

# WAITING FOR A TRAIN

1928

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First note=E

Intro – below or yodel C F C G7 C

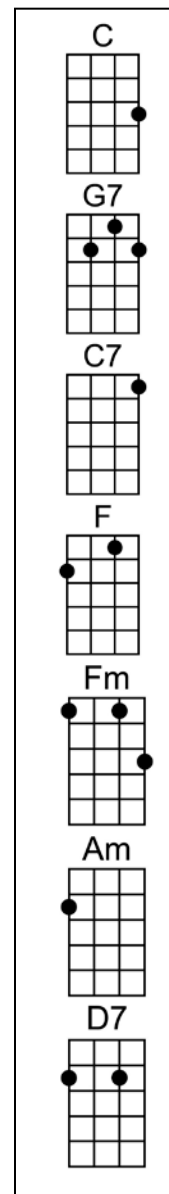
C G7 C C7 F Fm C  
 All around the water tank waiting for a train  
 F C Am D7 G7  
 A thousand miles away from home sleeping in the rain  
 C G7 C C7 F Fm C  
 I walked up to a brakeman just to give him a line of talk  
 F C D7 G7  
 He said if you've got money I'll see that you don't walk  
 C G7 C C7 F Fm C  
 Well I haven't got a nickel not a penny can I show  
 F C A7 D7 G7 C  
 He said get off you railroad bum and he slammed the boxcar door

Solo

G7 C G7 C C7 F Fm C  
 Well he put me off in Texas a place I dearly love  
 F C D7 G7  
 The wide open spaces all around me the moon and stars above  
 C G7 C C7 F Fm C  
 Nobody seems to want me nor to lend me a helping hand  
 F C D7 G7  
 I'm on my way from Frisco heading back to Dixie Land  
 C G7 C C7 F Fm C  
 My pocketbook is empty my heart is full of pain  
 F C A7 D7 G7 C  
 I'm a thousand miles away from home just waiting for a train

Yodel

C F C G7 C



Intro- also at end of chorus/song or yodel /=slide into note

A-----7- | -----5-----3- | ----- | -3- |  
 E----- | ----- | -3-5-3----- | -3- |  
 C--4-5---7-- | -/4/-5--3-/4-- | -----3-4--- | -4- |  
 G ----- | ----- | -----5- | -5- |

Solo

A----- | ----- | -----0----- | ----- |  
 E-----3----- | -1-1----- | -----3-0--- | -----0---3- |  
 C-2-3-4---2-4-0-2-4- | -----0-2-4- | -----0-0-----0- | -2-2---2--- |  
 G ----- | ----- | -0-2----- | ----- |