

Margaritaville

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Difficulty: beginner

Tuning: [E A D G B E](#)

Key: D

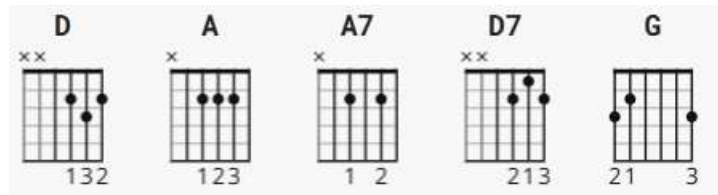
Capo: No Capo

Timing: 4/4

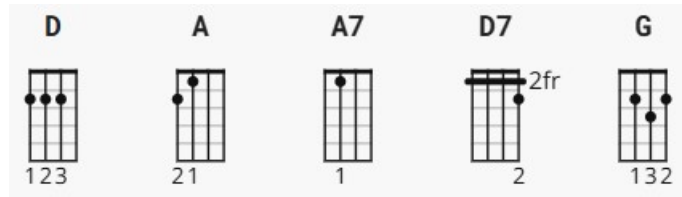
Beat 125

Chords

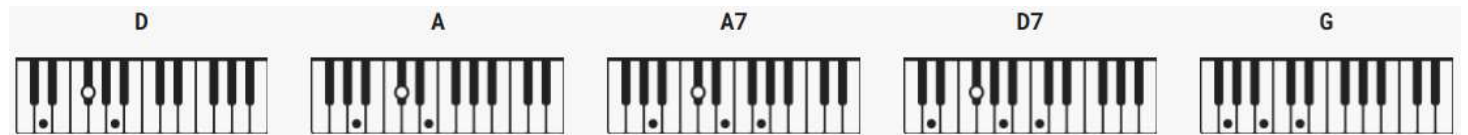
Guitar



Ukulele



Piano



Strumming

Verse/Chorus

D-D-D-D-

D-Du-uDu

[Intro]

D **G** **A** **D/** **D**
 e | -5-5-5-3-5--5-5-5-3-5--7-7-7-5-3-2--- |
 B | -7-7-7-5-7--7-7-7-5-7--8-8-8-7-5-3--- |
 G | -----2--- |
 D | ----- |
 A | ----- |
 E | ----- |

[Verse]

D **D** **D** **D**
 Nibblin' on sponge cake, Watchin' the sun bake
D **D** **A** **A**
 All of those tourists covered with oil
A **A** **A** **A**
 Strummin' my six-string, On my front porch swing
A7 **A7** **D** **D7**
 Smell those shrimp they're beginnin' to boil

[Chorus]

G **A** **D** **D7**
 Wastin' away again in Margaritaville,
G **A** **D** **D7**
 Searchin' for my lost shaker of salt
G **A** | **D/** **A/** | **G/** |
 Some people claim that there's a woman to blame,
A **A** **D** **D**
 But I know, it's nobody's fault

[Verse]

D **D** **D** **D**
 Don't know the reason, Stayed here all season
D **D** **A** **A**
 Nothin' to show but this brand-new tattoo
A **A** **A** **A**
 But it's a real beauty, A Mexican cutie
A7 **A7** **D** **D7**
 How it got here, I haven't a clue

[Chorus]

G A D D7
 Wastin' away again in Margaritaville,
 G A D D7
 Searchin' for my lost shaker of salt
 G A | D/ A/ | G/ |
 Some people claim that there's a woman to blame,
 A A D D
 Now I think, hell, it could be my fault

[Instrumental]

D D D A A A D
 G A D A G A D

[Verse]

D D D D
 I blew out my flip flop, Stepped on a pop top
 D D A A
 Cut my heel, had to cruise on back home
 A A A A
 But there's booze in the blender, And soon it will render
 A7 A7 D D7
 That frozen concoction that helps me hang on

[Chorus]

G A D D7
 Wastin' away again in Margaritaville,
 G A D D7
 Searchin' for my lost shaker of salt
 G A | D/ A/ | G/ |
 Some people claim that there's a woman to blame,
 | A A D D7
 But I know, it's my own damn fault Yes, and
 G A | D/ A/ | G/ |
 Some people claim that there's a woman to blame,
 | A A D
 And I know, it's my own damn fault

[Outro]

G A D/