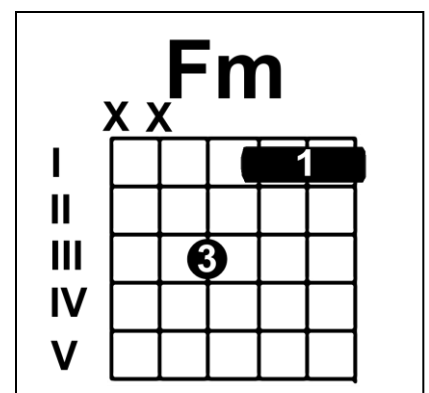
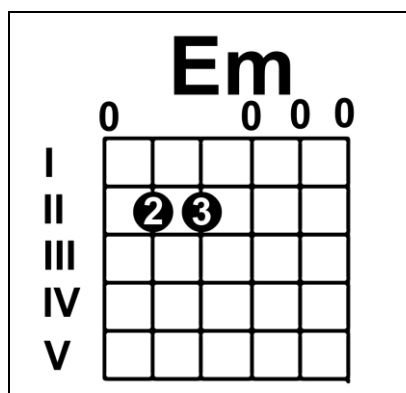
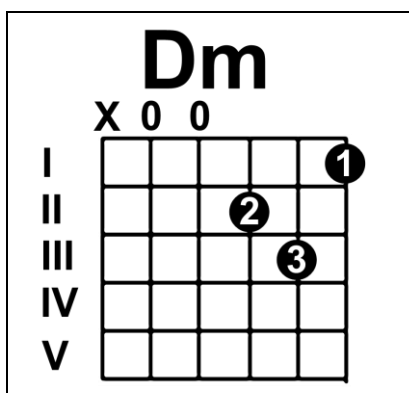
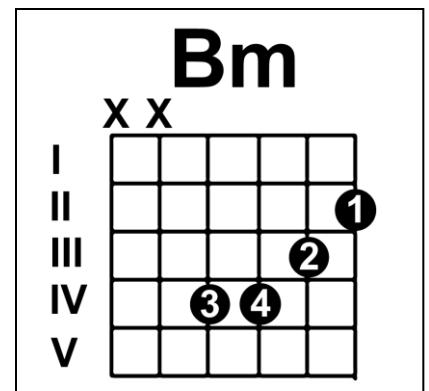
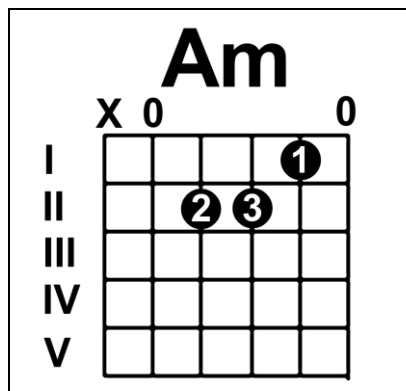
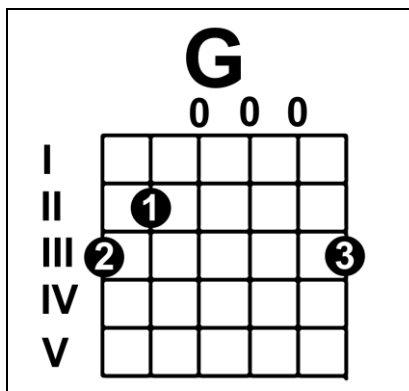


# First 12 Chords for the Guitar

(Major Chords then minor)



# Desperado (Revised 09/22/12)

## The Eagles

INTRO: /C C7 / F Fm / C Am / D7 G7\_\_\_\_ /

C C7 F Fm  
Desperado, why don't you come to your senses?  
C Am7 D7 G7  
You been out ridin' fences for so long now  
C C7 F Fm  
Oh, you're a hard one, I know that you got your reasons,  
C E7 Am7 D7 G7 C G  
These things that are pleasin' you can hurt you somehow

Am Em  
Don't you draw the queen of diamonds boy,  
F C  
She'll beat you if she's able,  
Am7 F C C-G  
You know the queen of hearts is always your best bet  
Am Em F C  
Now it seems to me some fine things have been laid upon your table  
Am D7 Dm7  
But you only want the ones you can't get

G G7 C G7 F Fm  
Desperado, oh you ain't gettin' no younger,  
C Am7 D7 G7  
Your pain and your hunger, they're drivin' you home  
C C7 F Fm  
And freedom, well, that's just some people talkin'  
C E7 Am7 D7 G7 C G  
Your prison is walkin' through this world all alone

Am Em  
Don't your feet get cold in the winter time ?  
F C G  
The sky won't snow and the sun won't shine  
Am7 F C G-E7  
It's hard to tell the night time from the day  
Am Em  
You're losin' all your highs and lows  
F C Dm7 G  
Ain't it funny how the feelin' goes away

G7 C C7 F Fm  
Desperado, why don't you come to your senses  
C G Am D7 G7  
Come down from your fences, open the gate  
C C7 F Fm  
It may be rainin', but there's a rainbow above you  
C E7 Am G  
You better let somebody love you,  
F C Dm  
You better let somebody love you  
C E Am D7 G C C7 / F Fm / C\_\_\_\_ /  
You better let somebody love you before it's too late

# DON'T CLOSE YOUR EYES (Revised 10/30/12)

Keith Whitley

written by Bob McDill

Pickup/Chords	C	D	G	G/F#	Em	GSUS4
e+	-----0-----	2-----	3-----	3-----	0-----	X-----
b+	-----0--1-----	3-----	0-----	0-----	0-----	1-----
g+	-----0--2-----	0-----	2-----	0-----	0-----	0-----
D+	-----0-----	2-----	0-----	0-----	2-----	0-----
A+	-----3-----	2-----	2-----	X-----	2-----	2-----
E+	-----3-----	3-----	2-----	2-----	0-----	3-----

**Intro:** / C / D / G Gsus4 / G /

## 1st verse:

	C	D		G	G/F#	Em
I know you loved him			a long time ago			
	C	D		G	GSus4	G
Even now in my arms			you still want him I know			
	C	D		G	G/F#	Em
But darling this time			let your memories die			
	C	D		G	GSus4	G
When you hold me tonight			don't close your eyes			

## Chorus:

	C	D				
Don't close your eyes			let it be me			
	G	G/F#	Em			
Don't pretend it's him in some fantasy						
	C	D				
Darling just once let yesterday go						
	G	G/F#	Em			
You'll find more love than you've ever known						
	C	D				
Just hold me tight when you love me tonight						
	G	GSus4	G			
And don't close your eyes						

## 2nd verse:

	C	D		G	G/F#	Em
Maybe I've been a fool			holding on all this time			
	C	D		G	GSus4	G
Lying here in your arms			knowing he's in your mind			
	C	D		G	G/F#	Em
But I keep hoping someday			that you'll see the light			
	C	D		G	GSus4	G
Let it be tonight,			don't close your eyes			

(Chorus twice)

# Dream A Little Dream Of Me (Revised 09/27/12)

Mama Cass

## Verse 1

C B7 D7 G  
Stars shining bright above you  
C B7 A A7  
Night breezes seem to whisper I love you  
F Fm  
Birds singing in the Sycamore tree  
C D7 G7  
Dream a little dream of me

## Verse 2

C B7 D7 G  
Say nightie-night and kiss me  
C B7 A A7  
Just hold me tight and tell me you'll miss me  
F Fm  
While I'm alone and blue as can be  
C D7 G7 C E7  
Dream a little dream of me

## BRIDGE

A F#m Bm E A F#m Bm E  
Stars fading but I linger on dear, still craving your kiss  
A F#m Bm E A F#m D7 G  
I'm longing to linger till dawn dear, just saying this

## Verse 3

C B7 D7 G  
Sweet dreams till sunbeams find you  
C B7 A A7  
Sweet dreams that leave all worries behind you  
F Fm  
But in your dreams whatever they be  
C D7 G7  
Dream a little dream of,  
C D7 G7  
Dream a little dream of,  
C D7 G7 C  
Dream a little dream of me\_\_\_\_.

# Every Rose Has Its Thorn (Revised 10/18/12)

## Poison

/ G / Cadd9 / G / Cadd9 /

G Cadd9  
We both lie silently still in the dead of the night. Although we  
G Cadd9  
both lie close together we feel miles apart inside. Was it  
G Cadd9  
something I said or something I did? Did my  
G Cadd9 D  
words not come out right? Though I tried not to hurt you, though I  
C  
tried. But I guess that's why they say

### Chorus

G Cadd9  
ev'ry rose has its thorn, just like  
G Cadd9  
ev'ry night has its dawn. Just like  
G D C G  
ev'ry cowboy sings his sad, sad song  
Cadd9  
ev'ry rose has its thorn.

/ G / Cadd9 / G / Cadd9 /

G Cadd9  
I listen to our favourite song paying on the radio hear the  
G Cadd9  
D.J. say love's a game of easy come and easy go. But I  
G Cadd9 G Cadd9  
wonder does he know, has he ever felt like this? And I  
D C  
know that you'd be here right now if I could've let you know somehow. I guess

## Every Rose Has Its Thorn (cont)

Chorus (same)

Bridge

Em                      D                      C                      G  
Though it's been a while now I can still feel so much pain.  
Em                      D                      C                      G  
Like the knife that cuts you, the wound heals, but the scar, that scar remains

/ G / Cadd9 / G / Cadd9 //

G    Cadd9  
I know I could have saved our love that night if I'd known what to say  
G    Cadd9  
Instead of making love we both made our separate ways. Now I  
G    Cadd9                      G    C  
hear you've found somebody new and that I never meant that much to you. To  
D    C  
hear that tears me up inside and to see you cuts me like a knife. I guess

Chorus (same)

END: / D / G /

# Hey There Delilah (Revised 11/16/12)

## Plain White T's

**Intro:** C / Em / C / Em

### Verse 1:

C  
Hey there Delilah  
Em  
What's it like in New York City?  
C  
I'm a thousand miles away  
Em  
But girl, tonight you look so pretty  
Am  
Yes you do  
F G Am  
Times Square can't shine as bright as you  
G  
I swear it's true

### Verse 2:

C  
Hey there Delilah  
Em  
Don't you worry about the distance  
C  
I'm right there if you get lonely  
Em  
Give this song another listen  
Am  
Close your eyes  
F G Am  
Listen to my voice, it's my disguise  
G  
I'm by your side

### Chorus 1:

C Am  
Oh it's what you do to me **(4X)**  
C  
What you do to me

### Verse 3:

C  
Hey there Delilah  
Em  
I know times are getting hard  
C  
But just believe me, girl  
Em  
Someday I'll pay the bills with this guitar  
Am  
We'll have it good  
F G Am  
We'll have the life we knew we would  
G  
My word is good

### Verse 4:

C  
Hey there Delilah  
Em  
I've got so much left to say  
C  
If every simple song I wrote to you  
Em  
Would take your breath away  
Am  
I'd write it all  
F G Am  
Even more in love with me you'd fall  
G  
We'd have it all

### Chorus 2:

C Am  
Oh it's what you do to me **(4X)**

## Hey There Delilah (cont)

### Bridge:

F  
A thousand miles seems pretty far  
G  
But they've got planes and trains and cars  
C Am  
I'd walk to you if I had no other way

F  
Our friends would all make fun of us  
G  
and we'll just laugh along because we  
C Am  
Know hat none of them have felt this way

F  
Delilah I can promise you

G  
That by the time we get through  
C Am  
The world will never ever be the same  
G  
And you're to blame

### Verse 5:

C  
Hey there Delilah  
Em  
You be good and don't you miss me  
C  
Two more years and you'll be done with school  
Em Am  
And I'll be making history like I do  
F G Am  
You'll know it's all because of you  
F G Am  
We can do whatever we want to  
F G Am  
Hey there Delilah here's to you  
G  
This one's for you

### Chorus 3:

C Am  
Oh it's what you do to me **(4X)**  
C / Em / C / Em / C\_\_\_\_ /  
What you do to me



**I Can't Help  
Falling in Love with You 11/29/12  
Elvis Presley**

VS1)

C      Em      Am              F      Am      G  
Wise men say only fools rush in  
         F          G          Am      F              C          G          C  
But I, I can-t help falling in love with you.

VS2)

C      Em Am                      F      Am      G  
Shall I stay would it be a sin  
         F          G          Am      F              C          G          C  
If I, I can-t help falling in love with you.

Bridge)

Em                      B7  
Like a river flows  
Em                      B7  
Surely to the sea  
Em                      B7  
Darling as we know  
Em              A7                      Dm      G  
Some things      were meant to be

VS3)

C      Em      Am                      F      Am      G  
Take my hand take my whole life too  
         F          G          Am      F              C          G          C  
But I, I can-t help falling in love with you.  
         F          G          Am      F              C          G          C  
But I, I can-t help falling in love\_\_ with\_\_ you.

# In the Sun 11/29/12

## Michael Stipe (Capo 3)

Em C  
I picture you in the sun  
G D/F#  
wondering what went wrong  
Em C  
And falling down on your knees  
G D/F#  
asking for sympathy  
Em C  
And being caught in between  
G D/F#  
all you wish for and all you've seen  
Em C  
And trying to find anything  
G D/F# Em C  
you can feel that you can believe in

G D/F#  
May God's love be with you  
Em C  
Always  
G D/F#  
May God's love be with you

Em C  
I know I would apologize  
G D/F#  
If I could see in your eyes  
Em C  
'cause when you showed me myself  
G D/F#  
I became someone else  
Em C  
But I was caught in between  
G D/F#  
all you wish for and all you need  
Em C  
I picture you fast asleep  
G  
A nightmare comes  
D/F# Em C  
You can't keep awake

G D/F#  
May God's love be with you  
Em C  
Always, always  
G D/F#  
May God's love be with you

C  
'cause if I find  
G  
If I find my own way  
D/F# C  
How much will I find  
G  
If I find, if I found my own way  
D/F# Em  
How much will I find  
C G D/F#  
You you\_\_\_\_  
/ Em / Em / Em / Em /

Em C  
I don't know anymore  
G  
What it's for  
D/F# Em  
I'm not even sure  
C G  
If there is anyone who is in the  
sun  
D/F# Em  
Will you help me to understand  
C  
'cause I been caught inbetween  
G D/F#  
all you wish for and all you need  
Em C  
Maybe you're not even sure  
G  
what it's for  
D/F# Em C  
Any more than me  
G D/F#  
May God's love be with you

Em C  
Always (always)  
G D/F#  
May God's love be with you

(Last 2 lines x3 - end on Em)

# Mellow Yellow

Donovan

D G D A7 A Ab  
I m just mad about Saffron, Saffons s mad about me.  
G G7 A  
I m just mad about Saffron, Saffons s mad about me.  
A7 D G A7 D G  
They call me Mellow Yellow, they call me Mellow Yellow,  
A7 D G A7  
They call me Mellow Yellow.

D G D A7 A Ab  
I m just mad about Fourteen, Fourteen s mad about me.  
G G7 A  
I m just mad about Fourteen, she s just mad about me.  
A7 D G A7 D G  
They call me Mellow Yellow, they call me Mellow Yellow,  
A7 D G A7  
They call me Mellow Yellow

D G D A7 A Ab  
Born high forever to fly, wind velocity nil.  
G G7 A  
Born high forever to fly, if you want your cup I will fill  
A7 D G A7 D G  
They call me Mellow Yellow, they call me Mellow Yellow,  
A7 D G A7  
They call me Mellow Yellow

D G D A7 A Ab  
Electrical banana, is going to be a sudden grace,  
G G7 A  
Electrical banana is bound to be the very next phase.  
A7 D G A7 D G  
They call me Mellow Yellow They call me Mellow Yellow  
A7 D G A7  
They call me Mellow Yellow

D G D A7 A Ab  
I m just mad about Saffron, Saffons s mad about me.  
G G7 A  
I m just mad about Saffron, Saffons s mad about me.  
A7 D G A7 D G  
They call me Mellow Yellow, they call me Mellow Yellow,  
A7 D G A7  
They call me Mellow Yellow.

# Never Been To Spain (Revised 10/23/12)

## Three Dog Night

### VS1

(E) A  
Well I never been to Spain  
E  
But I kinda like the music  
A  
See the ladies are insane there  
E  
And they sure know how to use it  
B7  
They don't abuse it  
A  
Never gonna lose it  
E  
I can't refuse it....hmmmmm...

### VS2

(E) A  
Well I never been to England  
E  
But I kinda like the Beatles  
A  
Well I headed for Las Vegas  
E  
Only made it out to Needles  
B7 A  
Can you feel it, must be real it  
E  
Feels so good, feels so good

### VS3

(E) A  
Well I never been to heaven  
E  
But I've been to Oklahoma  
A  
Well they tell me I was born there  
E  
But I really don't remember  
B7 A  
In Oklahoma, not Arizona  
E  
What does it matter,  
What does it matter

### Solo:

//: A / A / E / E ://  
/ B / A / E / E /

[Repeat **VS1**, **VS3**]

### Solo (same)

# Peaceful, Easy Feeling - in D

(Revised 10/06/12)

## The Eagles

Intro: (4x)  
//: D G ://

Verse 1: D G D G  
I like the way your sparklin' earrings lay  
D G A7  
against your skin so brown  
D G D G  
and I want to sleep with you in the desert tonight  
D G A7  
with a billion stars all around

Chorus: G D  
'cause I got a peaceful, easy feelin'  
G A7  
and I know you won't let me down  
D Em G A7  
'cause I'm a \_\_\_\_\_lready standin'  
//: D Dsus4 ://  
on the ground

Verse 2: D G D G  
And I found out a long time ago  
D G A7  
what a woman can do to your soul  
D G D G  
Ah, but she can't take you any way  
D G A7  
you don't already know how to go.

Chorus: G D  
'cause I got a peaceful, easy feelin'  
G A7  
and I know you won't let me down  
D Em G A7  
'cause I'm a \_\_\_\_\_lready standin'  
//: D Dsus4 ://  
on the ground

## Peaceful, Easy Feeling (cont)

SOLOS

Verse   //: D G / D G / D G / A7 ://

Chorus   / G / D / G / A7 / D Em / G A7 /

Verse 3:       D                   G                   D       G  
          I get this feeling I may know you  
          D       G                   A7  
          as a lover and a friend  
          D                                   G                   D                   G  
          but this voice keeps whispering in my other ear  
                  D                   G                   A7  
          tells me I may never see you again

Chorus:       G                   D  
          'cause I got a peaceful, easy feelin'  
          G                                   A7  
          and I know you won't let me down  
                  D Em                   G       A7  
          'cause I'm a\_\_\_\_lready standin'  
                  D Em                   G       A7  
          I'm a\_\_\_\_lready standin'  
                  D Em                   G       A7  
          Yes I'm a\_\_\_\_lready standin'  
                  / D Em / G A7 /  
          on the ground       (ooh)

Outro:   //: D Em / G A7 ://   D\_\_\_\_ /  
          (woah-wo)       (woooo)

## Susie Q by Creedence Clearwater Revival 11/29/12

### [Intro]

||: E :|| (x8)

### [Verse 1]

                  E  
Oh Susie Q,      oh Susie Q  
                  A                   C7      B7      E  
Oh Susie Q, baby I love you, Susie Q

### [Verse 2]

                  E  
I like the way you walk, I like the way you talk  
                  A                   C7      B7      E  
I like the way you walk, I like the way you talk, Susie Q

### [solo]

||: E | E | E | E | A | C7 B7 | E | E :|| ( 2 verse patterns)

||: E :|| (x8)

### [Verse 3]

                  E  
Say that you'll be true, say that you'll be true  
                  A                   C7      B7      E  
Say that you'll be true and never leave me blue, Susie Q

### [Verse 4]

                  E  
Say that you'll be mine, say that you'll be mine  
                  A                   C7      B7      E  
Say that you'll be mine, baby, all the time, Susie Q

### [solos]

||: E :|| (x28)

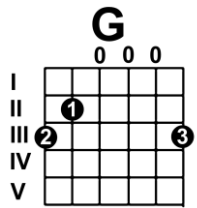
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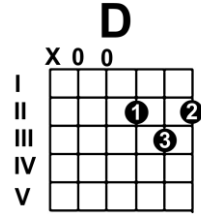
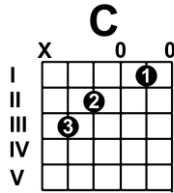
### [Outro]

||: E :|| (and fade)



# Three Little Birds (Revised 10/29/12)

## Bob Marley



### CAPO FRET 2

#### Chorus:

G  
 Don't worry about a thing,  
 C  
 'Cause every little thing gonna be alright.  
 G  
 Singin': "Don't worry about a thing,  
 C  
 'Cause every little thing gonna be alright!"

G  
 Rise up this mornin',  
 D  
 Smiled with the risin' sun,  
 G  
 Three little birds  
 C  
 Pitch by my doorstep  
 G  
 Singin' sweet songs  
 D  
 Of melodies pure and true,  
 C  
 Sayin', "This is my message to you - ou-ou:"

**Chorus:** G  
 Singin': "Don't worry 'bout a thing,  
 C  
 'Cause every little thing gonna be alright."

**Chorus:** G  
 Singin': "Don't worry (don't worry) 'bout a thing,  
 C  
 'Cause every little thing gonna be alright!"

G  
 Rise up this mornin',  
 D  
 Smiled with the risin' sun,

G  
 Three little birds  
 C  
 Pitch by my doorstep  
 G  
 Singin' sweet songs  
 D  
 Of melodies pure and true,  
 C  
 Sayin' "This is my message to you-u-u:"

#### [5 Choruses follow]

G  
 Singin': "Don't worry about a thing,  
 (worry about a thing, oh!)  
 C  
 Every little thing gonna be alright."  
 (Don't worry!)

G  
 Singin': "Don't worry about a thing  
 (I won't worry!)  
 C  
 'Cause every little thing gonna be alright."

G  
 Singin': "Don't worry about a thing,  
 C  
 'Cause every little thing gonna be alright"  
 ( I won't worry!)

G  
 Singin': "Don't worry 'bout a thing,  
 C  
 'Cause every little thing gonna be alright."

G  
 Singin': "Don't worry 'bout a thing,  
 C  
 'Cause every little thing gonna be alright."