

# MOOKULELES

## Songbook



*We keep you  
Mooooovin!!!!*

## **Playout List**

Rivers of Babylon

Proud Mary

Island Style

Singing in the Rain

Pearly Shells

Green door

Rhoda Read

Bring me Sunshine

Jamaican Farewell/ Yellow Bird

Roc n Roll Medley

Swing low

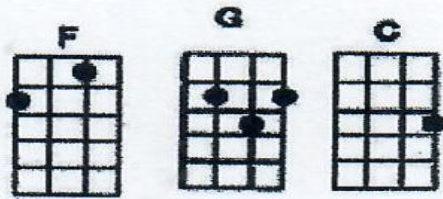
Wagon Wheel

Leaving on a Jet plane

Marvellous Little toy

Little toy Trains

## By the Rivers of Babylon



C  
By the rivers of Babylon

Where we sat down

G  
Hey hey we wept

C  
When we remembered Zion

C  
When the wicked

Carried us away in captivity

F C  
Required from us a song

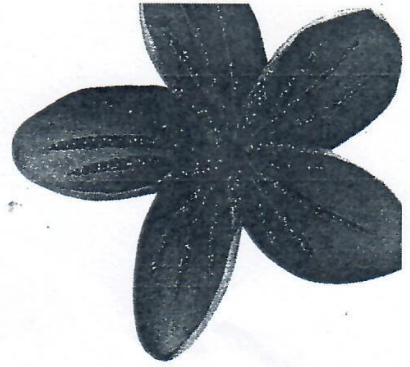
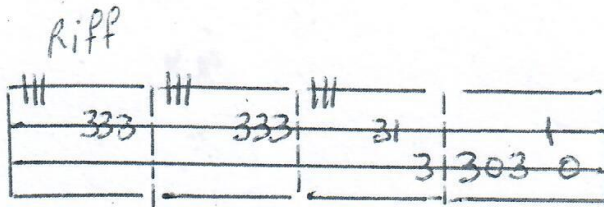
Now how shall we sing the Lord's song

G C  
In a strange land

C G  
Let the words of our mouths

C G  
And the meditations of our hearts

C G C  
Be acceptable in Thy sight here tonight



# Proud Mary

Starting note C string  
Rock Strum 1 2 3 4+

C

Left a good job in the city, workin for the man every night and day  
And I never lost one minute of sleep  
Worryin bout the way things might have been

G7

Big wheels keep on turning

F

Proud Mary keep on burnin

C

Roll in Roll in Roll in on the river

C

Cleaned a lot of plates in Memphis, pumped a lot of tane in New Orleans  
But I never saw the good side of the city, till I hitched a ride on a river  
boat queen

G7

Big wheels keep on turning

F

Proud Mary keep on burnin

C

Roll in Roll in Roll in on the river

C

If you come down to the river, bet you gonna find some people who live  
You don't have to worry, cause you have no money, people on the river  
are happy to give

G7

Big wheels keep on turning

F

Proud Mary keep on burnin

C

Roll in Roll in Roll in on the river

Repeat Last Line -- Then RIFF



# Island Style

C G7 C

## Chorus:

On the island, we do it island style

From the mountain to the ocean,  
from the windward to the leeward side (C7)  
(Repeat)

Mama's in the kitchen cooking dinner real nice  
Beef stew on the stove, lomi salmon with the ice  
We eat and drink and we sing all day  
Kani ka pila in the old Hawaiian way

## CHORUS X 2

We go grandma's house on the weekend clean yard 'cause  
If we no go grandma gotta work hard  
You know my grandma she like the poi real sour  
I love my grandma every minute every hour

## CHORUS X 3 Second Chorus quiet

### Chorus:

On the island, we do it island style

From the mountain to the ocean,  
from the windward to the leeward side (C7)  
(Repeat)

From the mountain to the ocean,  
from the windward to the leeward side (2x)

C/ G7/ C/

**C**  
I'm singing in the rain

Just singing in the rain

What a glorious feeling

**G7**  
I'm happy again

I'm laughing at clouds

So dark up above

'Cause the sun's in my heart

**C**  
And I'm ready for love

Let the stormy clouds chase

Everyone from the place

Come on with the rain

**G7**  
I've a smile on my face

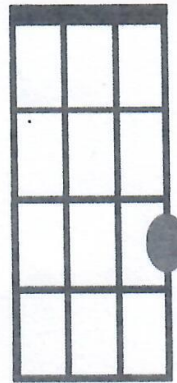
I'll walk down the lane

With a happy refrain

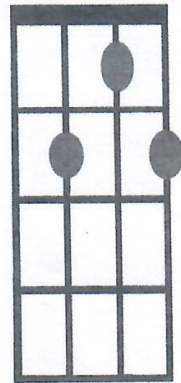
'Cause I'm singing

**C**  
Just singing in the rain.

**C**



**G7**



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## Pearly Shells

C  
Pearly Shells from the ocean

F G7  
Shining in the sun covering the shore

C F  
When I see them my heart tells me that I love you

C G7 C  
More than all the little pearly shells

G7  
For every grain of sand upon the beach

C  
I've got a kiss for you

G7  
And I've got more left over

D7 G7  
for each star that twinkles in the blue



## Green Door - sung by Jim Lowe, 1956

C F C  
Midnight, one more night without sleepin'.

F C  
Watchin' till the morning comes creepin'.

G F C  
Green door, what's that secret you're keepin'?)

C F C  
There's an old piano and they play it hot behind the green door.

F  
Don't know what they're doin', but they laugh a lot,

C  
behind the green door.

G F  
Wish they'd let me in so I could find out what's

C  
behind the green door.

C F C  
Knocked once, tried to tell 'em I'd been there.

F C  
Door slammed, hospitality's thin there.

G F C  
Wonder just what's goin' on in there.

C F  
Saw an eyeball peepin' through a smokey cloud,

C  
behind the green door.

F  
When I said, "Joe sent me," someone laughed out loud,

C  
behind the green door.

G F C  
All I want to do is join the happy crowd, behind the green door.

G F C  
All I want to do is join the happy crowd, behind the green door.

G7 C  
GREEN DOOR!



(G) I hear the trolley coming  
It's coming down the hall  
There's drinks and cakes and biscuits  
were (G7) bound to have a ball  
**Well I'm (C) stuck in Rhoda read**  
**Time keeps dragging (G) on**  
**I'm (D7) waiting for some person**

-----**To Visit (G) me**

The nurse says John you rest up  
I'm tired of your moan  
They're threatening to put me  
In a - (G7) room made of foam  
But I've (C) made - my escape plan  
Tonight's the night for (G) me  
I'll (D7) call a taxi  
Or it's the Mortuary (G)

The patients popping pills  
To cure them from their Blues,  
The TV stuck on Master chef  
I (G7) want to watch The News  
Well I'm (C) stuck in Rhoda read  
Time keeps dragging (G) on  
I'm (D7) waiting for my partner  
Who Never Visits (G) me

The nurses name is Annie  
She wakes me up at seven  
Then nothing seems to happen  
Until (G7) quarter to Eleven  
Then I (C) realise I haven't eaten  
Despite the trolley (G) round  
So I (D7) make a call to Dom-in-o's  
Before I faint on the (G) ground

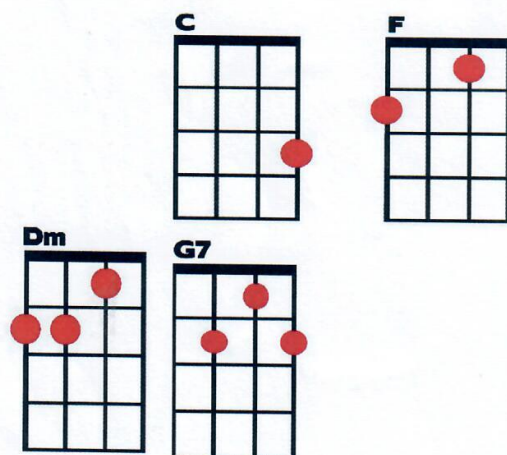
Bring me [C] sunshine... in your [Dm] smile  
Bring me [G7] laughter... all the [C] while  
In this [C7] world where we live... there should [F] be more happiness  
So much [D7] joy you can give... to each [G7] brand new bright tomorrow

Make me [C] happy... through the [Dm] years  
Never [G7] bring me... any [C] tears  
Let your [C7] arms be as warm as the [F] sun from up above  
Bring me [D7] fun... bring me [G7] sunshine... bring me [C] love

Bring me [C] sunshine... in your [Dm] eyes  
Bring me [G7] rainbows... from the [C] skies  
Life's too [C7] short to be spent having [F] anything but fun  
We can [D7] be so content... if we [G7] gather little sunbeams  
Bring me [C] sunshine in your [Dm] song  
Lots of [G7] friends who strum a [C] long  
Life's too [C7] short to be spent having [F] anything but fun,  
We can [D7] be so content when we [G7] play our ukuleles!

Be light-[C] hearted... all day [Dm] long  
Keep me [G7] singing... happy [C] songs  
Let your [C7] arms be as warm as the [F] sun from up above  
Bring me [D7] fun bring me [G7] sunshine  
Bring me [C] love [E7] sweet [A7] love  
Bring me [D7] fun bring me [G7] sunshine  
Bring me [C] loooooove

*SLOW*







Rock n Roll Medley

S.N - E

C F G7 C  
I met him on a Monday and my heart stood still - Da do Ron Ron Ron - Da Do Ron Ron

F G7 C  
Some told me that that his name was Bill - Da do Ron Ron Ron - Da Do Ron Ron

F C G7 F  
Yeah - My Heart stood Still - Yeah his name was Bill - And when he walked me home  
G7 C  
- Da do Ron Ron Ron - Da Do Ron Ron

Well it's a 1 for the money 2 for the show - 3 to get ready now Go Cat Go

F C  
But don't you - Step on my Blue Suede shoes

G7 C  
You can do anything but lay off my Blue Suede shoes.

The Little things you say and do, Make me wannabe with you

F C G7 C  
Rave on its crazy feeling and I know its got me reeling when U say I love you Rave on with U

F  
All of my life I've been awaiting tonight they'll be no hesitating Oh Boy

C G7 C  
When you're with me OH Boy, The world will see that you were meant for me

G7 C C C7  
They're goes my Baby with someone new, she sure looks happy I sure am Blue

F G7 C  
He was my baby till she stepped in, Goodbye to romance that might have been

F  
You aint nothing but a Hound dog, crying all the time, You aint nothing but a Hound dog

C G7 C  
Cryin all the time, you aint never caught a Rabbit and you aint no friend of mine

F C F C F C G7 C  
Bye Bye Love, ----Bye Bye Happiness, Hello Loneliness, I think I'm Gonna Cry

F C F C F C G7 C  
Bye Bye Love, Bye Bye Sweet Caress, Hello Emptiness, I think I'm Gonna Cry

(LAST LINE LOUD)

C F G7 C  
I met him on a Monday and my heart stood still - Da do Ron Ron Ron - Da Do Ron Ron

# Swing Low

John/Kylie

will sing Swing low

Then All come in:

C F C G7  
I looked over Jordan, what do I see, coming for to carry me home.  
C F C G7 C.  
A band of angels coming after me, coming for to carry me home

C F C G7  
*Swing low, sweet chariot, coming for to carry me home.*  
C F C G7 C  
*Swing low, sweet chariot, coming for to carry me home.*

C F C G7  
I looked over Jordan, what do I see, coming for to carry me home.  
C F C G7 C.  
A band of angels coming after me, coming for to carry me home

Repeat

And follow John

# wagon wheel

(C)HeadedDown south to the (G)land of the Pine  
I'm (Am)thumbin'My way into (F)North Caroline  
(C)Staring up the road and (G) pray to God  
I see (Am)head lights (F)

(C)I made it down the coast in(G)seventeen hours  
(Am)Pickin me a bouquet of (F)dogwood flowers  
And I'm(C)Hopin for Raleigh-I can (G)see my baby  
To- (Am)night(F)

## **Chorus:**

(C)So rock me mama like a (G)wagon wheel  
(Am)Rock me mama any (F)way you feel  
(C)He-(G)y mama (Am)rock me(F)  
(C)Rock me mama like the (G)wind and the rain  
(Am)Rock me mama like a (F)south bound train  
(C)He-(G)ey mama (Am)rock me(F)

(C)Runnin' from the cold -----up in (G)New England I was  
(Am)born to be a fiddler in an (F)old time string band  
My (C)baby plays the guitar, (G)  
(Am) ----- I play the Ukulele(F)

Oh (C)north country winters keep-a (G)gettin' me down, lost my  
(Am) Money playin' poker so i had to (F) leave town  
But (C)i ain't turning (G)back  
Livin that old life (Am)no more (F)

(C)Walkin' to the south ----out of (G)Roanoke I caught a  
(Am)Trucker out of Philly had a (F) nice long talk  
But (C)he's a-headed west from the (G)Cumberland Gap  
To Johnson City (Am)Tennessee(F)

I (C)gotta get a move on be-(G)fore the sun  
I hear my (Am)baby callin my name and (F)i know that (s)he's the only one  
And (C)if i die in Raleigh  
At (G)least i will die (Am)free(F)

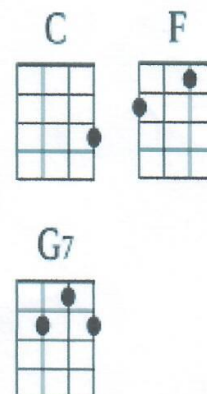


# Leaving on a jet plane

By John Denver

## Verse 1

[C] All my bags are packed I'm [F] ready to go  
I'm [C] standin' here out [F] side your door  
I [C] hate to wake you [F] up to say good [G7] bye  
But the [C] dawn is breakin', it's [F] early morn  
The [C] taxi's waitin', he's [F] blowin' his horn  
Al [C] ready I'm so [F] lonesome I could [G7] die



## Chorus:

So [C] kiss me and [F] smile for me  
[C] Tell me that you'll [F] wait for me  
[C] Hold me like you'll [F] never let me [G7] go  
'Cause I'm [C] leavin' [F] on a jet plane  
[C] Don't know when [F] I'll be back again  
[C] Oh [F] babe, I hate to [G7] go

Gap

Gap

## Verse 2

There's so [C] many times I've [F] let you down  
So [C] many times I've [F] played around  
I [C] tell you now, [F] they don't mean a [G7] thing  
Every [C] place I go, I'll [F] think of you  
Every [C] song I sing, I'll [F] sing for you  
When [C] I come back, I'll [F] bring your wedding [G7] ring

## Play Chorus

## Verse 3

[C] Now the time has [F] come to leave you  
[C] One more time [F] let me kiss you  
Then [C] close your eyes [F] I'll be on my [G7] way  
[C] Dream about the [F] days to come  
When [C] I won't have to [F] leave alone  
[C] About the times, [F] I won't have to [G7] say

## Play Chorus twice to end

## Marvellous Little Toy (Peter Paul & Mary)

V1 When I was just a wee little lass, full of health and joy  
 My father homeward came one night and gave to me a toy  
 A wonder to behold it was, with many colours bright,  
 And the moment I laid eyes on it, it became my heart's delight.

[chorus:]

It went zip when it moved and pop when it stopped  
 Whir when it stood still,  
 I never knew just what it was, and I guess I never will.



V2 The first time that I picked it up, I had a big surprise,  
 'Cause right on the bottom were two big buttons that looked like big green eyes  
 I first pushed one and then I pushed the other, then I twisted its lid,  
 And when I put it down again, this is what it did. [chorus]

V3 It first marched left and then marched right, and then marched under a chair  
 And when I looked where it had gone, it wasn't even there.  
 I started to cry, but my daddy laughed 'cause he knew that I would find  
 When I turned around my marvellous toy was chugging from behind. [chorus]

V4 The years have gone by too quickly it seems, I have my own little boy,  
 And yesterday I gave to him my marvellous little toy.  
 His eyes nearly popped right out of his head and he gave a squeal of glee.  
 Neither one of us knows just what it is, but he loves it just like me.

It still goes... [chorus]

Repeat Chorus till I stop and sing  
 I never knew just what it was and I Guess I never will  
 (No Playing)

C                                  G7  
          little toy trains, little toy tracks  
          F  G7  
Little toy drums, coming from a sack  
                  C  F  
Carried by a man dressed in white and red  
                  C                                  G7                                  C  
Little boy don't you think it's time you were in bed?

**Chorus:**

                  G7                                  F  C  
**Close your eyes, listen to the skies**  
          Am  
**All is calm , all is well**  
  D7  G7  
**you'll hear Kris Kringle and the jingle bells!**

**REPEAT**

                  C                                  G7  
          little toy trains, little toy tracks  
          F  G7  
Little toy drums, coming from a sack  
                  C  F  
Carried by a man dressed in white and red  
                  C                                  G7                                  C  
Little boy don't you think it's time you were in bed?  
                  C                                  G7                                  C  
Little boy don't you think it's time you were in bed?  
  
end



# Basic Ukulele Chords

<b>C</b> 	<b>D</b> 	<b>E</b> 	<b>F</b> 	<b>G</b> 	<b>A</b> 	<b>Bb</b> 
<b>C7</b> 	<b>D7</b> 	<b>E7</b> 	<b>F7</b> 	<b>G7</b> 	<b>A7</b> 	<b>Bb7</b> 
<b>Cm</b> 	<b>Dm</b> 	<b>Em</b> 	<b>Fm</b> 	<b>Gm</b> 	<b>Am</b> 	<b>Bbm</b> 
<b>Cm7</b> 	<b>Dm7</b> 	<b>Em7</b> 	<b>Fm7</b> 	<b>Gm7</b> 	<b>Am7</b> 	<b>Bbm7</b> 
<b>Cdim</b> 	<b>Ddim</b> 	<b>Edim</b> 	<b>Fdim</b> 	<b>Gdim</b> 	<b>Adim</b> 	<b>Bbdim</b> 
<b>C6</b> 	<b>D6</b> 	<b>E6</b> 	<b>F6</b> 	<b>G6</b> 	<b>A6</b> 	<b>Bb6</b> 