

Father And Son by Cat Stevens (Yusuf Islam)

Key: G

Capo: no capo

[Intro]

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      G      C              G      C
e|-----3-----3-----5-----| |-----3-----|
B|-0--0-0-0h1-----| |-----0-0-0-0h1-----|
G|-0--0-0-0-----5-----5-----| |-----0-0-0-0-----|
D|-0--0-0-0h2-----| x3, |-----0-0-0-0h2-----|
A|-x--x--x-----| |-----x--x--x-----|
E|-3--3--3-----| |-----3--3--3-----|
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[Verse 1]

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      G      D      C      Am
It's not time to make a change, just relax and take it easy
      G      Em      Am      D
You're still young, that's your fault, there's so much you have to know
      G      D      C      Am
Find a girl, settle down, if you want to, you can marry
      G      Em      Am      D
Look at me, I am old, but I'm happy
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      G      D      C      Am
I was once like you are now, and I know that it's not easy
      G      Em      Am      D
To be calm when you've found something going on
      G      D      C      Am
But take your time, think a lot, why, think of everything you've got
      G      Em      D      (G)
For you will still be here tomorrow, but your dreams may not
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      G      C              G      C
e|-----3-----3-----5-----| |-----3-----|
B|-0--0-0-0h1-----| |-----0-0-0-0h1-----|
G|-0--0-0-0-----5-----5-----| |-----0-0-0-0-----|
D|-0--0-0-0h2-----| |-----0-0-0-0h2-----|
A|-x--x--x-----| |-----x--x--x-----|
E|-3--3--3-----| |-----3--3--3-----|
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[Verse 2]

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      G      Bm      C      Am
How can I try to explain? 'cause when I do he turns away again
      G      Em      Am      D
It's always been the same, same old story
      G      Bm      C      Am
From the moment I could talk I was ordered to listen
      G      Em      D      G
Now there's a way, and I know that I have to go away
      D      C      (G)
I know I have to go
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      G      C
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e|-----3-----3----5----|
B|-0--0-0-0h1-----|
G|-0--0-0-0-----5----5----|
D|-0--0-0-0h2-----| x2
A|-x--x--x-----|
E|-3--3--3-----|

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[Solo]

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G    D    C    Am
G    Em   Am   D
G    D    C    Am
G    Em   D    G
D    C
G    C    x2

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[Verse 3]

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      G          D          C          Am
It's not time to make a change, just sit down and take it slowly
  (Away,          away,          away)

      G          Em          Am          D
You're still young, that's your fault, there's so much you have to go through
  (I          know          I have to make
...)

      G          D          C          Am
  Find a girl, settle down, if you want, you can marry
  ( ... this decision          alone ...)

      G          Em          Am          D
Look at me, I am old, but I'm happy
  (No ...)

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[Verse 4]

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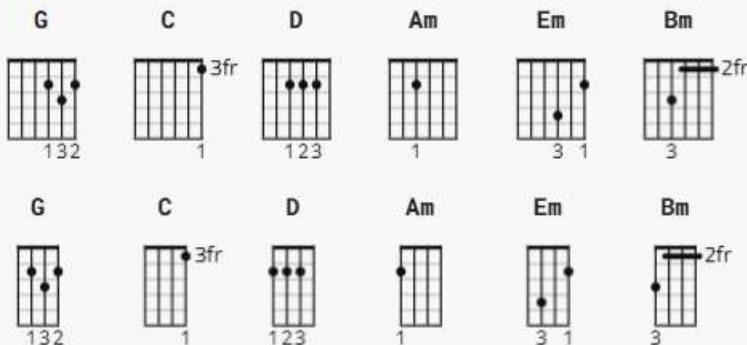
      G          Bm          C          Am
All the times that I've cried, keeping all the things I knew inside
  (Stay,          stay,          stay)

      G          Em          Am          D
It's hard, but it's harder to ignore it
  (Why          must          you go          and make ...)

      G          Bm          C          Am
If they were right, I'd agree, but it's them they know, not me
  ( ... this decision          alone ...)

      G          Em          D          G
Now there's a way, and I know that I have to go away
D    C    G
I know I have to go

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Strumming:

Intro
G C
D-DuD-

Verse
D-D-D-D
D-duduD-dudu
D-DduD-Ddu