

# I Fought the Law

key:G, artist:Bobby Fuller Four writer:Sonny Curtis

[G]... [C] [G]

[G]...[D] [G] [G] [G]

[G] A' breakin' rocks in the [C] hot [G] sun

[G] I fought the law and the [C] law [G] won

[G] I fought the law and the [D] law [G] won [G] [G]

[G] I needed money, 'cause I [C] had [G] none

[G] I fought the law and the [C] law [G] won

[G] I fought the law and the [D] law [G] won [G] [G]

I [C] left my baby and I feel so bad

I [G] guess my race is run

Well, [C] she's the best girl that [C] I ever had

[G] I fought the law and the [C] law [G] won

[G] I fought the law and the [D] law [G] won [G] [G]

[G] Robbin' people with a [C] six [G] gun

[G] I fought the law and the [C] law [G] won

[G] I fought the law and the [D] law [G] won [G] [G]

[G] I miss my baby and the [C] good [G] fun

[G] I fought the law and the [C] law [G] won

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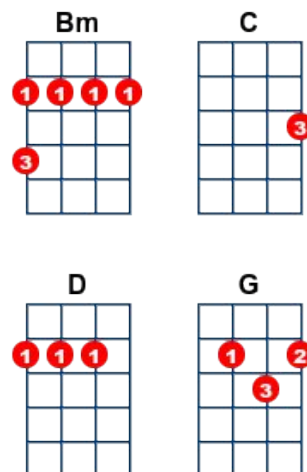
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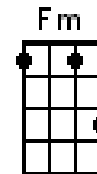
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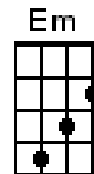


# Life Is Beautiful – Keb' Mo'

Let's go **[G]** drifting through the trees  
Let's go **[G]** sailing on the sea  
Let's go **[C]** dancing **[C]**.....on the juke-joint floor,  
And leave our **[G]** troubles all behind,  
Have a **[D]** party



So **[C]** easily forgotten  
The most **[Fm]** important things  
Like the **[G]** melody of the moonlight in your **[Em]**eyes  
And the **[D]** song that lasts forever  
**[C]** Keeps on getting **[D]** better all the **[G]** time **[D]**



Cause life is **[G]** beautiful  
Life is **[Em]** wondrous  
Every **[D]** star above  
Is shining **[C]** just for**[G]**us

Life is **[G]** beautiful  
On a **[Em]** stormy night  
Somewhere **[D]** in the world  
The sun is **[C]** shining **[G]** bright

I get **[G]** crazy, so afraid  
That I might **[G]** lose you one fine day  
And I'll be **[C]** nothing **[C]**..... But a tired old man  
And I don't **[G]** wanna be without you  
At the **[D]** party

So **[C]** easily forgotten  
The **[Fm]**most important thing  
Is that I **[G]** love you**[G]**.....I **[Em]** do  
And **[D]** I wanna spend my days and nights  
**[C]** Walking through this **[D]** crazy world with **[G]** you **[D]**

Cause life is **[G]** beautiful  
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Somewhere **[D]** in the world  
The sun is **[C]** sh-i-i-i-i-ning.....  
Shining **[G]** bright **[G]**

# I Love a Rainy Night -David Malloy; Eddie Rabbit, Even Stevens

Paulina Sinaga cover: [https://youtu.be/Ns0bkr\\_oDEo](https://youtu.be/Ns0bkr_oDEo)

## **Rhythm strum: U-d tap, tap tap, U-d tap, tap tap (1 and 2, 3,4)**

**[D] [D] [D]**

Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night, I **[D]** love a rainy night

**[D]** I love to hear the thunder

Watch the **[D]** lightning when it lights up the **[G]** sky **[G]**

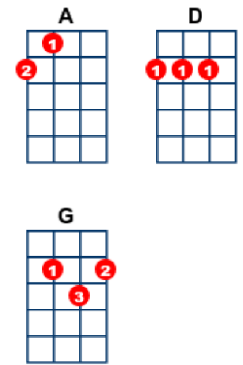
You know it makes me **[D]** feel good **[D]**

Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night It's such a **[D]** beautiful sight

**[D]** I love to feel the rain on my **[D]** face,

Taste the rain on my **[G]** lips **[G]**

in the moonlight **[D]** shadow **[D]**



## **Regular Strum:**

**[A]** Showers washed all my **[A]** cares **[G]** away **[A] / [G]**

I wake up to a **[A]** sunny day

'Cos I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G] / [A]**

Yeah, I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G] / [A]**

Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G] / [A]**

Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G]** Ooh-**[A]** ooh **[A]**

## **Rhythm Strum:**

**[D] [D]**

Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night, I **[D]** love a rainy night

**[D]** I love to hear the thunder

Watch the **[D]** lightning when it lights up the **[G]** sky **[G]**

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Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night It's such a **[D]** beautiful sight

**[D]** I love to feel the rain on my **[D]** face,

Taste the rain on my **[G]** lips **[G]**

in the moonlight **[D]** shadow **[D]**

## **Regular Strum:**

**[A]** Puts a song In this **[A]** heart of **[G]** mine **[A] / [G]**

Puts a smile on my **[A]** face every time

'Cos I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G] / [A]**

Yeah, I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G] / [A]**

Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G] / [A]**

Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G]** Ooh-**[A]** ooh **[A]**

## **Sing in two parts:**

Well, I **[D]** love a rainy night - (You can **[G]** see it in my **[A]** eyes)

Yeah, I **[D]** love a rainy night - (Well, it **[G]** makes me **[A]** high)

Ooh, I **[D]** love a rainy night - (You **[G]** know I **[A]** do!)

I **[D]** love a rainy night **[G] / [A]** **[D:]**

# American Pie

artist:Don MacLean writer:Don MacLean

Madonna: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X4RDB-mMDJg>  
Don MacLean: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7yHTpGog0IY>

*thanks to BettyLouMusic - Some verses removed*

A [G] long, [D] long [Em] time ago, [Am] I can still re-[C]member how  
That [Em] music used to [D] make me smile. [D7]  
I [G] knew [D] if I [Em] had my chance that [Am] I could make those [C] people dance  
and [Em] maybe they'd be [C] happy for a [D] while.  
But [Em] February [Am] made me shiver, [Em] with every paper [Am] I'd deliver,  
[C] Bad news [G] on the [Am] doorstep, I [C] couldn't take one [D] more step.  
I [G] can't re-[D]member [Em] if I cried when I [Am] read about his [D] widowed bride,  
[G] Something [D] touched me [Em] deep inside, the [C] day, the [D7] music, [G] died.

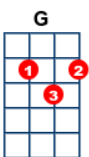
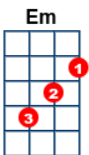
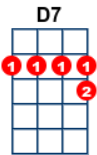
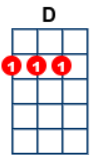
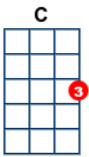
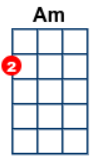
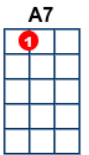
So [G] Bye - [C] bye, Miss A-[G]merican [D] Pie,  
drove my [G] chevy to the [C] levee but the [G] levee was [D] dry,  
Them [G] good ole' [C] boys were drinkin' [G] whiskey and [D] rye, singin'  
[Em] This'll be the day that I [A7] die, [Em] this'll be the day that I [D] die. [D7]

[G] Did you write the [Am] book of love and do [C] you have faith in [Am] God above,  
[Em] if the Bible [D] tells you so? [D7]  
Now do [G] you be-[D]lieve in [Em] rock and roll,  
can [Am] music save your [C] mortal soul and  
[Em] Can you teach me [A7] how to dance real [D] slow?  
Well, I [Em] know that you're in [D] love with him,  
'cause I [Em] saw you dancing [D] in the gym.  
You [C] both kicked [G] off your [A7] shoes, man I [C] dig those rhythm and [D7] blues.  
I was a [G] lonely [D] teenage [Em] broncin' buck  
with a [Am] pink carnation and a [C] pick up truck,  
but [G] I knew [D] I was [Em] out of luck the [C] day, the [D7] music, [G] died. [C] [G]

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[Em] This'll be the day that I [A7] die, [Em] this'll be the day that I [D] die. [D7]

[G] I met a [D] girl who [Em] sang the blues and I [Am] asked her for some [C] happy news,  
but [Em] she just smiled and [D] turned away. [D7]  
[G] I went [D] down to the [Em] sacred store where I [Am] heard the music [C] years before,  
but the [Em] man there said the [C] music wouldn't [D] play.  
And [Em] in the streets the [Am] children screamed,  
the [Em] lovers cried and the [Am] poets dreamed,  
but [C] not a [G] word was [Am] spoken, the [C] church bells all were [D] broken.  
And the [G] three men [D] I ad-[Em]mire most, the [Am] Father, Son and the [D] Holy Ghost,  
they [G] caught the [D] last train [Em] for the coast, the [C] day, the [Am] mu-[D7]sic, [G] died.

[D] And they were singin'....  
[G] Bye - [C] bye, Miss A-[G]merican [D] Pie,  
drove my [G] chevy to the [C] levee but the [G] levee was [D] dry,  
Them [G] good ole' [C] boys were drinkin' [G] whiskey and [D] rye, singin'  
[C] This'll be the [D] day that I [G] die [C] [G]



# **Cecilia – Simon & Garfunkel**

**[C] [C] (1 & 2&, 1 & 2&) shaker, taps**

**[C]** Celia, you're **[F]** breaking my **[C]**heart,  
You're **[F]** shaking my **[C]** confidence **[G]**daily  
Oh, **[F]** Ceci- **[C]** lia, I'm **[F]** down on my **[C]** knees  
I'm **[F]** begging you **[C]** please to come **[G]** home

**[C]** Celia, you're **[F]** breaking my **[C]**heart  
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Oh, **[F]** Cecil- **[C]** ia, I'm **[F]** down on my **[C]** knees  
I'm **[F]** begging you **[C]** please to come **[G]** home  
Come on **[C]** home

Making **[C]**love in the **[F]** af-**[C]** ter- **[G]**noon with Ce-**[C]** cilia  
**[F]** Up in **[G7]** my bed-**[C]** room (making love)  
I got up to **[F]** wash my **[G]**face  
When I **[C]**come back to **[C]** bed  
Someone's **[G7]** taken my **[C]** place

**[C]** Celia, you're **[F]** breaking my **[C]**heart  
You're **[F]** shaking my **[C]** confidence **[G]**daily  
Oh, **[F]** Cecil- **[C]** ia, I'm **[F]** down on my **[C]** knees  
I'm **[F]** begging you **[C]** please to come **[G]** home  
Come on **[C]** home

Bo bo **[F]** bo bo **[C]** bo- bo bo **[F]** bo bo **[C]** bo bo **[G7]** bo bo

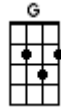
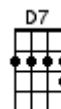
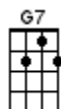
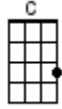
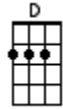
**Instrumental: [C]** Celia, you're **[F]** breaking my **[C]**heart  
You're **[F]** shaking my **[C]** confidence **[G]**daily  
**(Pick it up, pick it up)**  
Oh, **[F]** Cecil- **[C]** ia, I'm **[F]** down on my **[C]** knees  
I'm **[F]** begging you **[C]** please to come **[G]** home  
**(Pick it up, pick it up)**

Jubi-**[F]** la- **[C]** tion, she **[F]** loves me a-**[C]** gain  
I **[F]** fall on the **[C]** floor and I'm **[G]** laughing  
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I **[F]** fall on the **[C]** floor and I'm **[G]** laughing

**Instrumental: [C]** Celia, you're **[F]** breaking my **[C]**heart  
You're **[F]** shaking my **[C]** confidence **[G]**daily x2 then **[C!]**

# Margaritaville

Jimmy Buffett 1977



**INTRO:** / 1 2 3 4 /

**[G] / [C] / [D7] / [G] / [G] / (kazoo/ pick starting on A string fret 5)**

**[G]** Nibblin' on sponge cake, watchin' the sun bake

**[G]** All of those tourists covered with **[D7]** oil **[D7]**

**[D7]** Strummin' my four-string, on my front porch swing

**[D7]** Smell those shrimp, they're beginning to **[G]** boil **[G7]**

## CHORUS:

**[C]** Wastin' a-**[D7]**way again in Marga-**[G]**ritaville **[G7]**

**[C]** Searching for my **[D7]** lost shaker of **[G]** salt **[G7]**

**[C]** Some people **[D7]** claim that there's a **[G]**↓ wo-**[D]**↓man to **[C]**↓ blame

But I **[D7]** know..., it's nobody's **[G]** fault **[G]**

**[G]** I don't know the reason, I stay here all season

**[G]** Nothin' is sure but this brand new ta-**[D7]**too **[D7]**

**[D7]** But it's a real beauty, a Mexican cutie

**[D7]** How it got here, I haven't a **[G]** clue **[G7]**

## CHORUS:

**[C]** Wastin' a-**[D7]**way again in Marga-**[G]**ritaville **[G7]**

**[C]** Searching for my **[D7]** lost shaker of **[G]** salt **[G7]**

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Now I **[D7]** think..., hell, it could be my **[G]** fault **[G]**

## INSTRUMENTAL- optional:

**[G]** I don't know the reason, I stay here all **[G]** season

**[G]** Nothin' is sure but this brand new ta-**[D7]**too **[D7]**

**[C]** Some people **[D7]** claim that there's a **[G]**↓ wo-**[D7]**↓man to **[C]**↓ blame

Now I **[D7]** think..., hell, it could be my **[G]** fault **[G]**

**[G]** I blew out my flip-flop, stepped on a pop-top

**[G]** Cut my heel, had to cruise on back **[D7]** home **[D7]**

**[D7]** But there's booze in the blender, and soon it will render

**[D7]** That frozen concoction that helps me hang **[G]** on **[G7]**

## CHORUS:

**[C]** Wastin' a-**[D7]**way again in Marga-**[G]**ritaville **[G7]**

**[C]** Searching for my **[D7]** lost shaker of **[G]** salt **[G7]**

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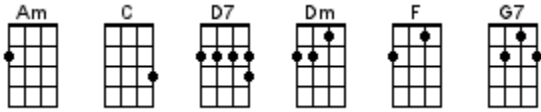
But I **[D7]** know, it's my own damned **[G]** fault **[G7]** yes and

**[C]** Some people **[D7]** claim that there's a **[G]**↓ wo-**[D]**↓man to **[C]**↓ blame

And I **[D7]** know..., it's my own damned **[G]** fault **[C] / [D7] / [G]**↓ **[D7]**↓ **[G]**↓

# Help Me Rhonda

Brian Wilson, Mike Love 1965 (The Beach Boys SINGLE version)



## INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [C] / [C]

Well [C] since she put me down  
I've been [G7] out doin' in my [C] head [C]  
I come [C] in late at night  
And in the [G7] mornin' I just lay in [C] bed [C]  
Well [Am] Rhonda you look so fine  
And I [F] know it wouldn't take much [D7] time  
For you to [C] help me Rhonda  
[F] Help me get her out of my [C] heart [C]

## CHORUS:

[G7] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[C] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[G7] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[C] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[F] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[Am] Help me Rhonda [C] help help me Rhonda  
[Dm] Help me Rhonda [G7]↓ yeah  
Get her out of my [C] heart [C]

She was [C] gonna be my wife  
And [G7] I was gonna be her [C] man [C]  
But she [C] let another guy come be-[G7]tween us  
And it shattered our [C] plan [C]  
Well [Am] Rhonda you caught my eye  
And I can [F] give you lots of reasons [D7] why  
You gotta [C] help me Rhonda  
[F] Help me get her out of my [C] heart [C]

## CHORUS:

[G7] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[C] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[G7] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[C] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[F] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[Am] Help me Rhonda [C] help help me Rhonda  
[Dm] Help me Rhonda [G7]↓ yeah  
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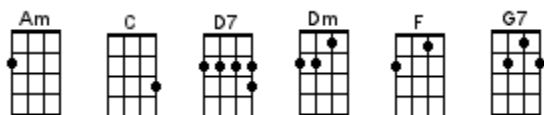


### INSTRUMENTAL:

[C] / [C] / [C] / [C] /  
[F] / [F] / [C] / [C] /  
[Dm] / [F] / [C] B-[C]bow bow bow bow

### CHORUS:

[G7] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[C] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[G7] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[C] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[F] Help me Rhonda, help help me Rhonda  
[Am] Help me Rhonda [C] help help me Rhonda  
[Dm] Help me Rhonda [G7]↓ yeah  
Get her out of my [C] heart [C]↓



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# Helplessly Hoping

artist:Crosby, Stills and Nash , writer:Stephen Stills

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v0RC21L2xq8> But in F

*Thanks to Caren Park*

Intro (line 1) : [Am] [C] [G] [D] [Dsus4] [D] [Dsus4]

[Am] Helplessly hoping her [C] harlequin hovers near-[G]by,  
awaiting a [D] word. [Dsus4] [D] [Dsus4]

[Am] Gasping at glimpses of [C] gentle true- spirit,  
he [G] runs wishing he could [D] fly,  
only to [Am] trip at the [C] sound of good-[G]bye [D] [Dsus4] [D] [Dsus4]

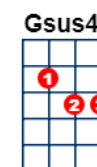
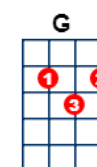
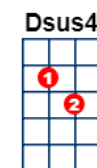
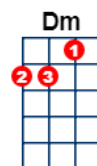
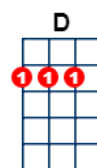
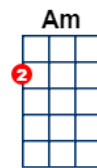
[Am] Wordlessly watching he [C] waits by the window  
and [G] wonders at the empty place in-[D]side [Dsus4] [D] [Dsus4]

[Am] Heartlessly helping him-[C]self to her bad dreams  
he [G] worries did he hear a good-[D]bye,  
or [Am] even [C] hel-[G]lo? [C]

They are [G] one [Gsus4] [G] person, they are [G] two a-[Gsus4] [G]lone,  
they are [G] three [Gsus4] [G] together,  
they are [G] for [Dm] each [C] other [G] [Gsus4] [G] [Gsus4] [G]  
[Am] Stand by the stairway you'll [C] see something certain to [G] tell you  
confusion has its [D] cost. [Dsus4] [D] [Dsus4]

[Am] Love isn't lying, it's [C] loose in a lady who [G] lingers,  
saying she is [D] lost and [Am] choking [C] on hel-[G]lo. [C]

They are [G] one [Gsus4] [G] person, they are [G] two a-[Gsus4] [G]lone,  
they are [G] three [Gsus4] [G] together,  
they are [G] for [Dm] each [C] other [G] [Gsus4] [G] [Gsus4] [G]



# Sound of Silence Simon & Garfunkel

**\*Verse 1: Sing along – picking chords (No strumming):**

**[Em] [Em] [Em]**

Hello, darkness my old **[D]** friend.

I've come to talk with you a-**[Em]**gain

Because a vision, soft-**[C]** y creep-**[G]** ing,

left its seeds while I **[C]** was sleep-**[G]**ing

And the **[C]**vision that was planted in my **[G]** brain

still remains, within the **[D]** sound of **[Em]** silence

**[Em!]**

**(strumming begins)**

In restless dreams I walked a-**[D]** lone,

narrow streets of cobble-**[Em]**stone

'Neath the halo of **[C]**a street-**[G]** lamp,

I turned my collar to the **[C]** cold and **[G]**damp

When my **[C]** eyes were stabbed by the flash of a neon **[G]** light

That split the **[Em]** night

And **[G]** touched the **[D]** sound of **[Em]** silence

And in the **[Em]** naked light I **[D]** saw

ten thousand people, maybe **[Em]**more

People talking with-**[C]** out speak-**[G]** ing,

people hearing with-**[C]** out listen-**[G]**ing

People writing **[C]** songs that voices never **[G]** share,

no one **[Em]** dared

disturb the **[D]** sound of **[Em]** silence

"Fools" said I, "You do not**[D]** know

Silence like a cancer **[Em]**grows

Hear my words that I **[C]**might teach **[G]**you

Take my arms that I **[C]**might reach**[G]** you"

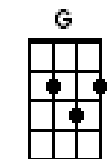
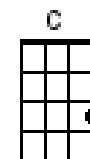
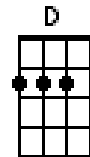
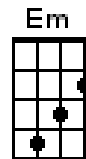
But my **[C]** words like silent raindrops **[G]** fell

And **[G]** echoed in the **[D]**wells of **[Em]**silence

&

And the people bowed and **[D]**prayed

To the neon god they **[Em]**made



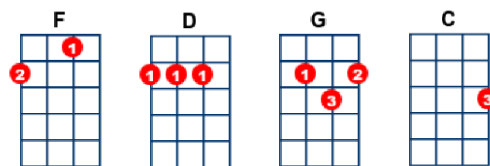
And the sign flashed out **[C]** its warn- **[G]**ing  
In the words that it **[C]**was for- **[G]**ming  
And the sign said, "The **[C]** words of the prophets  
Are written on the subway **[G]** walls  
And tenement **[Em]** halls  
(slower) And **[Em!]** whispered in the **[D!]**sounds  
of **[Em!]** silence"

**Pick: [Em] [Em] [Em]**

**[Em!] arpeggio (strum each string individually)**

# Get Together - The Youngbloods- writer: Chet Powers

Intro: [G] [F] [G] [F] (pick C and E strings)



[G] Love is but a [G] song we sing  
and [G] fear's the way we [F] die [F]

[G] You can make the [G] mountains ring  
or [G] make the angels [F] cry [F]

[G] Though the bird is [G] on the wing and [G] you may not know [F] why [F]

[C] C'mon people now [D] smile on your brother

Every [G] body get together try to [C] love one a-[D]nother right [G] now [G]

[G] Some may come and [G] some may go

and [G] we shall surely [F] pass [F]

[G] When the one that [G] left us here [G] returns for us at [F] last [F]

[G] We are but a [G] moment's sunlight [G] fading in the [F] grass [F]

[C] C'mon people now [D] smile on your brother

Every [G] body get together try to [C] love one a-[D]nother right [G] now [G]

[C] C'mon people now [D] smile on your brother

Every [G] body get together try to [C] love one a-[D]nother right [G] now [G]

Instrumental: [G] [F] [G] [F]

[G] Some may come and [G] some may go

and [G] we shall surely [F] pass [F]

[G] When the one that [G] left us here [G] returns for us at [F] last [F]

[G] We are but a [G] moment's sunlight [G] fading in the [F] grass [F]

[C] C'mon people now [D] smile on your brother

Every [G] body get together try to [C] love one a-[D]nother right [G] now [G]

[G] If you hear the [G] song I sing [G] you will under [F] stand [F] (listen)

[G] You hold the key to [G] love and fear [G] in your trembling [F] hand [F]

[G] Just one key un [G] locks them both it's [G] there at your com [F] mand [F]

[C] C'mon people now [D] smile on your brother

Every [G] body get together try to [C] love one a-[D]nother right [G] now [G]

[C] C'mon people now [D] smile on your brother

Every [G] body get together try to [C] love one a-[D]nother right [G] now [G]

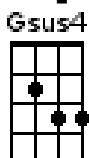
[C] C'mon people now [D] smile on your brother

Every [G] body get together try to [C] love one a-[D]nother right [G] now

[Gsus4] right [G] now

[Gsus4] right [G] now

[Gsus4] right [G!] now



# Let It Be

Paul McCartney 1970 (The Beatles)

## INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2

When I **[C]** find myself in **[G]** times of trouble  
**[Am]** Mother Mary **[F]** comes to me  
**[C]** Speaking words of **[G]** wisdom  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**↓

When I **[C]** find myself in **[G]** times of trouble  
**[Am]** Mother Mary **[F]** comes to me  
**[C]** Speaking words of **[G]** wisdom  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

And **[C]** in my hour of **[G]** darkness  
She is **[Am]** standing right in **[F]** front of me  
**[C]** Speaking words of **[G]** wisdom  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

Let it **[Am]** be, let it **[G]** be  
Let it **[F]** be, let it **[C]** be  
**[C]** Whisper words of **[G]** wisdom  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

And **[C]** when the broken-**[G]**hearted people  
**[Am]** Living in the **[F]** world agree  
**[C]** There will be an **[G]** answer  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

But **[C]** though they may be **[G]** parted  
There is **[Am]** still a chance that **[F]** they will see  
**[C]** There will be an **[G]** answer  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

Let it **[Am]** be, let it **[Em]** be  
Let it **[F]** be, let it **[C]** be  
Yeah **[C]** there will be an **[G]** answer  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

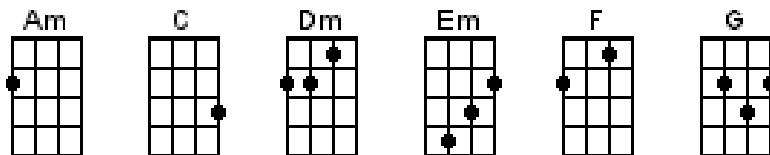
Let it **[Am]** be, let it **[G]** be  
Let it **[F]** be, let it **[C]** be  
**[C]** Whisper words of **[G]** wisdom  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

And **[C]** when the night is **[G]** cloudy  
There is **[Am]** still a light that **[F]** shines on me  
**[C]** Shine until **[G]** tomorrow  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

I **[C]** wake up to the **[G]** sound of music  
**[Am]** Mother Mary **[F]** comes to me  
**[C]** Speaking words of **[G]** wisdom  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

Let it **[Am]** be, let it **[G]** be  
Let it **[F]** be, yeah, let it **[C]** be  
Oh **[C]** there will be an **[G]** answer  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**

Let it **[Am]** be, let it **[Em]** be  
Let it **[F]** be, let it **[C]** be  
**[C]** Whisper words of **[G]** wisdom  
Let it **[F]**↓ be **[Em]**↓ **[Dm]**↓ **[C]**↓



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## Stand by Me - Ben E. King

### **Instrumental intro: bass only:**

When the [G] night has [G] come [Em] and the land is [Em] dark  
And the [C] moon is the [D] only light we'll [G] see [G]

### **Add ukuleles: d-u-d-udu along with bass line:**

When the [G] night has [G] come [Em] and the land is [Em] dark  
And the [C] moon is the [D] only light we'll [G] see [G]

[G] When the night has come [Em] and the land is dark  
And the [C] moon is the [D] only light we'll [G] see [G]  
No I [G] won't be afraid no I [Em] won't be afraid  
Just as [C] long as you [D] stand stand by [G] me

So [G!] darling darling [G] stand by me oh [Em] stand by me  
Oh [C] stand, [D] stand by me, [G] stand by me [G]

If the [G] sky that we look upon  
[Em] Should tumble and fall  
Or the [C] mountain should [D] crumble to the [G] sea [G]  
I won't [G] cry I won't cry no I [Em] won't shed a tear  
Just as [C] long as you [D] stand, stand by [G] me

So [G!] darling darling [G] stand by me oh [Em] stand by me  
Oh [C] stand, [D] stand by me, [G] stand by me

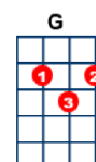
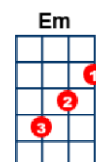
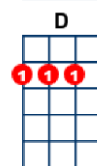
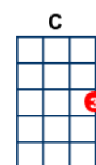
### **“Oooh” along with chords and percussion:**

*[G] When the night has come [Em] and the land is dark*  
*And the [C] moon is the [D] only light we'll [G] see*  
*[G] No I won't be afraid no I [Em] won't be afraid*  
*Just as [C] long as you [D] stand stand by [G] me*

[G] whenever you're in trouble won't you  
stand by me oh [Em] stand by me  
Oh [C] stand, [D] stand by me, [G] stand by me

[G] So darling darling stand by me oh [Em] stand by me  
Oh [C] stand, [D] stand by me,

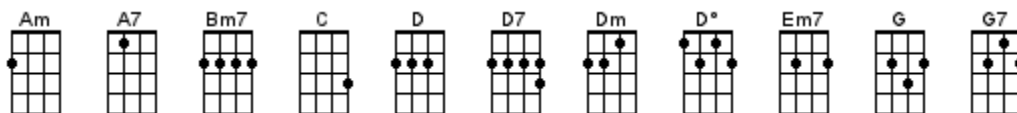
[G] stand by me [G!]





# Always Look On The Bright Side Of Life

Eric Idle 1979



**INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / < RUBATO – which means disregard a strict tempo >**

Some [Dm]↓ things in life are [Ddim]↓ bad  
They can [C]↓ really make you [Am]↓ mad  
[Dm]↓ Other things just make you [G7]↓ swear and [C]↓ curse [Am]↓  
When you're [Dm]↓ chewing on life's [Ddim]↓ gristle  
Don't [C]↓ grumble, give a [A7]↓ whistle  
And [D7]↓ this'll help things turn out for the [G]↓ best [G7]↓ and...

**< A TEMPO >**

[C] Always [Am] look on the [Dm] bright [G7] side of [C] life [Am]/[Dm]/[G7]/  
[C] Always [Am] look on the [Dm] light [G7] side of [C] life [Am]/[Dm]/[G7]

If [Dm] life seems jolly [G7] rotten, there's [C] something you've for-[Am]gotten  
And [Dm] that's to laugh and [G7] smile and dance and [C] sing [Am]  
When you're [Dm] feeling in the [G7] dumps, don't [C] be silly [A7] chumps  
Just [D] purse your lips and whistle, that's the [G7] thing

And [C] always [Am] look on the [Dm] bright [G7] side of [C] life [Am]/[Dm]/[G7]  
[C] Always [Am] look on the [Dm] right [G7] side of [C] life [Am]/[Dm]/[G7]

For [Dm] life is quite ab-[G7]surd, and [C] death's the final [Am] word  
You must [Dm] always face the [G7] curtain with a [C] bow [Am]  
For-[Dm]get about your [G7] sin, give the [C] audience a [A7] grin  
En-[D]joy it, it's your last chance any-[G7]how

So [C] always [Am] look on the [Dm] bright [G7] side of [C] death [Am]/[Dm]/[G7]/  
[C] Just be-[Am]fore you [Dm] draw your [G7] terminal [C] breath [Am]/[Dm]/[G7]/

[Dm] Life's a piece of [G7] shit [C] when you look at it [Am]  
[Dm] Life's a laugh and [G7] death's a joke it's [C] true [Am]  
You'll [Dm] see it's all a [G7] show, keep 'em [C] laughing as you [A7] go  
Just re-[D]member that the last laugh is on [G7] you

And [C] always [Am] look on the [Dm] bright [G7] side of [C] life [Am]/[Dm]/[G7]/  
[C] Always [Am] look on the [Dm] right [G7] side of [C] life [Am]/[Dm]/[G7]/

**< KEY CHANGE >**

[D] Always [Bm7] look on the [Em7] bright [A7] side of [D] life [Bm7]/[Em7]/[A7]/  
[D] Always [Bm7] look on the [Em7] right [A7] side of [D] life [Bm7]/[Em7]/[A7]/  
[D] Always [Bm7] look on the [Em7] bright [A7] side of [D] life [Bm7]/[Em7]/[A7]/  
[D] Always [Bm7] look on the [Em7] right [A7] side of [D] life [Bm7]/[Em7]/[A7]/  
[D] Always [Bm7] look on the [Em7] bright [A7] side of [D] life [Bm7]/[Em7]/[A7]/  
[D] Always [Bm7] look on the [Em7] right [A7] side of [D] life  
[Bm7]/[Em7]/[A7]/[D]↓