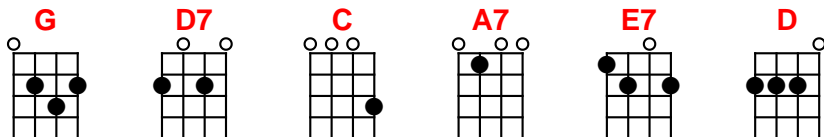


I'm a Dog

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Verse 1:

[G] I'm a dog; I like to go for walks en-[D7] thusiastically.
Do you [C] know why the back [G] yard is not [A7] big enough for [G] me?
It's [C] long and green, St. [E7] Augus-[C] -tine, with a fence up all a- [D] round,
But [G] I like to get [C] out of [G] there and [A7] smell some different [G] ground.

Chorus:

So [C] tasty are the [G] grasses, and [C] pungent the tree [D] bark,
I'm [C] thankful for the [G] freedom to be [D7] walking in the [G] park.

Instrumental Chorus:

So [C] tasty are the [G] grasses, and [C] pungent the tree [D] bark,
I'm [C] thankful for the [G] freedom to be [D7] walking in the [G] park.

Verse 2:

I [G] like to taste wild grasses and to [D7] chew a crunchy stick;
Some [C] people think that [G] dogs eat grass [A7] only when they're [G] sick.
I [C] can't digest it, [E7] so I barf it, [C] even though I'm [D] well,
But's [G] worth it all be-[C]-cause the [G] grass has [A7] such a lovely [G] smell.

Chorus:

So [C] tasty are the [G] grasses, and [C] pungent the tree [D] bark,
I'm [C] thankful for the [G] freedom to be [D7] walking in the [G] park.

Instrumental Chorus:

So [C] tasty are the [G] grasses, and [C] pungent the tree [D] bark,
I'm [C] thankful for the [G] freedom to be [D7] walking in the [G] park.

Verse 3:

My [G] favorite spot on every street is the [D7] base of every tree,
For [C] many dogs have [G] lingered there to [A7] mark their terri- [G] tory.
Each [C] trunk is like a [E7] trail with many [C] tracks for those who [D] see,
I [G] read it with my [C] fine-tuned [G] nose, the [A7] canine histo-[G] ry.

Chorus:

So [C] tasty are the [G] grasses, and [C] pungent the tree [D] bark,
I'm [C] thankful for the [G] freedom to be [D7] walking in the [G] park.

Outro Instrumental Chorus:

So [C] tasty are the [G] grasses, and [C] pungent the tree [D] bark,
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