Calico Pie (Natalie Merchant – "Leave Your Sleep")
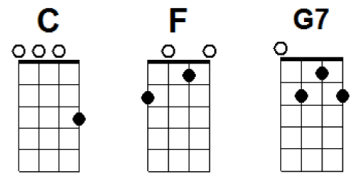
Intro: Chords of whole verse

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C                         F                C
Calico Pie, the little Birds fly, down to the Calico Tree,
 F       C        F      C      F        C
Wings of blue, singing 'Tilly-Tilly-loo!', 'til away they flew
         G7                   C
But they never came back to me!
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C                              F             C
Calico Jam, the little Fish swam, over the Syllabub Sea,
       F       C     F        C          F       C
He took off his hat, to the Sole and the Sprat, and the Willeby-Wat,
         G7                    C
But he never came back to me!
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Chorus:

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C
He (they) never came back, never came back,
                          F             C
He (they) never came, he (they) never came back to me.

He (they) never came back, never came back,
                          F             C
He (they) never came, he (they) never came back to me.
                 G7 (tremolo)
Oh, he (they) never came back
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C                              F            C
Calico Ban, the little Mice ran,    to be ready for tea,
F       C        F       C      F          C
Flippity flup, they drank it all up, and danced in the cup,
         G7                   C
But they never came back to me!
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Chorus

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C                                  F              C
Calico Drum, the Grasshoppers come, the Butterfly, Beetle, and Bee,
F       C      F         C        F       C
Over the ground, around and around, with a hop and a bound,
         G7                  C
But they never came back to me!
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(6X, then Ending)

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C
Oh, they never came back, never came back,
                       F              C
They never came, they never came back to me.
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Ending:

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         G7 (tremolo)
Oh, they never came back
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