

COUNTRY HITS

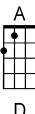
KING OF THE ROAD - ROGER MILLER

(A) Trailers for (D)sale or rent(E7)Rooms to let (A)fifty centsNo phone, no (D)pool, no pets(E7) Ain't got no cigarettes, ah but

- (A) Two hours of (D)pushing broom buys an
- (E7) Eight by twelve (A) four bit room, I'm a Man of (D) means by no means
- (E7) King of the (A)road
- (A) Third boxcar (D)midnight train
- **(E7)** Destination **(A)**Bangor, Maine Old worn out **(D)**suit and shoes
- I (E7)don't pay no union dues, I smoke
- (A) Old stogies (D)I have found
- (E7) Short, but not (A)too big around, I'm a
- (A) Man of (D)means by no means
- (E7) King of the (A)road

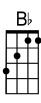
I know (**Bb**)every engineer on (**Eb**)every train (**F**)All of their children (**Bb**)all of their names And every handout in (**Eb**)every town (**F**)Every lock that ain't locked when no one's around, I sing...

- (Bb) Trailers for (Eb)sale or rent
- (F) Rooms to let (Bb)fifty cents
- No phone, no (Eb)pool, no pets
- (F) Ain't got no cigarettes, ah but
- (Bb) Two hours of (Eb)pushing broom buys an
- (F) Eight by twelve (Bb)four bit room, I'm a
- (Bb) Man of (Eb) means by no means
- (F)King of the road















HEY, GOOD LOOKIN' - HANK WILLIAMS

(C)Hey, Good Lookin', whatcha got cookin'

(D7) How's about cookin' (G7) somethin' up with (C) me

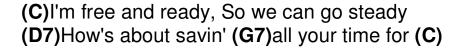
(C) Hey, sweet baby, don't you think maybe

(D7) We could find us a (G7) brand new reci-(C) pe.

(C7)

I got a **(F)**hot rod Ford and a **(C)** two dollar bill And **(F)** I know a spot right **(C)** over the hill There's **(F)**soda pop and the **(C)** dancin's free So if you **(D7) (stop)** wanna have fun come a-**(G7)** long with me.

Say **(C)** Hey, Good Lookin', whatcha got cookin' **(D7)** How's about cookin' **(G7)** somethin' up with **(C)** me.



(C)No more lookin' I know I've been tooken (D7)How's about keepin' (G7)steady compa-(C)ny (C7)

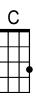
I'm gonna (F)throw my date book (C)over the fence And (F)find me one for (C)five or ten cents. I'll (F)keep it 'til it's (C)covered with age 'Cause I'm (D7) (stop) writin' your name down on (G)ev'ry page.

Hey, (C)Hey, Good Lookin', whatcha got cookin'

(D7) How's about cookin' (G7)somethin' up

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(D7) How's about cookin' (G7) somethin' up with (C) me











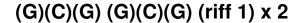


RING OF FIRE - JOHNNY CASH

Intro: (G)(C)(G) (G)(C)(G) (riff 1) x 2

(G)Love is a (C)burning (G)thing (riff 2) And it makes a (C)fiery (G)ring (riff 3) (G) Bound by (C)wild de(G)sire (riff 2) I fell in to a (C)ring of (G)fire

(D)I fell in to a (C)burning ring of (G)fire I went (D)down down down And the (C)flames went (G)higher And it (G)burns burns burns
The (C)ring of (G)fire the (C)ring of (G)fire

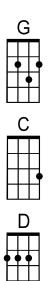


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(G)The taste of (C)love is (G)sweet (riff 2) When hearts like (C)ours (G)meet (riff 3) I fell for you(C) like a (G)child (riff 2) (G)Oh but the (C)fire went (G)wild

(D)I fell in to a (C)burning ring of (G)fire I went (D)down down down And the (C)flames went (G)higher And it (G)burns burns burns.

The (C)ring of (G)fire the (C)ring of (G)fire





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Outro: (G)(C)(G) (G)(C)(G) (Riff 4)

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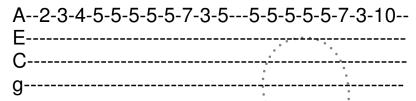
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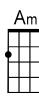
Riff 4





JOLENE - DOLLY PARTON

(Am)Jolene (C)Jolene Jo(G)lene Jo(Am)lene I'm (G)begging of you (Em7)please don't take my (Am)man (Am)Jolene (C)Jolene Jo(G)lene Jo(Am)lene (G)Please don't take him (Em7)just because you (Am)can



(Am) Your beauty is be(C)yond compare With (G) flaming locks of (Am) auburn hair



With (G) ivory skin and (Em7) eyes of emerald (Am) green (Am) Your smile is like a (C) breathe of spring



Your (G) voice is soft like (Am) summer rain



And (G) I cannot com(Em7)pete with Jo(Am)lene



(Am) He talks about you (C) in his sleep And there's (G) nothing I can (Am) do to keep From (G) crying when he (Em7) calls your name Jo(Am)lene (Am) And I can easily (C) understand How (G) you could easily (Am) take my man But (G) you don't know what he (Em7) means to me Jo(Am)lene

(Am)Jolene (C)Jolene Jo(G)lene Jo(Am)lene I'm (G)begging of you (Em7)please don't take my (Am)man (Am)Jolene (C)Jolene Jo(G)lene Jo(Am)lene (G)Please don't take him (Em7)just because you (Am)can

(Am) You can have your (C) choice of men But (G) I could never (Am) love again (G) He's the only (Em7) one for me Jo(Am)lene (Am) I had to have this (C) talk with you My (G) happiness de(Am)pends on you And what(G)ever you de(Em7)cide to do Jo(Am)lene

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THE WRECK OF THE OLD '97 - JOHNNY CASH

(G)They give him his orders at (C)Monroe Virginia Saying (G)Steve you're way behind (D)time This is (G)not 38 but this is (C)Old 97 (G)Put her in (D)Spencer on (G)time



(G)Then he looked around and said to his (C)black greasy fireman



Hey **(G)**shovel on a little more **(D)**coal And **(G)**when we cross that **(C)**White Oak Mountain **(G)**You can **(D)**watch Old 97 **(G)**roll



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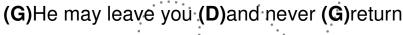
(G)Was a mighty rough road from (C)Lenburg to Danvill on a (G)climb with a three mile (D)grade it was (G)on that grade that he (C)lost his air brakes (G)see what a (D)jump he (G)made.

(G)He was going down grade making (C)90 miles an hour

When **(G)**his whistle broke into a **(D)**scream He was **(G)**found in the wreck with his **(C)**hand on the throttle

And (G)was scalded to (D)death by the (G)steam

(G)Now ladies you must (C)take warning From (G)this time on and (D)learn Never (G)peak harsh words to your (C)true loving husband





SIXTEEN TONS - TENNESSEE ERNIE FORD

A -120 E 120-2-4 C 12-9 G	Am
Intro: (Am) Do do do do (E7) do do do (Am) do	
Some (Am) people say a (Am7) man is (F7) made out of (E7) mud, A (Am) poor man's (Am7) made out of (F7) muscle and (E7) blood, (Am) Muscle and blood and (Dm) skin and bones, A (Am) mind that's weak and a back that's (E7) strong	E7
You load (Am) sixteen (Am7) tons and (F7) what do you (E7) get? (Am)Another day (Am7) older and (F7) deeper in (E7) debt, St. (Am) Peter, don't you call me 'cause (Dm) I can't go. I (Am) owe my soul to the (E7) company's (Am) store.	Am ⁻
Well I was (Am) born one (Am7) morning when the (F7) sun didn't (E7) shine, I (Am) picked up my (Am7) shovel and (F7) walked to the (E7) mine, I loaded (Am) sixteen tons of (Dm) number nine coal, And the (Am) straw boss said, "Well, bless my (E7) soul!"	F7
You load (Am) sixteen (Am7) tons and (F7) what do you (E7) get?	Dm

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Well, I was (Am) born one (Am7) morning it was (F7) drizzlin' (E7) rain, (Am) Fightin' and (Am7) trouble were (F7) my middle (E7) name I was (Am) raised in the canebreak by an (Dm) old mamma lion, Can't no (Am) high-toned woman make me (E7) walk the line

You load (Am) sixteen (Am7) tons and (F7) what do you (E7) get? (Am)Another day (Am7) older and (F7) deeper in (E7) debt, St. (Am) Peter, don't you call me 'cause (Dm) I can't go. I (Am) owe my soul to the (E7) company's (Am) store.

Well if you (Am) see me (Am7) comin' you better (F7) step a-(E7)side, A (Am) lot of men (Am7) didn't and a (F7) lot of men (E7) died, (Am) One fist of iron and the (Dm) other of steel, If the (Am) right one don't get you then the (E7) left one will.

Outro: (Am) Do do do do (E7) do do do (Am) do



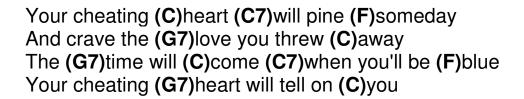
YOUR CHEATING HEART - HANK WILLIAMS

Your cheating (C)heart (C7)will make you (F)weep You'll cry and (G7)cry and try to (C)sleep But (G7)sleep won't (C)come t(C7)he whole night (F)through

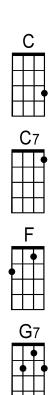
Your cheating (G7)heart will tell on (C)you

When (C7)tears come (F)down like falling (C)rain You'll toss (D7)around and call my (G7)name You'll walk the (C)floor (C7)the way I (F)do Your cheating (G7)heart will tell on (C)you

(G7)(C)(C7)(F) (G7)(C) (G7)(C)(C7)(F) (G7)(C)



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RAWHIDE - FRANKIE LANE

A 0-0-3-0- E 1	Dm
(Dm)(Dm7) with riff	
(Dm) Rollin', rollin', rollin' (Dm7) though the streams are swollen (F) Keep them dogies rollin', rawhide (Dm) Rain and wind and weather (C) hell-bent for (Dm) leather (C) Wishin' my (Bb) gal was by my (A7) side (Dm) All the things I'm missin' Good (C) victuals, love and (Dm) kissin' Are (C) waiting at the (Dm) end of (C)my (Dm) ride	Dm7
(Dm) Move 'em on, head 'em up (A7) Head 'em up, move 'em on (Dm) Move 'em on, head 'em up (A7) Rawhide (Dm) Count 'em out, ride 'em in (A7) Ride 'em in, count 'em out (Dm) Count 'em out, ride 'em (Bb)in, (A7) Raw (Dm) hide	C
(Dm)(Dm7) with riff over	
(Dm) Keep movin', movin', movin' (Dm7) Though they're disapprovin' (F) Keep them dogies movin', rawhide Don't (Dm) try to understand 'em Just (C) rope, throw and (Dm) brand 'em (C) Soon we'll be (Bb) living high and (A7) wide (Dm) My heart's calculatin' My (C) true love will be (Dm) waitin' Be (C) waitin' at the (Dm) end of (C) my (Dm) ride	A7
(Dm) Move 'em on, head 'em up (A7) Head 'em up, move 'em on (Dm) Move 'em on, head 'em up (A7) Rawhide (Dm) Count 'em out, ride 'em in (A7) Ride 'em in, count 'em out	

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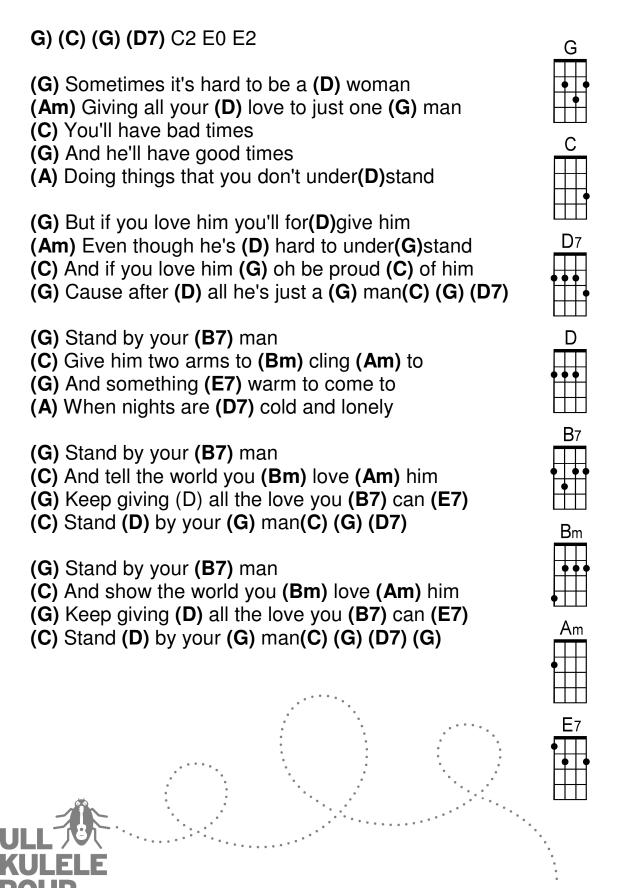
(Dm) Count 'em out, ride 'em in (A7) Ride 'em in, count 'em out

(Dm) Count 'em out, ride 'em (Bb)in, (A7) Raw (Dm) hide

(Dm) Count 'em out, ride 'em (Bb)in, (A7) Raw (Dm) hide



STAND BY YOUR MAN - TAMMY WYNETTE



LUCILLE - KENNY ROGERS

In a **(G)**bar in Toledo across from the depot, on a bar stool she took off her **(D)**ring. **(Am)**thought I'd get closer, so I **(D)**walked on over, **(Am)**sat down and **(D)**asked her **(G)**name. When the **(G)**drinks finally hit her, she said I'm no quitter,

but I finally quit (G7)livin on (C)dreams. I'm (D)hungry for laughter and (D7)here ever after I'm (D)after whatever the (D7)other life (G)brings.

In the **(G)**mirror I saw him and I closely watched him I thought how he looked out of **(D)**place. He **(Am)**came to the woman who **(D)**sat there beside me,

Now his **(G)**big hands were calloused, he looked like a mountain,

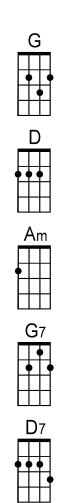
for a minute I (G7)thought I was (C)dead, but (D)he started shaking, his (D7)big heart was breaking

he (Am)had a strange (D)look on his (G)face.

and he (D)turned to the (D7)woman and (G)said:

You picked a fine time to leave me **(C)**Lucille with four hungry children and crops in the**(G)**field. **(C)**I've had some bad times, lived through some sad times,

but this time your hurting won't (G)heal, you picked a (D)fine time to(D7) leave me (G)Lucille.





(G)After he left us I ordered more whisky, I thought how she'd made him look (D)small, from the (Am)lights of the bar room to a (D)rented hotel room

we (Am)walked without (D)talking at (G)all.

Now **(G)**she was a beauty, but when she came to me, she must have thought **(G7)**I'd lost my **(C)**mind. Cause **(D)**I couldn't hold her, 'cos the **(D7)**words that he told her,

kept (D)coming back (D7)time after (G)time

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NINE TO FIVE - DOLLY PARTON

(D)

(D)Tumble out of bed and I stumble to the kitchen,
(G)Pour myself a cup of ambition
And (D)yawn and stretch and try to come to (A)life
(D)Jump in the shower and the blood starts pumping
(G)Out on the street the traffic starts jumping
With (D)folks like me on the (A)job from nine to (D)five

Working **(G)**nine to five, what a way to make a living Barely **(D)** getting by, it's all taking and no giving They just **(G)** use your mind and they never give you credit

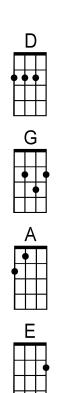
It's e(E)nough to drive you (A)crazy if you let it

(G)Nine to five, for service and devotion You would **(D)** think that I would deserve a fair promotion

Want to **(G)** move ahead but the boss won't seem to let me

I (E)swear sometimes, that man is (A) out to get me

They (**D**)let you dream just to watch 'em shatter, You're (**G**)just a step on the boss man's ladder, But (**D**)you've got dreams he'll never take a(**A**)way You're (**D**)in the same boat with a lot of your friends (**G**)Waiting for the day your ship'll come in The (**D**)tides gonna turn and it's (**A**)all gonna roll your (**D**)way





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It's e(E)nough to drive you (A)crazy if you let it

(G)Nine to five, yeah they've got you where they want you

There's a **(D)** better life, and you think about it don't you?

It's a **(G)** rich man's game, no matter what they call it And you **(E)**spend your life putting **(A)**money in his pocket

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D.I.V.O.R.C.E - BILLY CONNOLLY

(G)Our little dog is six years old, and he's (C)smart as any damn (G)kid. But when you mention the V.E.T. he

(A)damn near flips his (D)lid.

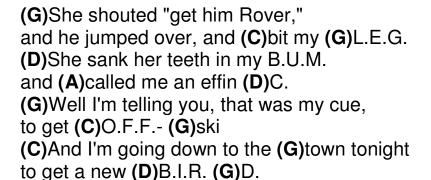
(G)Words like S.H.O.T. shot or

(C)W.O.R.M. (G)worm,

(C)These are words which

(G)make him S.Q.U.I. (D)R.M. (G)squirm.

(G)His Q.U.A.R.A.N.T.I. (C)N.E starts (G)today, Coz he bit the V.E.T. and (A)then he ran away.(D) (G)He caused me and my wife to have a big fight, and then (C)both of them bit (G)me. And (C)that's why I am (G)gonna get a D.I.V.O.(D)R.C. (G)E.



(G)Oh yes his Q.U.A.R.A.N.T. **(C)**I.N.E starts **(G)**today. Both my wife and my wee scabby dog will

(A)soon be hauled (D)away.

(G)That's why I spell out all these words,

(C)so as my dog can't (G)hear.

Oh (C)I must admit that (G)dog is acting

Q.U. **(D)**E.E.R.**(G)**queer.

Oh, **(C)**I must admit my **(G)**dog is acting Q.U. **(D)**E.E.R. **(G)**queer.

