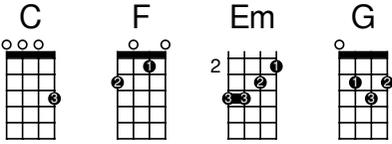


Lean On Me

By Bill Withers (1972)



Verse (single strums):

[C] Some-times in our [F] lives
we all have [C] pain
We all have [Em] sor- [G] row
[C] But if we are [F] wise
We know that [C] there's always [G] tomor- [C] row

Verse:

[NC] Lean on me, [C] when you're not [F] strong
And I'll be your [C] friend
I'll help you [Em] carry [G] on
[C] For it won't be [F] long
'Til I'm gonna [C] need
Somebody to [G] lean [C] on

Verse:

[C] Please swallow your [F] pride
If I have [C] things
you need to [Em] bor- [G] row
[C] For no one can [F] fill
those of your [C] needs
That you don't [G] let [C] show

Chorus (with slaps):

So just [C] call X on [C] me brother X, when you [G] need a [C] hand
We all [C] need X [C] somebody X to [G] lean [C] on
I just [C] might X have [C] a problem X that [G] you'll under- [C]stand
We all [C] need X [C] somebody X to [G] lean [C] on

Verse:

[NC] Lean on me, [C] when you're not [F] strong
And I'll be your [C] friend

