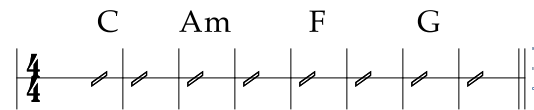


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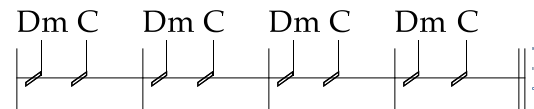
Joni Mitchell
Blue (1971)
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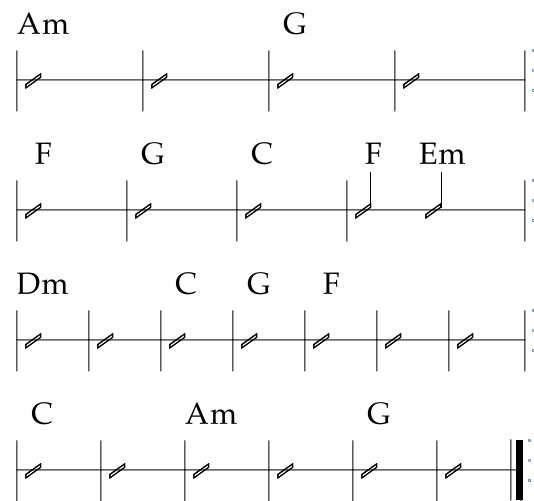
Intro/Outro



Verse



Chorus



Dm/C C
It's coming on Christmas,
Dm/C C
they're cutting down trees,
Dm/C C
they're putting up reindeer,
Dm/C C
and singing songs of joy and peace

CHORUS (1st 2 lines only)

Dm/C C
But it don't snow here
Dm/C C
It stays pretty green
Dm/C C
I'm going to make a lot of money
Dm/C C
Then I'm going to quit this crazy scene

Am
I wish I had a river
G
I could skate away on
F G
I wish I had a river so long
C F Em Dm
I would teach my feet to fly
C
Oh, I wish I had a river
G F
I could skate away on
C Am G
I made my baby cry

Dm/C C
He tried hard to help me,
Dm/C C
you know, he put me at ease
Dm/C C
and he loved me so naughty,
Dm/C C
made me weak in the knees

CHORUS (1st 2 lines only)

Dm/C C
I'm so hard to handle,
Dm/C C
I'm selfish and I'm sad,
Dm/C C
now I've gone and lost the best baby
Dm/C C
that I ever had



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CHORUS (baby say goodbye)

Dm/C C
 It's coming on christmas
 Dm/C C
 they're cutting down trees
 Dm/C C
 they're putting up reindeer
 Dm/C C
 and singing songs of joy and peace

C	G	Dm	Am	F
3 2 1 1	3 1 2 1	3 1 1 1	3 2 4 1	2 3 4 1

CHORUS (1st 2 lines only)



Intro/Outro

C	Am	F	G
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