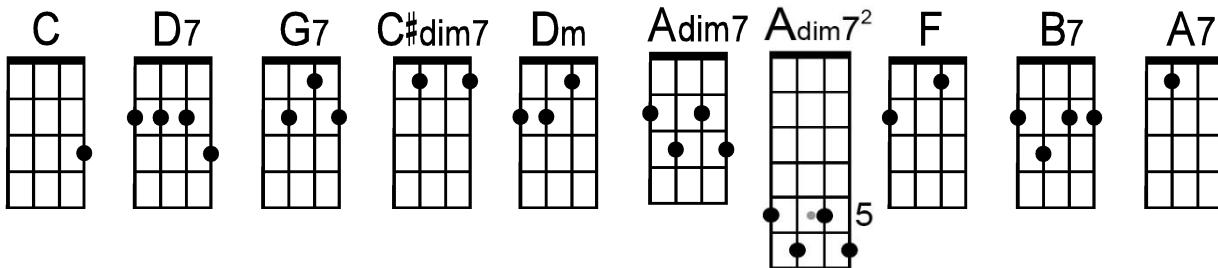


I Like Ukuleles

by Joe Brown



(sing g)

|C . . . | D7 . . .

Oh, I like uku-leles they always make you smile—

| G7 . . . | C C#dim7 Dm G7

What-ever trouble comes your way, it'll be O-K in a little while

| C . . . | D7 . . .

Just plick a little tune now, it's easy if you try—

| G7 . . . |

Just a couple of chords and a flick of the wrist

Adim7\\ \\ (slide) Adim7^(2)\\ \\ | G7 . . C

----- and you start to wonder why

. . | F . . . | C . . .

You've never tried this— be-fore— It'll open— a door—

| D7 . . . | G7\ D7\ G7\ ---

To something that you thought you couldn't do

| F . . C . | F . . C .

And take it— from me— that little jumping flea—

| D7 . . . | G7\ D7\ G7\

Will cheer you up and chase a-way your blues

--- | C . . . | B7 . . C . . |

Chorus: So, give me a uke I want a u—ku—le—le

A7 . . . | Dm . . A7 Dm |

It speaks to me saying please, please play me

G7 . . . | C . . A7 . . |

All through the day— and all on my own. I'll be

D7 . . . | G7\ D7\ G7 .

Strumming a—way 'til the cows come home—

| C . . . | D7 . . .

So play your uku—lele. Don't keep it to your-self—

| G7 . . . | C . . C#dim7 . . Dm G7

Your moans and groans will fade a-way. They should stick'em on the national health

| C . . . | D7 . . .

I love my uku—lele. It's always been a friend—

| G7 . . . | . . . C . . |

I'll hold it tight and keep it close, right to the very end—

Instr: A-F-5s/3-0-3-3s/5-3-0 | C- . . . | D7- . . . | G7\ D7\ G7\ |

E-5s/3-0-3-3s/5-3-0 | 9-9-7-7-5-5-3-3-2-3-0-2-3 |

C- |

G- |

Chorus: --- | C- . . . | B7- . . . | C- . . . |

A7- . . . | Dm- . . . | A7- Dm- |

It speaks to me saying please, please play me

G7- . . . | C- . . . | A7- . . . |

All through the day— and all on my own. I'll be

D7- . . . | G7\ D7\ G7- . . . |

Strumming a—way 'til the cows come home—

Outro: A-C-3-2-0 | D7- . . . | G- . . . | . . . | C\ G7\ C\ |

E-3-0-0-2 | 0-3-2-2-0-3 | 2-2-0-3-3-3 | 0-2-3-2-3 |

C- |

G- |

A_{dim}7\|\| (slide) A_{dim}7⁽²⁾\|\| | G7- . . . | C\ G7\ C\ |

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