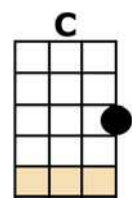
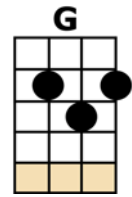


# THE FREE ELECTRIC BAND

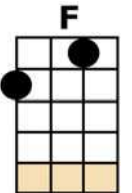
[C] [C] [G] [G] [C] [C] [G] [G]



MY [C] FATHER IS A DOCTOR, HE'S A [G] FAMILY MAN  
MY [C] MOTHER WORKS FOR CHARITY WHEN-[G]-EVER SHE CAN  
THEY'RE [C] BOTH GOOD CLEAN AMERICANS  
WHO A-[G]-BIDE BY THE LAW  
THEY [C] BOTH STICK UP FOR LIBERTY,  
THEY [G] BOTH SUPPORT THE LAW  
MY [C] HAPPINESS WAS [F] PAID FOR WHEN THEY  
[G] LAID THEIR MONEY [C] DOWN  
FOR [C] SUMMERS IN A [F] SUMMER CAMP,  
AND [G] WINTERS IN THE [C] TOWN  
MY [C] FUTURE IN THE [F] SYSTEM WAS  
[C] TALKED ABOUT AND [G/] PLANNED  
BUT I GAVE IT UP FOR MUSIC AND THE FREE ELECTRIC [C] BAND



I [C] WENT TO SCHOOL IN HAND-WASHED SHIRTS  
WITH [G] NEATLY OILED HAIR,  
THE [C] SCHOOL WAS BIG AND NEWLY BUILT  
AND [G] FILLED WITH LIGHT AND AIR  
AND THE [C] TEACHER TAUGHT US VALUES  
THAT WE [G] HAD TO LEARN TO KEEP  
AND HE [C] CLIPPED THE EAR OF MANY IDLE [G] KIDS WHO WENT TO SLEEP  
MY [C] FATHER ORGA-[F]-NIZED FOR ME A [G] COLLEGE IN THE [C] EAST  
BUT I [C] WENT TO CALI-[F]-FORNIA,  
THE [G] SUN-SHINE AND THE [C] BEACH  
MY [C] PARENTS AND MY [F] LECTURERS COULD  
[C] NEVER UNDER-[G/]-STAND  
WHY I GAVE IT UP FOR MUSIC AND THE FREE ELECTRIC [C] BAND



WELL THEY [F/] USED TO SIT AND [C/] SPECULATE  
U-[G/] -PON THEIR SON'S CAR-[C/] -EER  
A [F/] LAWYER OR A [C/] DOCTOR OR A [G/] CIVIL ENGIN-[C/] -EER  
JUST [C] GIVE ME BREAD AND [F] WATER,  
PUT A [C] GUITAR IN MY [G/] HAND  
'CAUSE ALL I NEED IS MUSIC AND THE FREE ELECTRIC [C] BAND!

MY [C] FATHER SENT ME MONEY AND I [G] SPENT IT VERY FAST  
ON A [C] GIRL I MET IN BERKELEY IN A [G] SOCIAL SCIENCE CLASS  
YES, AND WE [C] LEARNED ABOUT HER BODY,  
BUT HER [G] MIND WE DIDN'T KNOW  
UN-[C]-TIL DEEP ROOTED ATTITUDES AND [G] MORALS BEGAN TO SHOW  
SHE [C] WANTED TO GET [F] MARRIED,  
EVEN [G] THOUGH SHE NEVER [C] SAID  
BUT I [C] KNEW HER WELL EN-[F]-OUGH BY NOW  
TO [G] SEE INSIDE HER [C] HEAD  
SHE'D [C] SETTLE FOR [F] SUBURBIA AND  
A [C] LITTLE PATCH OF [G/] LAND  
SO I GAVE HER UP FOR MUSIC AND THE FREE ELECTRIC [C] BAND

OOO - OOO - THE [G] FREE ELECTRIC BAND  
DABBA [C] DA DA DA DEE-DEE FOR THE [G] FREE ELECTRIC BAND (x4)  
ALL I NEED IS MUSIC AND THE FREE ELECTRIC [C/] BAND!