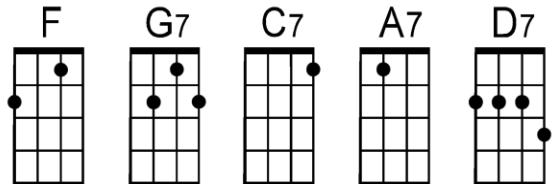
My Little Grass Shack

by Bill Cogswell, Tommy Harrison and Johnny Noble (1933) (as sung by Don Ho)



intro vamp: G7 . C7 . |F . . . |G7 . C7 . |F . .

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(---tacet-----) F . . . | . . . . |G7 . . . | . . .
I want to go back to my little grass shack in Ke-ala-ke-ku-a, Ha-wai—— i——
. |C7 . . . | . . . . |F . . . | . . .
I want to be with all the kanes and wa-hines I knew long a-go———

. |A7 . . . | . . . . |D7 . . . | . . .
Chorus: I can hear—— the old ukes playing—— on the beach at Ho— nau-nau———
. |G7 . . . | . . . . |C7\ \ | \ \
I can hear— the old Ha-wai-ians singing—— "Komo mai no ka-u-a i ka ha-le we-la-ka-hao"

. |F . . . | . . . . |G7 . . . | . . .
It won't be long till my ship will be sail– ing back to Ko——— na——
. |C7 . . . | . . . . | A7 . . . | . . .
A grand old place I al— ways long to see——— (you're telling me)
. |D7 . . . | . . . . |G7 . . . | . . .
I'm just a little Ha-waiian and a homesick island boy I want to go back to my fish and poi
. |F . . . | . . . . |G7 . . . | . . .
I want to go back to my little grass shack in Ke-ala-ke-kua, Ha-wai—— i——
. |C7 . . . | . . . . |F . . . | . . .
Where the humu-humu-nuku-nuku- apu-a'- a go swimming by———

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