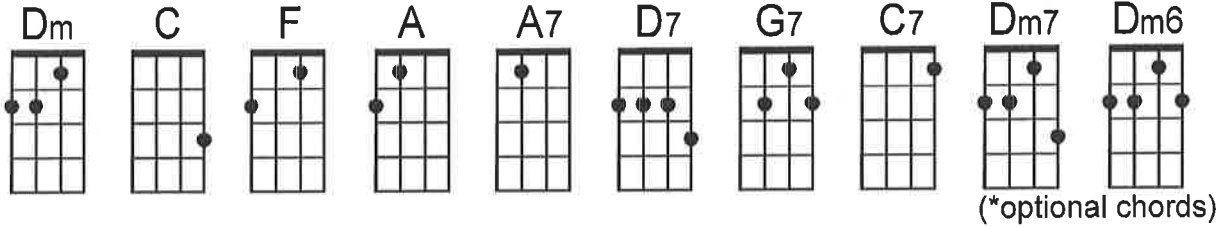


Sunny Afternoon

by Ray Davies (The Kinks)



Opening riff played on E string: E--10--10--8--8--7--7--6--6--5--5--3--3--1--1--0--0

Dm C F A A7 D7 G7 C7 Dm7 Dm6
 The tax man's taken all my dough, and left me in my stately home, Lazing on a sunny after-noon.
 C F C A A7 Dm
 And I can't sail my yacht, he's taken every-thing I got, All I got's this sunny after-noon.

D7 G7
 Save me, save me, save me from this squeeze.
 C7 F A7
 I've got a big fat momma, trying to break me
 Dm G7 Dm G7
 And I love to live so pleasantly, live this life of luxury
 F A Dm,(Dm7*,Dm6*), A7
 Lazing on a sunny after-noon...
 Dm,(Dm7*,Dm6*), A7 Dm,(Dm7*,Dm6*), A7 Dm,(Dm7*,Dm6*), A7
 in the summertime.... in the summertime.... in the summertime

Dm C F C A A7 Dm
 My girlfriend's run off with my car, and gone back to her ma and pa, telling tales of drunkenness and cruelty.
 C F C A A7 Dm
 Now I'm sitting here, sipping at my ice-cold beer, lazing on a sunny afternoon.

D7 G7
 Help me, help me, help me sail a-way.
 C7 F A7
 Well, give me two good reasons why I ought to stay.
 Dm G7 Dm G7
 'Cuz I love to live so pleasantly, live this life of luxury
 F A Dm,(Dm7*,Dm6*), A7
 Lazing on a sunny afternoon
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Ending riff(fade out): A-----5-----5-----5-----5-----
 E-----5-----5-----5-----
 C—2-----2-----
 G-----