

Margaritaville

Jimmy Buffett, 1976. Ukulele arrangement Austin Ukulele Society, 2012.

Intro

4 beats per chord: C C F C

Verse 1

C

♪ Nibblin' on sponge cake, ♪ watchin' the sun bake

G7

All of those tourists covered with oil

G7

♪ Strummin' my four-string, ♪ on my front porch swing

C C7

Smell those shrimp, they're beginnin' to boil.

Chorus

F G7 C C7

♪ Wastin' a-way again in Marga-ritaville

F G7 C C7

♪ Searching for my ♪ lost shaker of salt

F G7 C G7 F [hold]

♪ Some people claim that there's a wo-man to blame

G7

C

But I know, ♪ it's nobody's fault.

Verse 2

C

♪ I don't know the reason ♪ I stayed here all season

G7

Nothin' to show but this brand new tat-too

G7

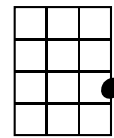
♪ But it's a real beauty, ♪ a Mexican cutie

C C7

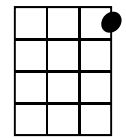
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Chords in this song

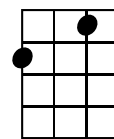
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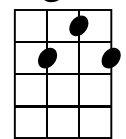
C7



F



G7



♪ = *Pause or take a breath*

[hold] = *Strum the chord once and let it ring*

Repeat Chorus, replace last line:

G7

C

Now I think, ♪ hell it could be my fault.

Verse 3

C

♪ I blew out my flip-flop, ♪ stepped on a pop-top

G7

Cut my heel had to cruise on back home

G7

♪ But there's booze in the blender, ♪ and soon it will render

C C7

That frozen concoction that helps me hang on.

Repeat Chorus

F

G7

C

C7

♪ Wastin' a-way again in Marga-ritaville

F

G7

C

C7

♪ Searching for my ♪ lost shaker of salt

F

G7

C

G7

F [hold]

♪ Some people claim that there's a wo-man to blame

G7

C

But I know, ♪ it's my own damned fault.

Repeat

F

G7

C

G7

F [hold]

♪ Some people claim that there's a wo-man to blame

G7

But I know, ♪ it's my own damned...

Ending, 4 beats per chord:

C

C

F

C [hold]

fault.