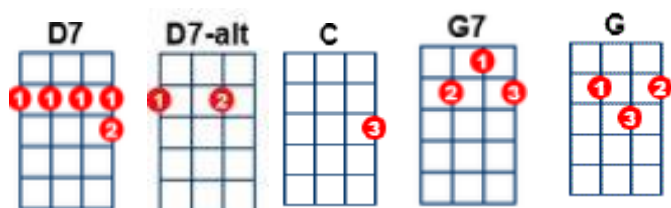


Folsom Prison Blues

Johnny Cash



Intro : [G] x 4 In after 3rd beat of last chord

Strum Du du Du du

I [G] hear the train a comin' , it's rolling round the bend

And I ain't seen the sunshine since [G7] I don't know when

I'm [C] stuck in Folsom prison ... and time keeps draggin' [G] on [G] 2+2

But that [D7] train keeps a rollin' ... on down to San An-[G]ton [G] 3+1

When [G] I was just a baby my mama told me son

Always be a good boy, don't [G7] ever play with guns

But I [C] shot a man in Reno ... just to watch him [G] die [G] 2+2

When I [D7] hear that whistle blowing ... I hang my head and [G] cry [G] 3+1

I [G] bet there's rich folks eating in a fancy dining car

They're probably drinkin' coffee and [G7] smoking big cigars

Well I [C] know I had it coming ... I know I can't be [G] free [G] 2+2

But those [D7] people keep a movin' ... and that's what tortures [G] me [G] 3+1

Well [G] if they'd free me from this prison, if that railroad train was mine

I bet I'd move on over a little [G7] further down the line

[C] Far from Folsom prison ... that's where I want to [G] stay [G] 2+2

And I'd [D7] let that lonesome whistle ... blow my blues a-[G]way [G] 3+1

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But that [D7] train keeps a rollin' ... on down to San An-[G]ton [G] 3+1

Slowing:

But that [D7] train keeps a rollin' ... on down to San An-[G]ton [G] [G] G/