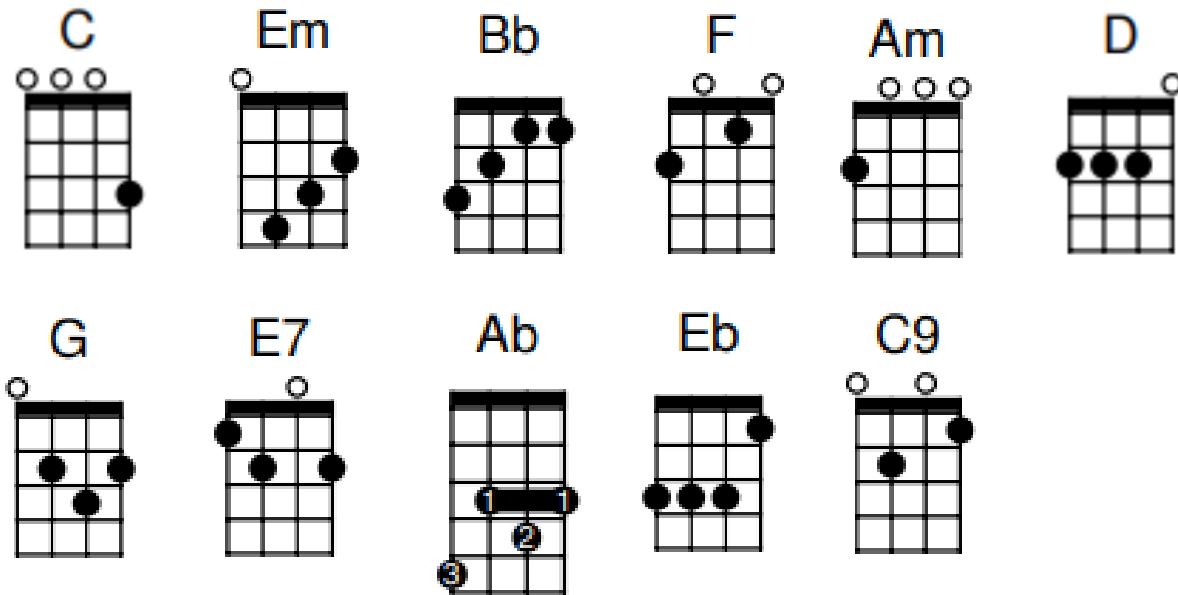


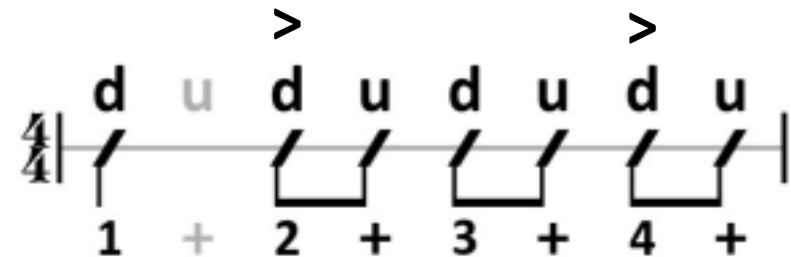
It's Still Rock and Roll to Me

Billy Joel, 1980

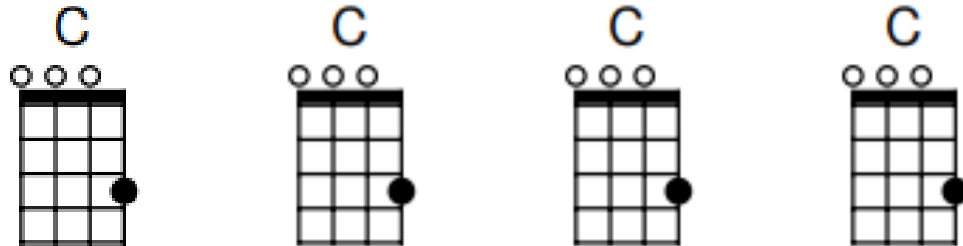
Chords in this song:



Strum for this song:



Intro

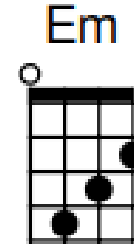
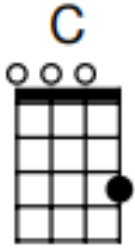


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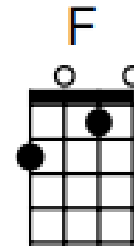
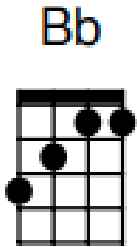
C

' What's the matter ...

Verse 1 (1 of 2)



What's the matter with the clothes I'm wearing?



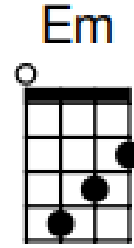
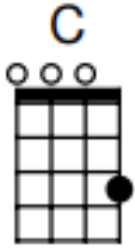
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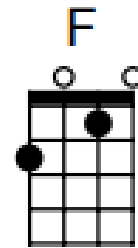
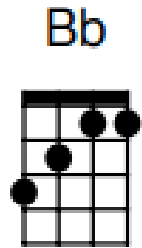
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' Maybe I should buy ...

Verse 1 (2 of 2)



» Maybe I should buy some old tab collars?



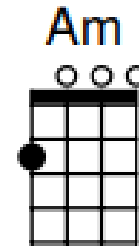
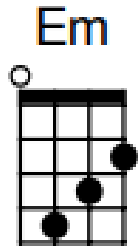
Welcome back to the age of jive

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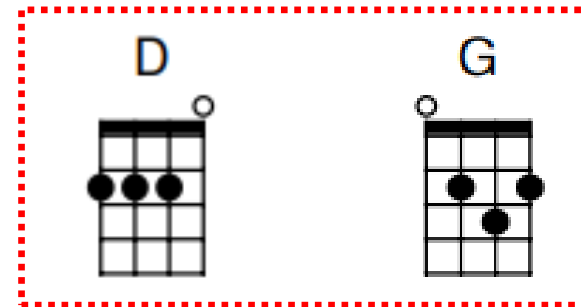
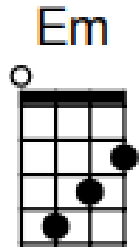
Em

' Where have you been ...

Chorus 1 (1 of 2)



Where have you been hidin' out lately, honey?



Chords sharing 1 strum pattern, 2 beats each

You can't dress trashy till you spend a lot of money

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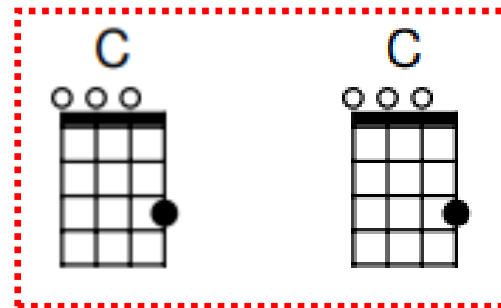
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' Everybody's talkin' ...

Chorus 1 (2 of 2)



Everybody's talkin' 'bout the new sound. Funny, but



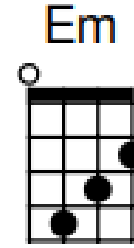
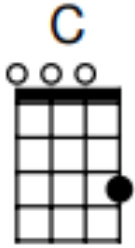
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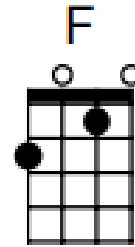
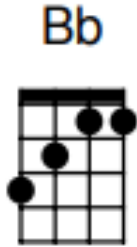
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' What's the matter ...

Verse 2 (1 of 2)



What's the matter with the car I'm driving?



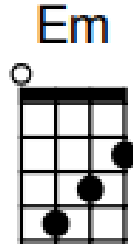
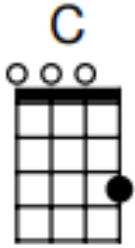
Can't ya tell that it's out of style?

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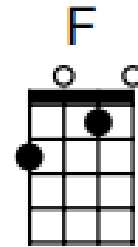
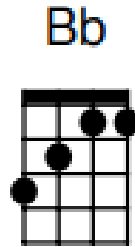
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' Should I get a ...

Verse 2 (2 of 2)



Should I get a set of white wall tires?



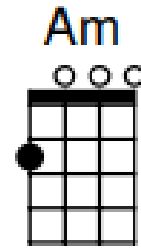
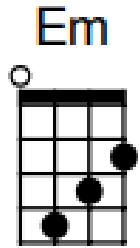
Are you gonna cruise the miracle mile?

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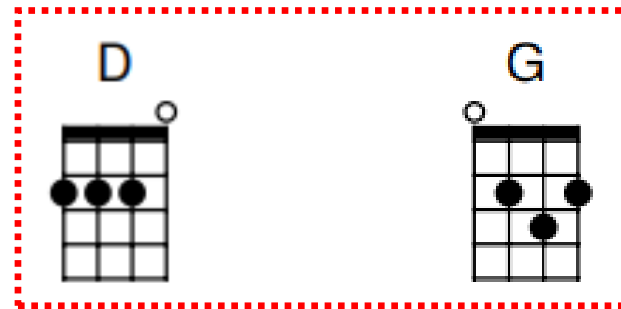
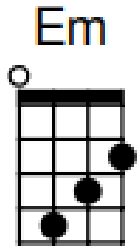
Em

' Nowadays you can't be ...

Chorus 2 (1 of 2)



Nowadays you can't be too sentimental.



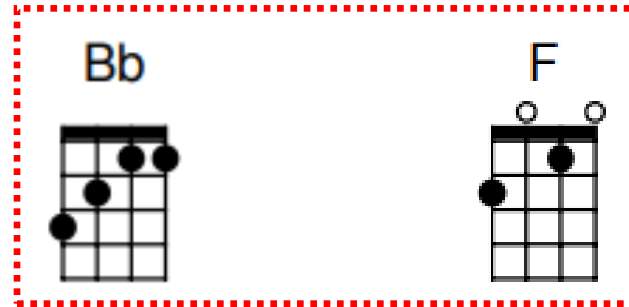
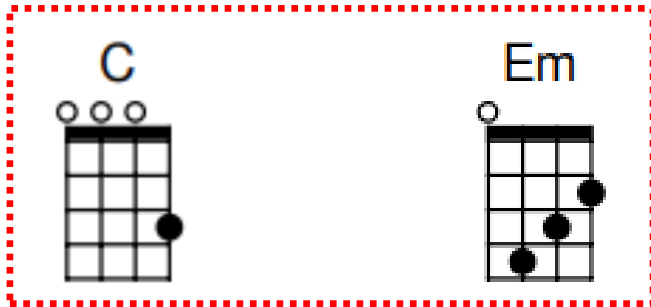
Your best bet's a true baby blue Continental.

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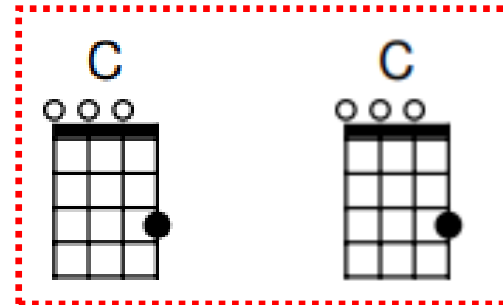
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Hot funk, cool punk ...

Chorus 2 (2 of 2)



Hot funk, cool punk, even if it's old junk,



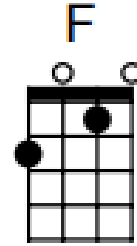
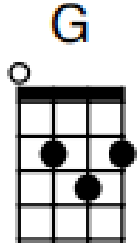
it's still rock and roll to me.

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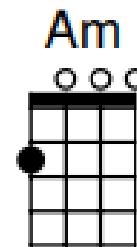
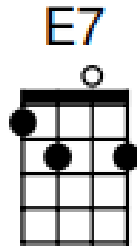
G

Oh, it doesn't matter ...

Bridge 1 (1 of 3)



Oh, it doesn't matter what they say in the papers,



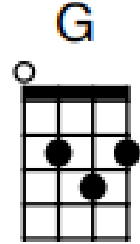
Cause it's always been the same old scene.

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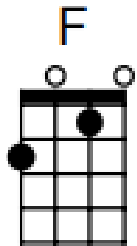
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Well, there's a new ...

Bridge 1 (2 of 3)



Well, there's a new band in town,



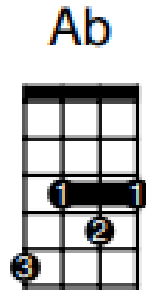
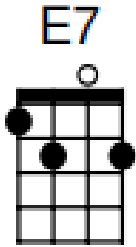
but you can't get the sound

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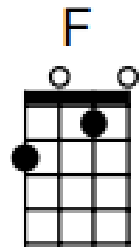
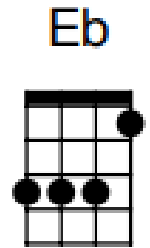
E7

from a story in a ...

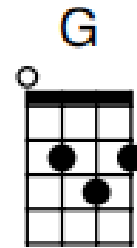
Bridge 1 (3 of 3)



from a story in a maga-zine



*Single
down
strum*



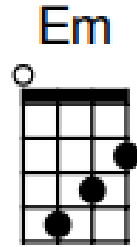
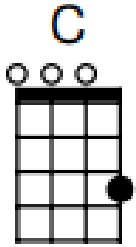
aimed at your average teen.

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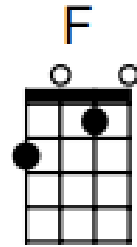
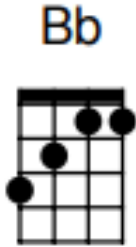
C

' How about a pair ...

Verse 3 (1 of 2)



» How about a pair of pink sidewinders



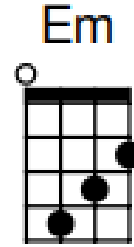
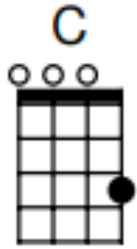
and a bright orange pair of pants?

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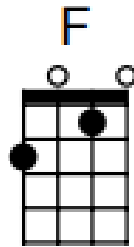
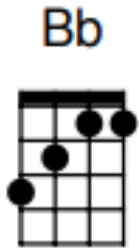
C

' Well, you could really ...

Verse 3 (2 of 2)



Well, you could really be a Beau Brummel baby,



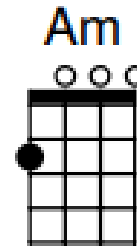
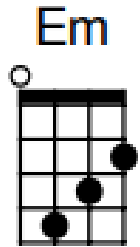
If you just give it half a chance.

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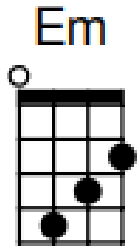
Em

' Don't waste your ...

Chorus 3 (1 of 2)



Don't waste your money on a new set of speakers.



You get more mileage from a cheap pair of sneakers.

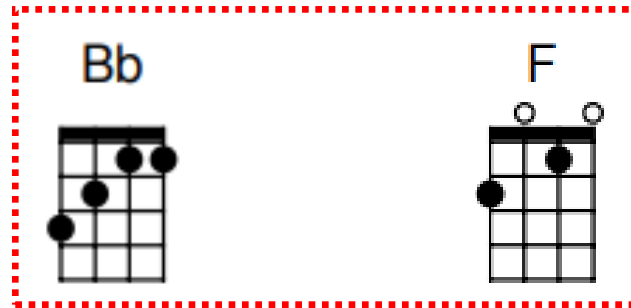
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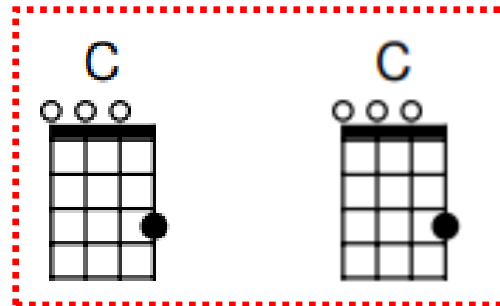
Em

Next phase, new wave ...

Chorus 3 (2 of 2)



Next phase, new wave, dance craze, anyways,



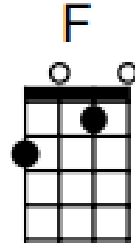
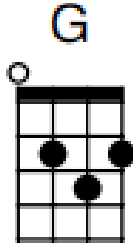
it's still rock and roll to me.

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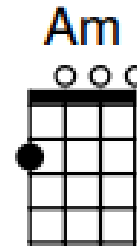
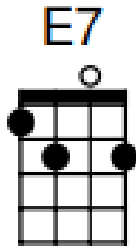
G

Da da daaa ...

Bridge 2 – Instrumental / scat (1 of 3)



Da-da daaa da-da-da-da da-da-da-da daaaa



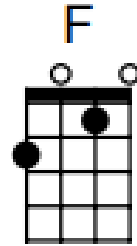
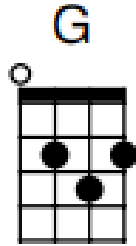
da-da di-da-di-da di-da-da-da da-daaaaaaa.

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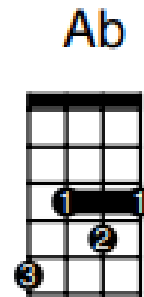
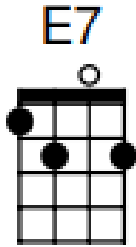
G

Da da daaa

Bridge 2 (2 of 3)



Da-da daaa da-da-da-da da-da-da-da daaaa



da-da di-da-di-da-di-da-da daaaaaaa

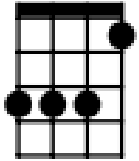
Next:

Eb

Da-da-da-da daaa ...

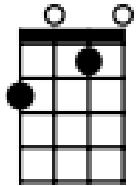
Bridge 2 (3 of 3)

E_b



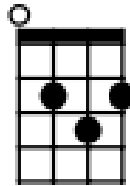
Da-da-da-da da-daaaa

F



Da-da-da-da da-daaaa

G



[HOLD 8 beats]

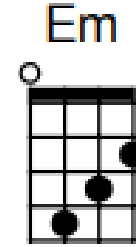
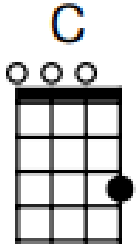
Oooooooooohhhhhhhhhhhh

Next:

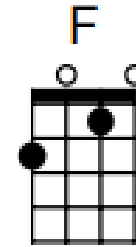
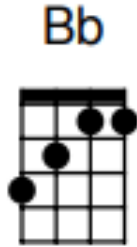
C

' What's the matter ...

Verse 4 (1 of 2)



What's the matter with the crowd I'm seeing?



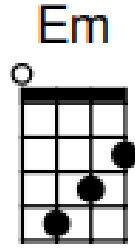
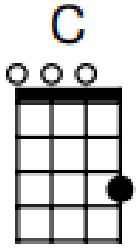
Don't ya know that they're out of touch?

Next:

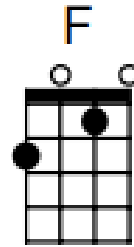
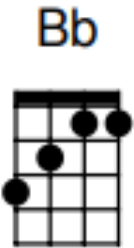
C

' Should I try to be a ...

Verse 4 (2 of 2)



Should I try to be a straight 'A' student?



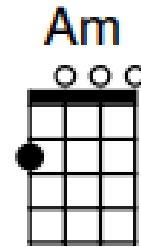
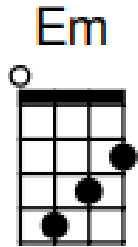
If ya are, then you think too much.

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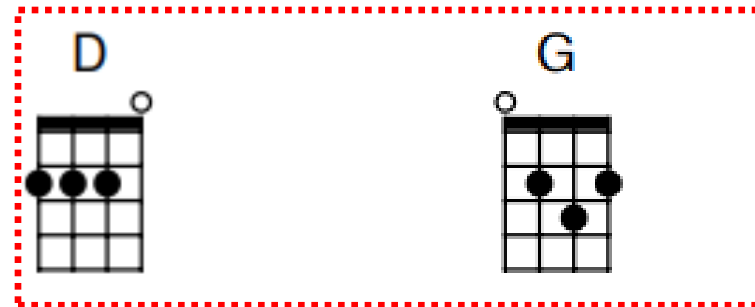
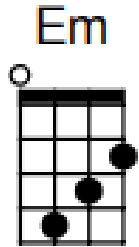
Em

' Don't you know ...

Chorus 4 (1 of 2)



Don't you know about the new fashion, honey?



All you need are looks and a whole lotta money.

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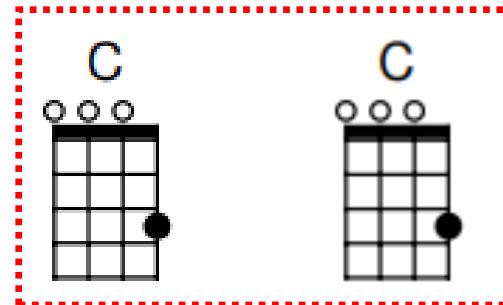
C

It's the next phase ...

Chorus 4 (2 of 2)



It's the next phase, new wave, dance craze, anyways



it's still rock and roll to me.

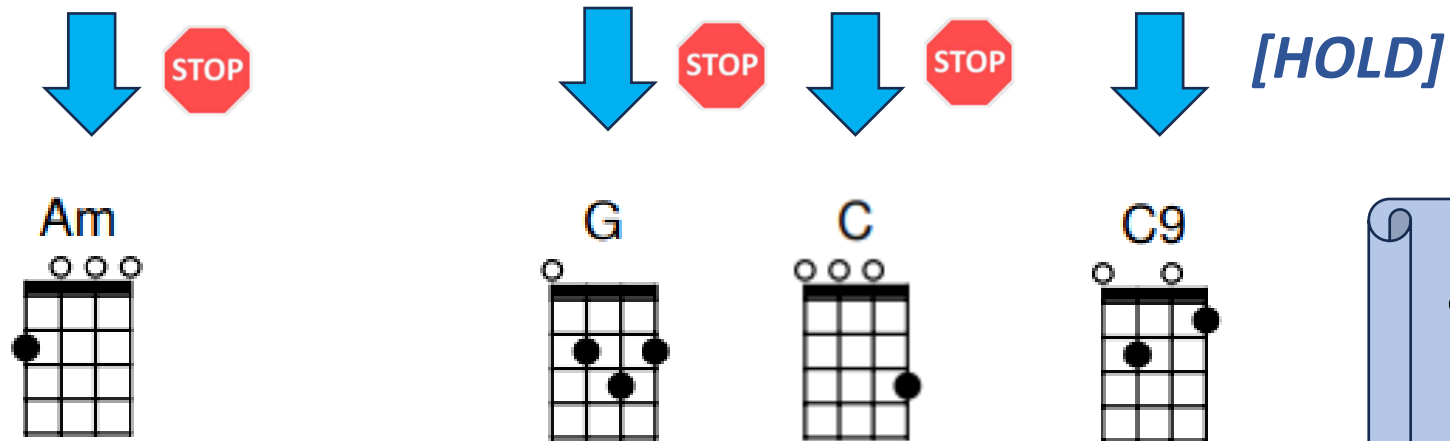
Next:

C Em
Everybody's talkin' ...

Ending



Everybody's talkin' 'bout the new sound. Funny,



but it's still rock and roll to me.

Thanks y'all!!!

***In memory of
Kevin Jolly --
founder and
inspiration of
Tuesday Ukes***

