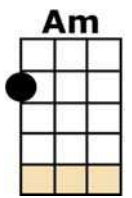
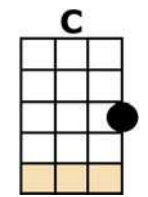


# MAN IN THE LONG BLACK COAT

[Am] [C] [G] [Em] [Am] [C] [G] [Am] [Am] [Am]



[Am] CRICKETS ARE [C] CHIRPIN' THE [G] WATER IS [Em] HIGH  
THERE'S A [Am] SOFT COTTON [C] DRESS



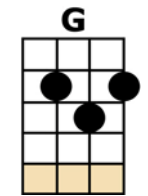
ON THE [G] LINE HANGIN' [Am] DRY  
THE [Am] WINDOWS WIDE [C] OPEN, [G] AFRICAN [Em] TREES  
[Am] BEND OVER [C] BACKWARDS

FROM A [G] HURRI CANE [Am] BREEZE [Am] [Am] [Am]

NOT A [G] WORD OF GOODBYE, NOT EVEN A NOTE

SHE'S [Am] GONE WITH THE [C] MAN

IN THE [G] LONG BLACK [Am] COAT [Am] [Am] [Am]



[Am] SOMEBODY [C] SEEN HIM [G] HANGIN' A-[Em]-ROUND

AT THE [Am] OLD DANCE [C] HALL

ON THE [G] OUTSKIRTS OF [Am] TOWN, HE LOOKED

[Am] INTO HER [C] EYES,

WHEN SHE [G] STOPPED HIM TO [Em] ASK

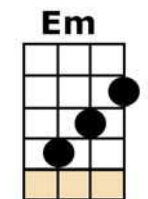
IF HE [Am] WANTED TO [C] DANCE,

HE HAD A [G] FACE LIKE A [Am] MASK [Am] [Am] [Am]

[G] SOMEBODY SAID FROM THE BIBLE HE'D QUOTE

THERE WAS [Am] DUST ON THE [C] MAN

IN THE [G] LONG BLACK [Am] COAT [Am] [Am] [Am]



[Am] PREACHER WAS A-[C]-TALKING

THERE'S A [G] SERMON HE [Em] GAVE

HE SAID [Am] EVERY MAN'S [C] CONSCIENCE

IS [G] VILE AND DE-[Am]-PRAVED

YOU [Am] CANNOT DE-[C]-PEND ON IT

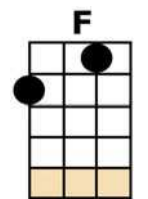
[G] TO BE YOUR [Em] GUIDE, WHEN IT'S [Am] YOU

WHO [C] MUST KEEP [G] IT SATIS-[Am]-FIED [Am] [Am] [Am]

IT AIN'T [G] EASY TO SWALLOW, IT STICKS IN THE THROAT

SHE GAVE HER [Am] HEART TO THE [C] MAN

IN THE [G] LONG BLACK [Am] COAT [Am] [Am] [Am]



THERE [F] ARE NO MISTAKES IN LIFE [C] SOME PEOPLE SAY

AND IT'S [Am] TRUE SOME-[C]-TIMES

YOU CAN [G] SEE IT THAT [Am] WAY

BUT [F] PEOPLE DON'T LIVE OR DIE [C] PEOPLE JUST FLOAT

SHE [Am] WENT WITH THE [C] MAN

IN THE [G] LONG BLACK [Am] COAT [Am] [Am] [Am]

[F] PEOPLE DON'T LIVE OR DIE [C] PEOPLE JUST FLOAT

SHE [Am] WENT WITH THE [C] MAN

IN THE [G] LONG BLACK [Am] COAT [Am] [Am] [Am]

THERE'S [Am] SMOKE ON THE [C] WATER

IT'S [G] BEEN THERE SINCE [Em] JUNE

[Am] TREE TRUNKS UP-[C]-ROOTED

'NEATH THE [G] HIGH CRESCENT [Am] MOON

FEEL THE [Am] PULSE AND VI-[C]-BRATION

AND THE [G] RUMBLING [Em] FORCE

SOME-[Am]-ONE IS [C] OUT THERE

BEATING [G] ON A DEAD [Am] HORSE [Am] [Am] [Am]

SHE [G] NEVER SAID NOTHING, THERE WAS NOTHING SHE WROTE

SHE'S [Am] GONE WITH THE [C] MAN

IN THE [G] LONG BLACK [Am] COAT [Am] [Am] [Amadd9/ ]

