sing in?
 - What chords feel accessible for you to play?
- 3. Pluck or Strum:** Will you strum or pluck the song?
 - **What kind of strumming pattern?**
 - Standard Strum:** Over the Rainbow
 - Rhythm Variations:** 59th Street Bridge, All I Have to Do Is Dream
 - **What kind of plucking pattern?**
 - Example of 123, 123** (for songs in 3) - Can't Help Falling In Love
 - G & A strings = **1**, E string = **2**, C string = **3**
 - Example of 123412** (for songs in 3 or 6) - Amazing Grace
 - G & A strings = **1**, E string = **2**, C string = **3**, G string = **4**,
 - G & A strings = **1**, E string = **2**
 - Example of 1234** (for songs in 4) - All I Have to Do Is Dream
 - G & A strings = **1**, E string = **2**, C string = **3**, G string = **4**,
 - Example of Pluck or Strum** - All I Have to Do Is Dream
- 4. Can I add in any Maj7, 6, Dom7, Min7, Sus4, or Diminished7 chords?**
- 5. What feels like the best intro for the song?**
 - a. Use the opening chord of the song
 - b. Use last few chords of the song with turnaround chord*
 - c. Unique strum or plucking intro - i.e. Sound of Silence
- 6. Will I do a solo in the song?** (Whistle, singing, or instrumental)
 - ***Turnaround Chords** turn you around to the top of the song. They are the 5th chord of your key signature (i.e. G/G7 = turnaround chord in the key of C, A/A7 = turnaround chord in the key of D, D/D7 = turnaround chord in the key of G)
- 7. How will I end the song?**
 - a. Main chord of key signature
 - b. Repeat tag line - All I Have to Do Is Dream
 - c. Plucking outro - Sound of Silence

Over the Rainbow (Hawaiian)

Key of C



Standard Strum

Intro: C Em F C F E7 Am F

VERSE 1

Oh, some - where ov - er the rainbow, way up high

There's a land that I heard of, oh once, in a lull - a - by









Oh, some - where ov - er the rainbow, skies are blue

VERSE 2

And the dreams that you dream, oh dreams, really do come true

59th Street Bridge/Feelin' Groovy

Strumming Pattern Variations

INTRO: 2x [C     Using D7sus4 instead of D/D7     G]

VERSE 1

Slow down you move too fast,

you've got to make the morn - ing last

Just kick - in' down the cobble - stones, lookin' for fun,

And feel - in' groov - y. **2x** [C G D7sus4 G]

Can't Help Falling In Love

Pluck 123 123

INTRO: C G C G

VERSE 1

C Em Am F C G
Wise men say, only fools rush in

F G Am F C G C
But I can't help fall - ing in love with you.

Amazing Grace

Pluck 123412

INTRO: C G C F C
(1234) (12)

VERSE 1

C C7 F C G G7
A - maz - ing Grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me

C C7 F C G C(1234) F (12) C
I once was lost but now am found, was blind but now I see.

Sound Of Silence

Plucking Intro for Strumming Song

INTRO: Pluck Am

VERSE 1

N.C. Am G Am
Hello darkness my old friend, I've come to talk with you a - gain

F C
Because a vision soft - ly creep - ing,

F C
left its seeds while I was sleep - ing.

F FaddC C Am
And the vis - ion that was plant - ed in my brain still re - mains

C G Am (pluck)
Within the sound of si - lence.

All I Have to Do Is Dream

Example of Pluck 1234 or Strum Variation

Turnaround Chord (Chorus or Verse), Ending on Key Signature Chord, Tag At End

INTRO: G C G D7

VERSE 1

G **Em Am** **D7** **G** **Em Am**
When I want you in my arms. When I want you
D7 **G** **Em** **C** **D7**
and all your charms, when - ev - er I want you, all I have to do,
G **Em** **C** **D7**
is dream. Dream, dream, drea - m.

VERSE 2

G **Em Am** **D7** **G** **Em Am**
When I feel blue in the night, and I need you
D7 **G** **Em** **C** **D7**
To hold me tight, when - ev - er I want you, all I have to do,
G C G **G7**
is drea - - - - m.

CHORUS

CMaj7 **Bm7** **Am7 D7**
I can make you mine, taste your lips of wine, any - time
GMaj7 G7 CMaj7 **Bm7** **A7**
Night or day. Only trouble is, gee wiz, I'm dream - in'
D C Bm7 Am7
my life a - way.

VERSE 3

G **Em Am** **D7** **G** **Em Am**
I need you so that I could die. I love you so
D7 **G** **Em** **C** **D7**
and that is why, when - ev - er I want you, all I have to do,
G **Em** **C** **D7** **G C G** **D7 to** **VERSE 1**
is |dream. Dream, dream, drea - m.| drea - - - - m.

END

Repeat 2-3x at end



The Aloha Boys

Kanikapila with the Aloha Boys

Join the Aloha Boys in the traditional Hawaiian Kanikapila.



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Ask Issac what this means? *Tell him Curt
put this here.*



Uncle Zac

Strumming: The Heart of Ukulele

What makes an ukulele sound like an ukulele?

It's in the strum!

This workshop is for beginners and intermediates who want to make their uke playing sound more fluid and their rhythms more interesting to listen to.

UncleZac takes you back to the very beginning where you learn four basic strums and variations of each that will allow you to create a much more melodic rhythm by combining and alternating strums in a song.

Though more complex strums like fans, triplets and flamenco will be explored, the workshop will concentrate on the basic strum building blocks to make your uke sing.

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THE HEART WORKSHOP

1 - NEW STRUMS & RYTHYMS 2019

Swing – Straight 8's

2 – FAN - FLAMENCO

3 – TRIPLETS / ROLLS

4 – CUTS – DOWNS - CHUNKS

5 – LYLE RITZ / HAWAIIAN FLICK

6 – SYNCOPATION – FEEL THE ONE

7 – STRUMMING THE MELODY

Phrase Your Strum Like Vocals

8 – 5 FOOT 2 - BYE BYE BLUES

STRUMS & RYTHYMS


1 2 &/3 &/4 &


STANDARD STRUM


1 2/3 &/4 &

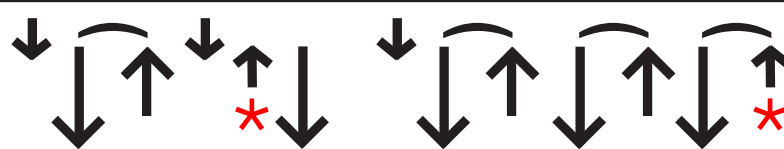
ISLAND STRUM


1&2/3 &/4 &

DOUBLE STRUM

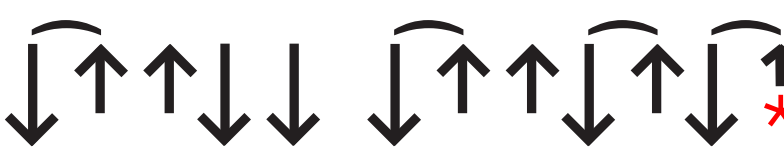

1/2 3 &/4 &

TRIPLE STRUM


1 2&3 4

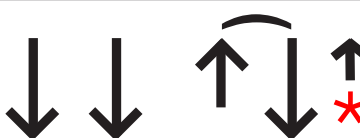
IZ STRUM

1 2&3&4&


1/2 &3 4

JOHN "B" STRUM

1/2 &3&4&


1 2 &3 &

3/4 or WALTZ STRUM

* OPTIONAL STROKE

TRANSPOSITION CHART*

I	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	I
II	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	B_b	B	C	C#	II
III	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	A#	B	C	C#	D	D#	III
IV	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	C	D_b	D	E_b	E	IV
V	G	G#	A	B_b	B	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	V
VI	A	A#	B	C	C#	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	VI
VII	B	B#	C#	D	D#	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	A#	VII
I	C	C#	D	E_b	E	F	F#	G	A_b	A	B_b	B	I

***SAME CHORDS :C#/D_b D#/E_b F#/G_b G#/A_b A#/B_b**

COLOR FOLLOWS CHORD - FLATS AND SHARPS DON'T

FIVE FOOT TWO

Chord progression for "Five Foot Two":

Row 1: C, E7, A7, A7, D7, G7, C, G7

Row 2: C, E7, A7, A7, D7, G7, C, C

Row 3: E7, E7, A7, A7, D7, D7, G7, G7

Row 4: D7, G7, D7, G7, D7, G7, C, C

Row 5: (Empty diagrams)

BYE BYE BLUES

Chord progression for "Bye Bye Blues":

Row 1: F, F, C#7, C#7, F, F, D7, D7

Row 2: G7, G7, C7, C7, F, Fdim, Gm7, C7

Row 3: C, C, Ab7, Ab7, C, C, A7, A7

Row 4: D7, D7, G7, G7, C, Cdim, Dm7, G7

Row 5: F, C#7, F, F, C, Ab7, C, C

Diagram 1 (Row 5, Col 1) and Diagram 4 (Row 5, Col 4) include a circled '1' above them.

Diagram 5 (Row 4, Col 5) and Diagram 6 (Row 4, Col 6) include a circled '2' above them.

Diagram 7 (Row 5, Col 6) and Diagram 8 (Row 5, Col 8) have three slashes (///) below them.



Jim Beloff

Daily Ukulele – Another Year Jam

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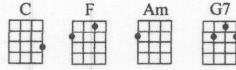
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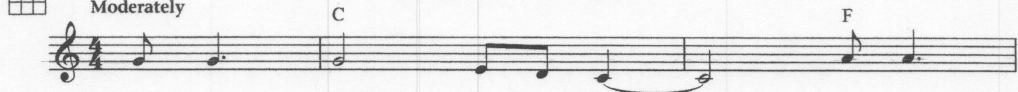
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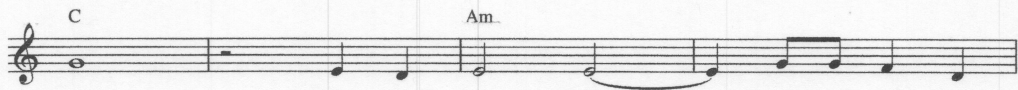
Words and Music by
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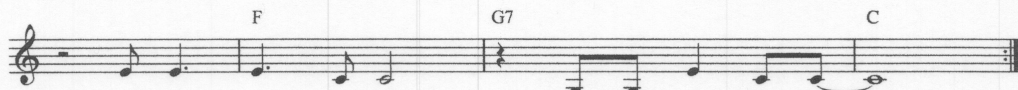
1. I've been walk - ing in my
2. I've been sift - ing through the
3. Well, I heard - the ow - l
4. The fin - est hour that I have



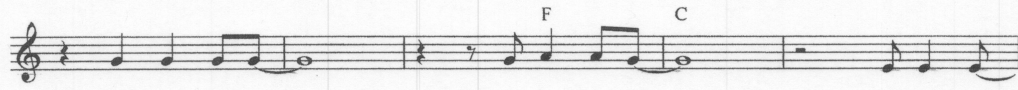
sleep count - ing trou - bles 'stead of count - ing
lay - ers of dust - y books and fad - ed
call - ing soft - ly as the night was
seen, is the one that comes be -



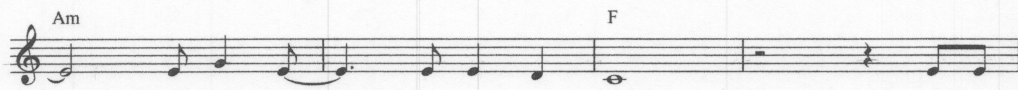
sheep. Where the years went I can't say;
pap - ers. They tell a stor - y I used to know,
fall - ing with a ques - tion, and I re - plied,
tween the edge of night and the break of day,



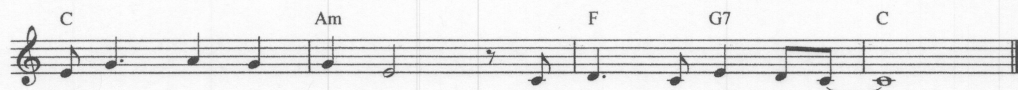
I just turned a - round and they've gone a - way.
one that hap - pened so long a - go.
but he's gone, a - cross the bor - der - line.
when the dark - ness rolls a - way.



2., 4. (It's) gone a - way in yes - ter - day and I find
3. (He's) gone a - way in yes - ter - day and I find



— my - self on the moun - tain - side where the
— my - self on the moun - tain - side where the



riv - ers change di - rec - tion, a - cross the great di - vide.
riv - ers change di - rec - tion, a - cross the great di - vide.

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Alone Again (Naturally)

Words and Music by
GILBERT O'SULLIVAN

FIRST NOTE Moderately

1. Oh, in a lit-tle while from now, if I'm not feel-ing an - y less sour, I prom -
 — that on - ly yes - ter - day, I was cheer - ful bright and gay, look - ing
 look - ing back o - ver the years, and what - ev - er else that ap - pears, I re -

ise my - self to treat my - self and vis - it a near - by tow - er. And climb -
 for - ward to, well, who would - n't do the role I was a - bout to play: But as
 mem - ber I cried, when my fa - ther died, nev - er wish - ing to hide the tears: And at

ing to the top, will throw my - self off in an
 if to knock me down, re - al - i - ty came a - round; and with -
 six - ty - five years old, my moth - er, God rest her soul, could - n't

ef - fort to make it clear to who - ev - er what it's like when you're shat - tered, left
 out so much as a mere touch, cut me in - to lit - tle piec - es:
 un - der - stand why the on - ly man she had ev - er loved had been tak - en:

stand - ing in the lurch at a church where peo - ple say - ing My God
 leav - ing me to doubt talk a - bout God in his mer - cy, who, if
 leav - ing her to start with a heart so bad - ly bro - ken, des - pite

— that's tough, she's stood him up, no point in us re - main - ing we
 — he real - ly does ex - ist, why did he de - sert me
 — en - cour - age - ment from me no words were ev - er spo - ken: and

may as well go home as I did on my own; a - lone
 in my hour of need? I tru - ly am in - deed a - lone
 when she passed a - way I cried and cried all day; a - lone

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To Coda \oplus |1. |2.

Dm7 G7b9 C C

— a - gain, — nat - 'ral - ly. — 2. To think — It seems —
 — a - gain, — nat - 'ral - ly. —
 — a - gain, — nat - 'ral - ly. —

Eb Bb

— to me — that there — are more — hearts bro - ken in the world — that can't be mend -

Dm7b5 G7b9 Eb Am7b5 Gmaj7 G9 *D.S. al Coda*

ed, left un - at - tend - ed: What do we do? — What do we do? — 3. Now

\oplus *Coda*

C A7 Dm7 G7b9 C

— A - lone. — a - gain — nat - 'ral - ly. —

All I Do Is Dream Of You

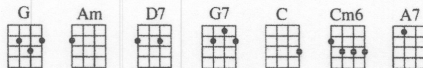
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FIRST NOTE



Moderately



G Am D7 G7 C Cm6 A7

G Am D7 Am D7 Am D7

All I do is dream of you the whole night through. — With the dawn, I
 were there more than twen - ty - four — hours a day, — they'd be spent in

Am D7 G G7

still go on and dream of you. — You're ev - 'ry thought, you're
 sweet con - tent just dream - ing a - way. — When skies are grey, when

C Cm6 A7

ev - 'ry - thing. You're ev - 'ry song I ev - er sing, sum - mer, win - ter,
 skies are blue — morn - ing, noon and night - time too,

D7 Am D7 G Am D7 G

au - tumn and spring. And all I do the whole day through is dream of you.

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Blue Moon

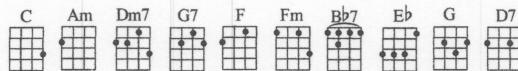
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RICHARD RODGERS

FIRST NOTE



Moderately



Blue moon, you saw me stand - ing a - lone

— with - out a dream in my heart, — with - out a love of my own.

— Blue moon, — you knew just what I was there — for,

— you heard me say - ing a prayer — for — some - one I real - ly could care — for.

— And then there sud - den - ly ap - peared be - fore me — the on - ly one my arms will ev - er

hold. — I heard some - bod - y whis - per, "Please a - dore me," — and when I

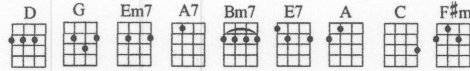
looked, the moon had turned to gold! Blue moon, — now I'm no long - er a - lone.

— with - out a dream in my heart, — with - out a love of my own.

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Carolina In My Mind

Words and Music by
JAMES TAYLOR



Moderate

D G Em7 A7 Bm7 E7 A C F#m

D G Em7 A7 G

In my mind I'm gone to Car - o - li - na. Can't you see the sun-

A7 Em7 A7 D

shine? And can't you just feel the moon - shine? And ain't it just like a

Bm7 G E7 A7 D

friend of mine to hit me from be - hind? Yes, I'm gone to Car - o - li -

Em7 A7 D Em7 A7 D C

na in my mind. { Kar - in she's a sil - ver sun, you'd best
Dark and si - lent late last night, I think I

G A Bm7 G

walk her way and watch it shin-in' Watch her watch the morn - ing come...
might have heard the high - way call - ing, geese in flight and dogs that bite.

A G D Bm7 E7 Em7 A7

A sil - ver tear ap - pear - ing, now I'm cry - ing, ain't I? } I'm
And signs that might be o - mens say I'm go - ing, go - ing. }

D Bm7 Em7 A7 To Coda D

gone to Car - o - li - na in my mind. There ain't no doubt in no -

C G A Bm7

one's mind that love's the fin - est thing a - round, whis - per some -

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G A G D Bm7 E7
 - thing soft_ and kind. And hey, babe, the sky's on fire, I'm dy - ing,

Em7 A7 D Bm7 Em7 A7 D *D.C. al Coda*
 ain't I? I'm gone to Car - o - li - na in__ my mind.

Coda
 D G A
 Now with a ho - ly host of oth - ers stand - ing 'round_

Bm7 F#m Em7 G A7
 _ me, _ still I'm on__ the dark side of__ the moon. And it

C G D C Em7
 seems like it goes on like this for-ev - er. You must for - give__ me, _

A7 D Bm7 Em7 A7 D
 _ if I'm up and gone__ to Car - o - li - na in__ my mind.

G Em7 A7 G
 In my mind I'm gone to Car - o - li - na. Can't you see the sun

A7 Em7 A7 D
 - shine? And can't you just feel the moon - shine?__ And ain't it just like a

Bm7 G E7 A7 D
 friend of mine_ to hit me from_ be - hind?__ And I'm gone to Car - o - li -

Em7 A7 D Bm7 G Em7 *Repeat and Fade*
 - na in__ my mind. _ Gone to Car - o - li - na in__ my mind. _

Charade

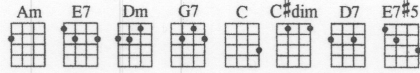
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HENRY MANCINI

FIRST NOTE



Moderate Waltz



Am

When we played our cha - rade. we were like
Oh, what a hit we made, we came on
Sad lit - tle ser - e - nade, song of my

E7 Dm E7

chil - dren pos - ing, play - ing at games,
next to clos - ing, Best on the bill,
heart's com - pos - ing, I hear it still,

Dm E7 *To Coda* Dm E7 1. Am

act - ing out names, guess - ing the parts we played.
lov - ers un - til love left the mas - quer -
I al - ways will,

2. Am Dm G7 C Am

ade. Fate seemed to pull the strings. I

Dm G7 C C#dim Dm G7

turned and you were gone. While from the

C Am D7 Dm E7 *D.C. al Coda*

dark - ened wings, the mu - sic box played on.

Coda Dm E7#5 E7 Am

best on the bill cha - rade.

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Don't Sleep In The Subway

Words and Music by
TONY HATCH and
JACKIE TRENT

FIRST NOTE

Medium beat

G D Em

You wan - der a - round on your own lit - tle cloud
You try to be smart, then you take it to heart

Bm C G D7

— when you don't see the why or the where - fore
— 'cause it hurts when your e - go's de - flat - ed

G D Em Bm

You walk out on me when we both dis - a - gree 'cause to
You don't re - al - ize that it's all com - pro - mise and the

C G D7 B

rea - son is not what you care for I've heard it
prob - lems are so o - ver - rat - ed Good - bye means

G# C#m F#7 G#m D

all a mil - lion times be - fore, take off your
noth - ing when it's all for show, so why pre -

B7 Em7 A7 Dsus D Eb

coat my love and close the door. } Don't sleep in the
tend you've some - where else to go? }

Bb Cm7 Bb Eb

sub - way, dar - ling. Don't stand in the pour - ing rain. Don't sleep in the

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Bb Cm7 Bb Eb Em7b5
 sub - way, dar - ling. The night is long, — for - get your fool - ish pride. Noth - ing's wrong — now,
 To Coda \oplus 1. F7 Bb G# G F — — — — — 2. D.S. al Coda Bb Cm7 Bb7
 you're be - side — me a - gain. gain.
 Coda Bb
 gain. — — — — —

Down Among The Sheltering Palms

Music by
ABE OLMAN

Words by
JAMES BROCKMAN

FIRST NOTE

Slowly
F

F	D7	G7	C7	Bb	Gm

F D7 G7 C7 Bb Gm
 Down — a - mong the shel - ter - ing palms, — oh hon - ey, wait for me, — oh hon - ey,
 C7
 wait for me. — Don't be — for - get - tin' we've got a date —
 F G7 C7 F7
 out where — the sun goes down a - bout eight. — How my love — is
 Bb D7 Gm C7
 burn - ing, burn - ing, burn - ing, how my heart — is yearn - ing, yearn - ing, yearn - ing to be
 F D7 G7 C7 F
 down — a - mong the shel - ter - ing palms, — oh hon - ey, wait for me.

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Everyone's Gone To The Moon

Words and Music by
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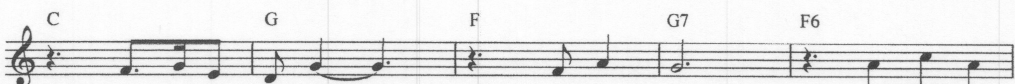
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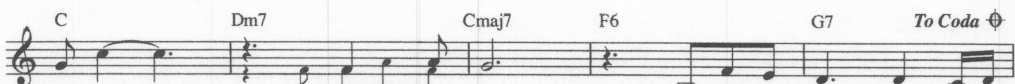
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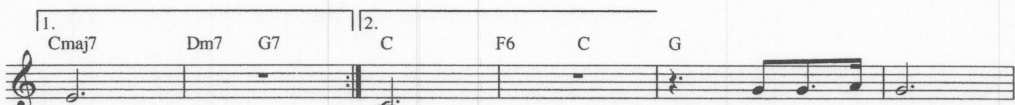
1. Streets full of peo - ple, all a - lone;
2. Eyes full of sor - row, nev - er wet;
3. Parks full of mo - tors, paint - ed green;



roads full of hous - es, nev - er home; church full of
hands full of mon - ey, all in debt; sun com - ing
mouths full of choc -'late cov - ered cream; arms that can



sing - ing, out of tune;
out in mid - dle of June;
on - ly lift a spoon; } ev - 'ry - one's gone to the

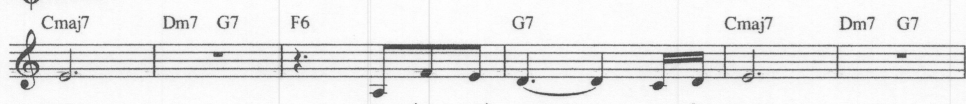


1. moon. 2. moon. Long time a - go

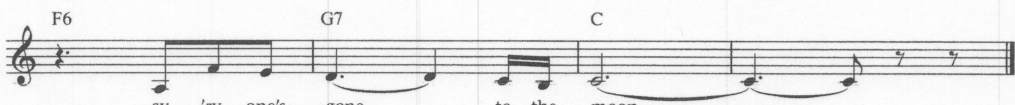


life had be - gun; ev - 'ry - one went to the sun.

Coda



moon, ev - 'ry - one's gone to the moon,



ev - 'ry - one's gone to the moon.

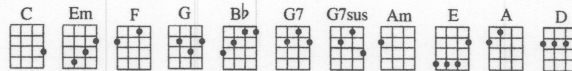
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Georgy Girl

Words by
JIM DALE

Music by
TOM SPRINGFIELD

FIRST NOTE



With a lilt

C Em F G C Em F G

Hey, there!... Geor - gy Girl, - swing - ing down the street so fan - cy - free.

C Em F Bb G7 C Em

No - bod - y you meet could ev - er see the lone - li - ness there in - side you. Hey there!...

F G C Em F G C Em

Geor - gy Girl... { Why do all the boys just pass you by? Could it be you just don't
Dream - ing of the some - one you could be. Life is a re - al - i -

F Bb G7sus G7 Am Em

try, or is it the clothes you wear? - You're al - ways win - dow shop - ping but
ty, you can't al - ways run a - way. - Don't be so scared of chang - ing and

F C E A D G

nev - er stop - ping to buy. So shed those dow - dy feath - ers and fly }
re - ar - rang - ing your - self. It's time for jump - ing down - from the shelf }

G7 C Em F G C Em F G

a lit - tle bit. Hey there!... Geor - gy Girl, - there's an - oth - er Geor - gy deep in - side.

C Em F G Am F

Bring out all the love you hide and oh, what a change there'd be. - The world would see

To Coda Φ 2nd time, D.S. al Coda Coda Repeat and Fade

G7 C Em F G7 C Em F G7

a new - Geor - gy Girl. - - - - - Girl. A new - Geor - gy

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I Fall To Pieces

Words and Music by HANK COCHRAN
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FIRST NOTE



Moderately



C F G7 Gb F

I fall to piec - es. each time I
I fall to piec - es. each time some -

G7 C F G7 Gb

see you a - gain. I fall to piec - es.
one speaks your name. I fall to piec - es.

F G7 C

How can I be just your friend? You want me to
Time on - ly adds to the flame. You tell me to

F G7

act like we've nev - er kissed. You want me to for - get,
find some - one else to love. Some - one who'll love me too

C F G7

pre - tend we've nev - er met. And I've tried and I've tried, but I
the way you used to do. But each time I go out with

C F G7 1. C

have - n't yet, you walk by and I fall to piec - es.
some-one new you walk by and I fall to

2. C C7 F G7 C

piec - es. You walk by and I fall to piec - es.

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Jim Beloff

Advanced Beginner Ukulele Workshop

For those who know a handful of chords and a basic up/down strum, here's a chance to take your skills to a new level. A dozen or so well-known songs will be played while learning more chords, new fingerings, new strums, transposing on the fly and performance tips, and techniques along the way.

NOTE: *Jim is spreading this out over two sessions and covering a different half dozen songs in each session.*

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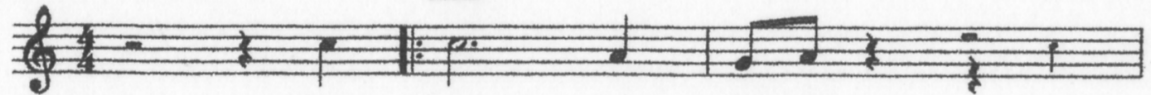
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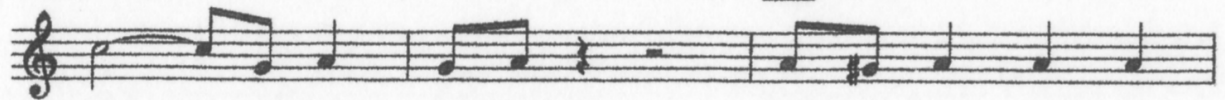
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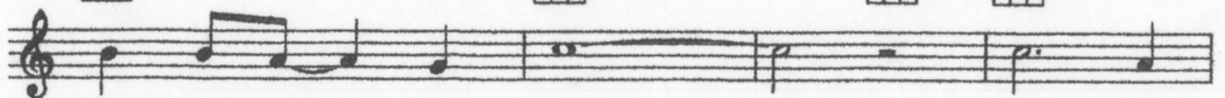
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1. Hey, hey, good look - in'
free and read - y so



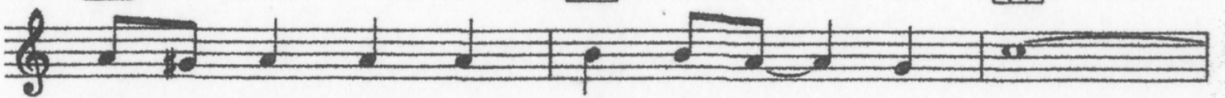
what - cha got cook - in'? How's a - bout cook - in'
we _____ can go stead - y. How's a - bout sav - in'



some - thin' up _____ with me? _____ Hey, sweet
all your time _____ for me? _____ No more



ba - by, don't - you think may - be
look - in', I know _____ I've been took - en,



we could find us a brand new rec - i - pe? _____
how's a - bout keep - in' stead - y com - pa - ny? _____

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C7 F C

I got a hot rod Ford and a two dol - lar bill and
 I'm gon - na throw my date book o - ver the fence and

F C F

I know a spot right o - ver the hill. There's so - da pop and the
 find me one for five or ten cents. I'll keep it 'til it's

C D7

danc - in's free, so if you wan - na have fun come a -
 cov - ered with age, 'cause I'm writ - in' your name down on

G7 C

long with me. Hey, good look - in'
 ev - 'ry page. Hey, good look - in'

D7

what - cha got cook - in'? How's a - bout cook - in'
 what - cha got cook - in'? How's a - bout cook - in'

G7 1. C 2. C F C

some - thin' up with me? 2. I'm
 some thin' up with me?



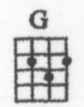
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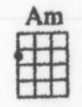
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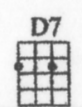
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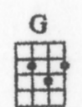
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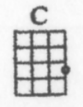
night? Are you sor - ry we drift - ed a - part?



Does your mem - o - ry stray to a bright sum - mer





day, when I kissed you and called you sweet - heart?






Do the chairs in your par - lor seem emp - ty and



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A7  D7 

bare? Do you gaze at your door - step and pic - ture me

G  G7  A 

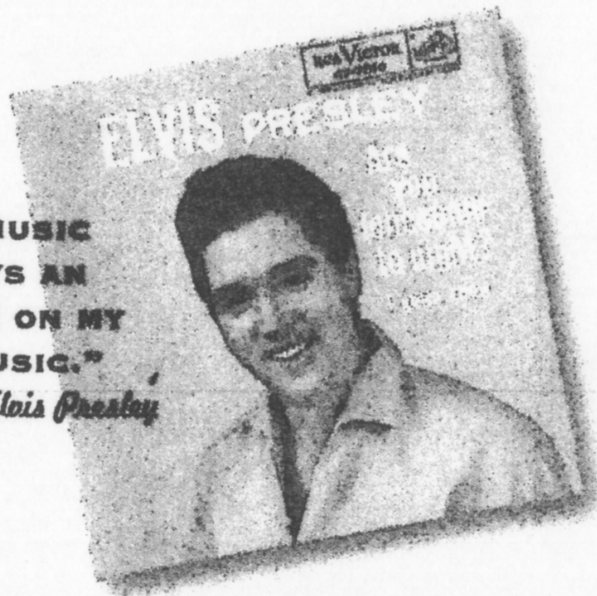
there? Is your heart filled with pain, shall I come back a -

D7  G 

gain? Tell me, dear, are you lone - some to - night? _____

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WAS ALWAYS AN
INFLUENCE ON MY
KIND OF MUSIC."**

★ — *Elois Presley*



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Jamaica Farewell

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FIRST NOTE



Light Calypso



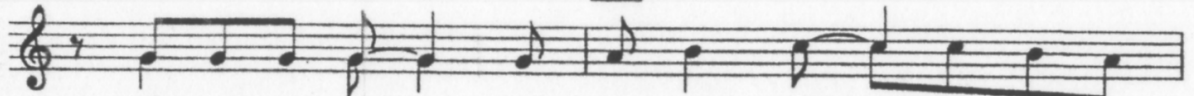
1., 4. Down the way where the nights are gay and the
2. Sounds of laugh - ter ev - 'ry - where and the
3. Down at the mar - ket you can hear la - dies

G7



sun shines dai - ly on the moun - tain top,
danc - ing girls on sway - ing to and fro,
cry out while on their heads they bear

F



I took a trip on a sail - ing ship and when I
I must de - clare my heart is there, though I've
ac - kie, rice; salt fish are nice, and the

G7



reached Ja - mai - ca, I made a stop.
been from Maine to Mex - i - co. } But I'm
rum is fine an - y time of year.

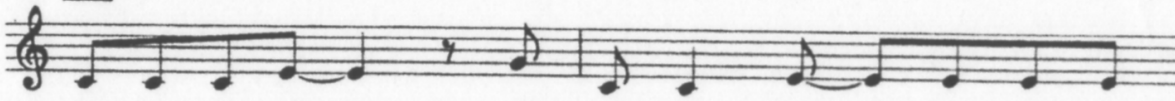
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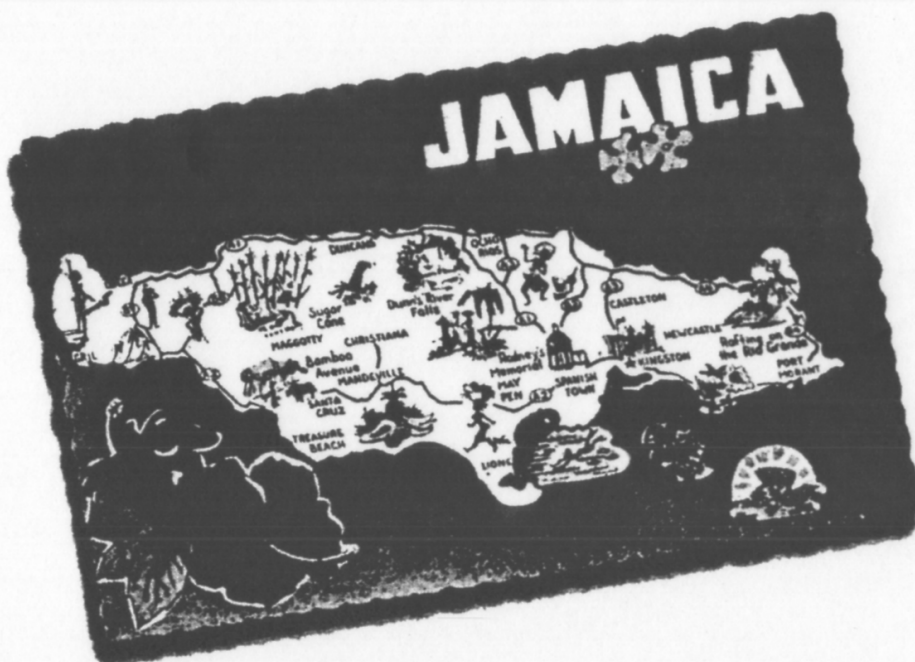
sad to say I'm on my way. — Won't be back for



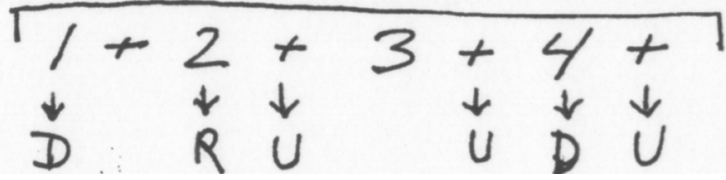
man - y a day. — My heart is down, — my head is



turn-ing a-round, — I had to leave a lit-tle girl in King - ston town. —



Island STRUM - 1 MEASURE



For Me And My Gal

For Me And My Gal

Words by
EDGAR LESLIE and E. RAY GOETZ

Music by
GEORGE W. MEYER

FIRST NOTE



Moderately, flowing

Gm7



The bells are ring - ing



for me and my gal. The birds are



sing - ing for me and my gal.



Ev - 'ry - bod - y's been know - ing to a wed - ding they're



go - ing and for weeks they've been sew - ing.



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C7

Ev - 'ry Su - sie and Sal, they're con - gre -

Gm7 C7 F

gat - ing for me and my gal.

Gm7 C7

The Par - son's wait - ing for me and my

A7 C7 F7

gal and some - time I'm goin' to build a lit - tle

Bb Bdim

home for two, for three or four or more, in

C7 F

love - land, for me and my gal.



Prologue

The four substitution ideas used in “Red River Valley,” below, are used in *all* the tunes that follow, so it’s crucial that you understand them before moving on!

Before diving head first into the jazz tunes, get your feet wet with a simple, three-chord folk tune (just to give you an idea of how chord substitution works). There are twenty-four substitution ideas in this book, but you’ll deal with four of them here:

Four Substitution Concepts

- **Direct substitution:** You can substitute any chord from the same chord type as the given chord. For example, for C7 you could play C9, C7+ or C13, just to name a few, because all these chords are C7 with an extra note added (a 9th, a sharp 5th, etc.). They’re variants of a C7 chord.
- **Relative minor substitution:** For a major chord, you can often substitute or add the relative minor. That’s the minor chord that’s a 6th above the major chord. For example, A is the sixth note in the C major scale, so Am is the relative minor of C. Given a C chord, you can play Am, or a C followed by an Am.
- **Dominant minor substitution:** Given a 7th chord, you can add or substitute the minor chord that is a 5th above it. For example, given a C7 you can substitute Gm (a 5th above C7), or play Gm followed by C7.
- **Ascending or descending melodic lines:** A series of chords can contain an ascending or descending melodic line that harmonizes with the song’s melody. You’ll find a few examples in the sample tune below. The effect is like ear candy—two melodies happening simultaneously that harmonize with each other.

Now, you can put these four concepts to use in the old cowboy song, “Red River Valley.” First, listen to the basic tune as written below, and then play along with the recording using simple, first-position chords:



TRACK 1

RED RIVER VALLEY

C G7 C G7
Come and sit by my side if you love me. Do not hasten to bid me adieu.

C C7 F G7 C
But remember the Red River Valley, and the cowboy who loved you so true.

Here’s a jazzed-up version. Listen to the recording and play along with it:

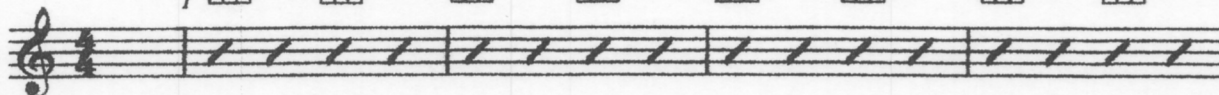
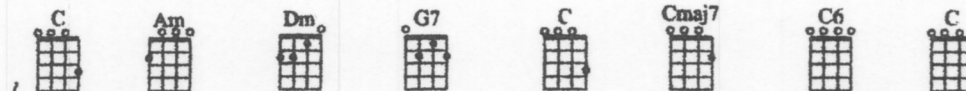


TRACK 2

RED RIVER VALLEY

With Substitutions

FIRST NOTE



Come and sit by my side if you love me. Do not

5

has - ten to bid me a - dieu. But re -

9

mem - ber the Red Riv - er Val - ley, and the

13

cow - boy who loved you so true.

The first bar is a “pickup bar,” and the song actually starts at the bar numbered as “1” (“sit by my...”). Now if you compare the basic progression to the fancier comping (backup) chords, most of the differences between the two can be explained in terms of the four substitution concepts above.

Bar 1: Am is a *relative minor substitution* for C.

Bar 2: Dm is a *dominant minor substitution* for G7, as Dm is a fifth above G.

Bars 3–4: Cmaj7 and C6 are *direct substitutions* for C. The series of chords (C, Cmaj7, C6, C) contain a *descending melodic line*: C, B, A, G.

Bar 5: Am is a *relative minor substitution* for C.

Bar 7: Dm is a *dominant minor substitution* for G7.

Bar 8: G7+ (G augmented, or a G chord with a sharp fifth) is a *direct substitution* for G.

Bars 9–10: Cmaj7 is a *direct substitution* for C, and C9 is a *direct substitution* for C7. The series of chords (C, Cmaj7, C7) contain a *descending melodic line*: C, B, B \flat , similar to the melodic line in bars 3–4.

Bars 11–12: F+ is a *direct substitution* for F, and Dm is a *relative minor substitution* for F.

Bar 13: Dm is a *dominant minor substitution* for G7.

Bar 16: C6 is a *direct substitution* for C.

I know, I know, some things are unexplained! What about the G diminished chords in bar 6, or the Fm6 chords (there are four of them)? Remember, there are twenty more substitution principles that haven’t been described yet. Read on, and expand your chord consciousness!

* The “3” next to the Gdim grid indicates that this chord is played on the 3rd fret.

G7 F7

He makes the comp-'ny jump when he plays re - veil - le, he's the

C To Coda ⊕ D.S. al Coda ⊕ Coda

boo - gie woo - gie bu - gle boy of Com - pa - ny B. He Com - pa - ny B.

Down whole step to F
 Up whole step to A
 up minor 3rd to Bb
 up fourth to C

Bring Me Sunshine

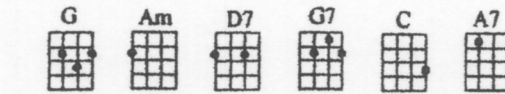
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Music by ARTHUR KENT

FIRST NOTE



Moderately



G Am D7 G7 C A7

Bring me sun - shine in your smile; bring me hap - py through the years; nev - er

D7 G

laugh - ter all the while. In let this bring me an - y tears. Let your

G7 C To Coda ⊕

world where we live, there should be more hap - pi - ness So much arms be as warm as the sun from up a - bove, -

A7 D7 D.S. al Coda

joy you can give to each brand new bright to - mor - row! Make me

⊕ Coda A7 Am D7 G

bring me fun, bring me sun - shine, bring me love.

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JIVE Aces Bb → C

Gentle On My Mind

Words and Music by
JOHN HARTFORD

FIRST NOTE



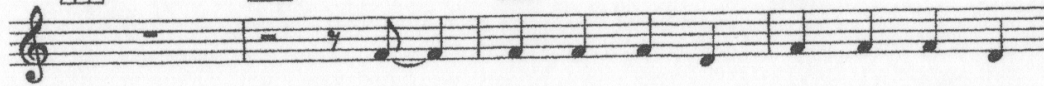
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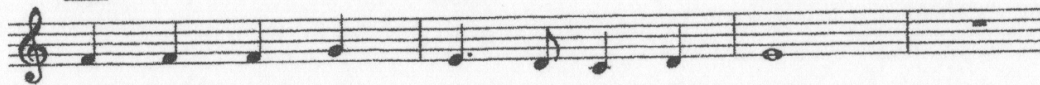
It's know - ing that your door is al - ways



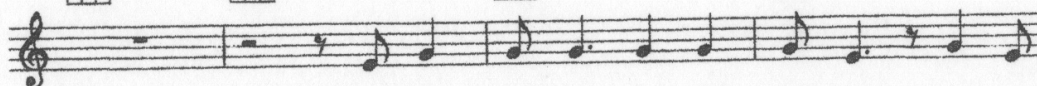
o - pen and your path is free to walk,



that — makes me tend to leave my sleep - ing



bag rolled up and stashed be - hind your couch.



And it's know - ing I'm not shack - led by for -



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Picking pattern: 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +
STRINGS: 4(T) 3(T) 2(F) 4(T) 1(M) 3(T)
(Fingers) 1(M)
T = THUMB
M = Middle F.
I = Index F.

C6 Cmaj7 C

got - ten words and bonds — and the ink stains that have dried up - on some

Dm Dm7 Dm6 Dm7 Dm Dm7

line. That — keeps you in the back roads by the

Dm6 Dm7 G7sus4

riv - ers of my mem - 'ry, that keeps you ev - er gen - tle on my

C Cmaj7 1. C6 Cmaj7 2. C6 C

mind. 2. It's not

Additional Lyrics

2. It's not clinging to the rocks and ivy planted on their columns now that binds me
Or something that somebody said because they thought we fit together walkin'.
It's just knowing that the world will not be cursing or forgiving when I walk along
Some railroad track and find
That you're moving on the backroads by the rivers of my memory and for hours
You're just gentle on my mind.
3. Though the wheat fields and the clothes lines and junkyards and the highways come between us
And some other woman crying to her mother 'cause she turned and I was gone.
I still run in silence, tears of joy might stain my face and summer sun might
Burn me 'til I'm blind,
But not to where I cannot see you walkin' on the backroads by the rivers flowing
Gentle on my mind.
4. I dip my cup of soup back from the gurglin' cracklin' caldron in some train yard
My beard a rough'nin' coal pile and a dirty hat pulled low across my face.
Through cupped hands 'round a tin can I pretend I hold you to my breast and find
That you're waving from the backroads by the rivers of my memory ever smillin'
Ever gentle on my mind.





TRACK 1

All The Things You Are

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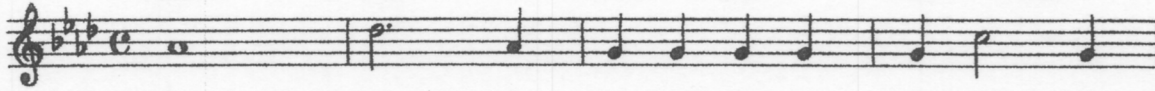
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Brighter ballad tempo

FIRST NOTE



Standard



FIRST NOTE



Tenor



You are the prom - ised kiss of spring - time that

Dbmaj7



Db6



Dm7



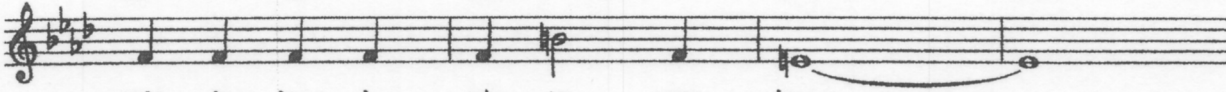
G7



Cmaj7



C6



makes the lone - ly win - ter seem long.



Cm7



Fm7



Bb7



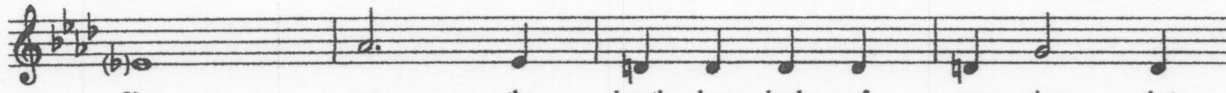
Bb7+5



Ebmaj7



Eb6



You are the breath - less hush of eve - ning that



Abmaj7



Ab6



Am7b5



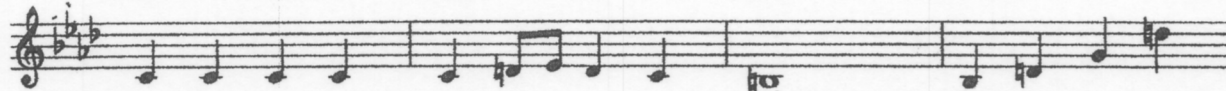
D7



Gmaj7



G6



trem - bles on the brink of a love - ly song. You are the



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6maj?

6maj?
~~Gmaj~~

Am7



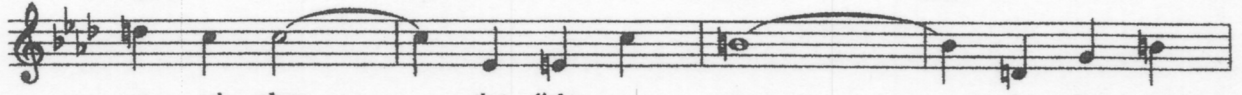
D9



~~Gmaj~~



G6



an - gel glow _____ that lights a star, _____ the dear - est



F#m7b5



B9



B7



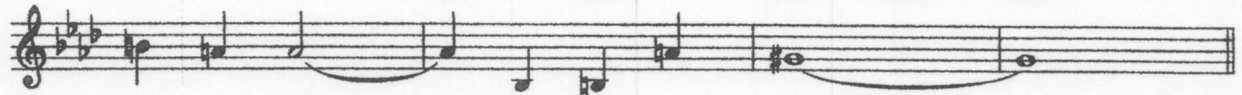
Emaj7



E6



C7+5



things I know _____ are what you are. _____



Fm7



Bbm7



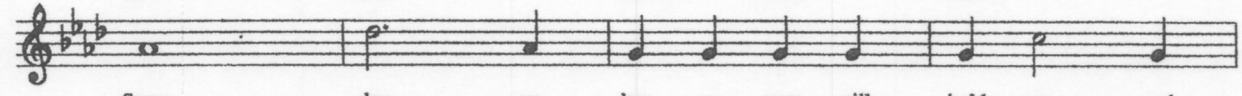
Em7



A7



Abmaj7



Some day my hap - py arms will hold you, and



Dbmaj7



Dbm7



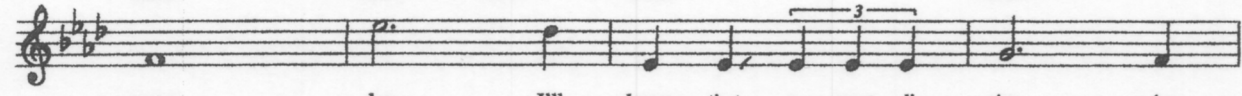
Gb9



Cm7



B°7



some day I'll know that mo - ment di - vine, when



Bbm7



Bbm7



Eb9



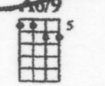
A7



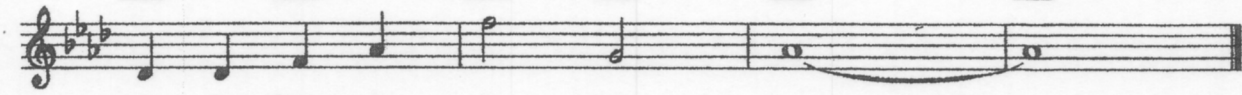
Abmaj7



Ab6/9



Ab6/9



all the things you are are mine. _____





Edelweiss

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Waltz ♩ = 100

(Bass)

F F C7 F x x x

E del weiss, e del

B^b F Dm x x x Dm7

weiss, ev 'ry morn ing you

Gm7 C7 F C7

greet me. Small and white,

F x x x B^b F

clean and bright, you look

C7 C9 C7 F F^{sus} F

hap py to meet me.

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C7 x x x C C7 C9 C7 F C

Blos som of snow, may you bloom and

F B \flat Fsus G G7

grow, bloom and grow for

C7 C7 F G7

ev er. E del

F9 B \flat $\overset{6}{9}$ F $\overset{6}{9}$ E \flat 9 F G7

weiss, e del weiss, bless my

C7 C9 C7 F Fsus F

home land for ev er.

ritard

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D D D UD

All My Loving

Words and Music by
JOHN LENNON and PAUL McCARTNEY

FIRST NOTE



Brightly



1. Close your eyes and I'll kiss you to - mor - row I'll miss -
2. tend that I'm kiss - ing the lips I am miss -

Am F Dm Bb



you; re - mem - ber I'll al - ways be true.
- ing and hope that my dreams will come true.

G7 Dm G7 C Am



And then while I'm a - way, I'll write home ev - 'ry day and I'll

F G7 C Tacet C



send all my lov - ing to you. I'll pre - you.

Tacet Am G#+ C



All my lov - ing I will send to you, all my

To Coda C D.S. al Coda



lov - ing dar - ling, I'll be true. Close your

Coda C Am C



All my lov - ing all my lov - ing.

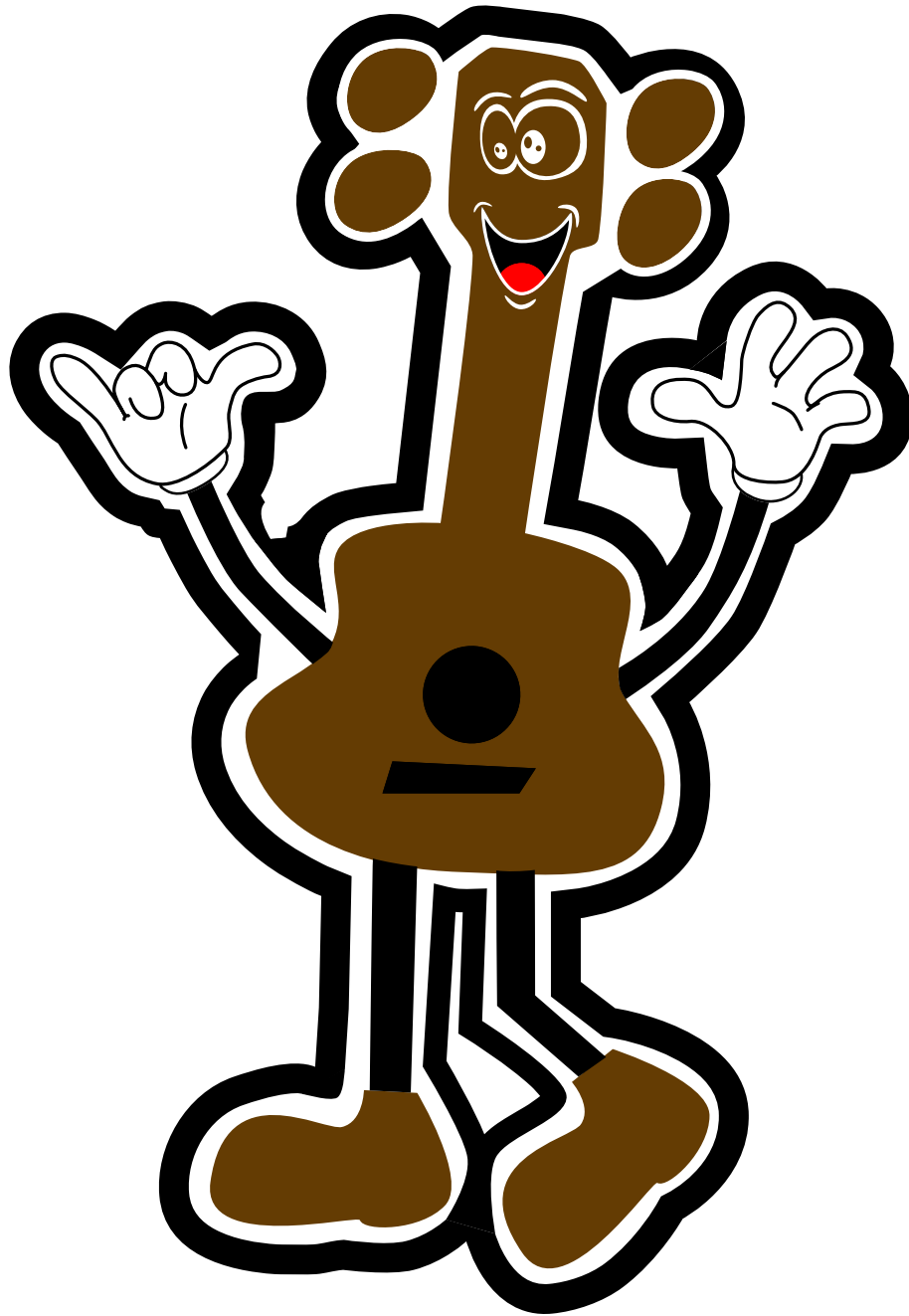
Am C



oo All my lov - ing I will send to you.

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LYRICS WRITER: JOHN
John was a Bib ADMNER of the song.

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