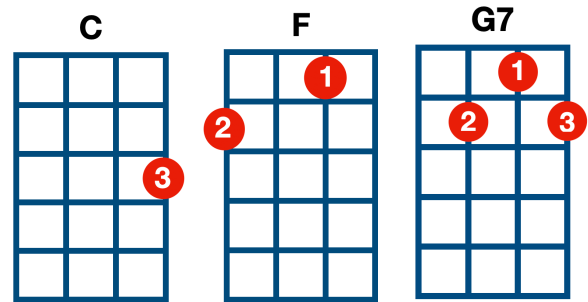


Introduction

One [C] evening as the sun went down
 And the jungle [G7] fire was [C] burning,
 Down the [C] track came a hobo hiking,
 And he said, "Boys, [F] I'm not [C] turning
 I'm [F] headed for a [C] land that' [F] far a [C] way
 Be [F] side the crystal [G7] fountains
 So [C] come with me, we'll go and see
 The Big Rock [G7] Candy [C] Mountains"

**Verse 1**

"In the [C] Big Rock Candy Mountains,
 There's a [F] land that's fair and [C] bright,
 Where the [F] handouts grow on [C] bushes
 And you [F] sleep out every [G7] night
 Where the [C] boxcars all are empty
 And the [F] sun shines every [C] day
 On the [F] birds and the [C] bees
 And the [F] cigarette [C] trees
 The [F] lemonade [C] springs
 Where the [F] bluebird [C] sings
 In the [G7] Big Rock Candy [C] Mountains"

Verse 2

In the [C] Big Rock Candy Mountains
 All the [F] cops have wooden [C] legs
 And the [F] bulldogs all have [C] rubber teeth
 And the [F] hens lay soft-boiled [G7] eggs
 The [C] farmers' trees are full of fruit
 And the [F] barns are full of [C] hay
 Oh I'm [F] bound to [C] go
 Where there [F] ain't no [C] snow
 Where the [F] rain don't [C] fall
 And the [F] wind don't [C] blow
 In the [G7] Big Rock Candy [C] Mountains

Verse 3

"In the [C] Big Rock Candy Mountains
 You [F] never change your [C] socks
 And the [F] little streams of [C] alcohol
 Come a-[F]-trickling down the [G7] rocks
 The [C] brakemen have to tip their hats
 And the [F] railroad bulls are [C] blind
 There's a [F] lake of [C] stew
 And of [F] whiskey, [C] too
 You can [F] paddle all a-[C]-round 'em
 In a [F] big ca-[C]-noe
 In the [G7] Big Rock Candy [C] Mountains"

Verse 4

In the [C] Big Rock Candy Mountains,
 The [F] jails are made of [C] tin
 And [F] you can walk right [C] out again,
 As [F] soon as you are [G7] in
 There [C] ain't no short-handled shovels,
 No [F] axes, saws or [C] picks,
 I'm a- [F] goin' to [C] stay
 Where you [F] sleep all [C] day,
 Where they [F] hung the [C] jerk
 That in-[F]-vented [C] work
 I'll [F] see you [C] all this [F] coming [C] Fall
 In the [G7] Big Rock Candy [C] Mountains