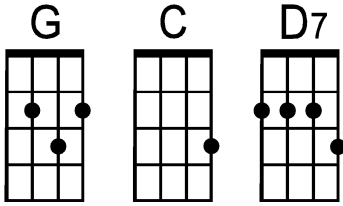


Summertime Blues (Key of G)

by Eddie Cochran (1958)



Intro: G . . . | |

Riff: ^{1 & 2 & 3 4}
 - G . C\ - | - D7 . G\ - | - G . C\ - | - D7 . G\
 - U D U D - - U D U D - - U D U D - - U D U D

- | G | G\ | - G . C\ - | - D7 . G\
 I'm-a gonna raise a fuss, I'm-a gonna raise a hol-ler - U D U D - - U D U D

- | G | G\ | - G . C\ - | - D7 . G\
 'bout a-workin' all summer just to try to earn a dol-lar - U D U D - - U D U D

- | C |
 Well ev'ry time I call my baby--- try to get a date

| G\ (-----spoken-----|-----) |
 my boss says "No dice son, you gotta work late" -

C |
 Some-times I wonder, what I'm-a gonna do, but there

G\ (-----tacet-----|-----) | G | G\ |
 Ain't no cure for the summer-time blues-----

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- | G | G\ | - G . C\ - | - D7 . G\
 Well my mom & pop told me "Son you gotta make some money" - U D U D - - U D U D

- | G | G\ | - G . C\ - | - D7 . G\
 If you wanna use the car to go a-- ridin' next Sun-day - U D U D - - U D U D

- | C |
 Well I didn't go to work, told the boss I was sick

C\ (----- | G\----- spoken-----|-----)
 "Now you can't use the car 'cause you didn't work a lick" -

C |
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I'm gonna take two weeks, gonna have a fine va-ca-tion

I'm gonna take my problem to the U-nited Na-tions

Well, I called my Congress-man and he said, quote: -

(--- | G\ -----spoken-----|-----) |
"I'd like to help you son, but you're too young to vote" -

C
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