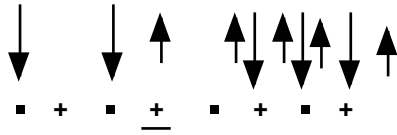


Son of a Preacher Man- Dusty Springfield



N.B. when there are two chords in a bar they change on the 1st up stroke

(Intro and bridge riff)

Verse

D | G / D /

Billy-Ray was a preacher's son, and when his daddy would visit he'd come along

D | A [G]

When they gathered around and started talkin'. That's when Billy would take me walkin'

A [G] | A [G]

Out through the back yard we'd go walkin'. Then he'd look into my eyes

A ||

Lord knows to my surprise.

Chorus

D | G / D /

The only one who could ever reach me, was the son of a preacher man.

D | G / D /

The only boy who could ever teach me, was the son of a preacher man. Yes he

D / A / | G | D / / / | D / / / /

was, he was, oh yes he was. (Intro riff once only)

Verse 2

D | G / D /

Bein' good isn't always easy, no matter how hard I try

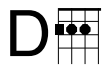
D | A [G]

When he started sweet-talkin' to me He'd come and tell me everything is alright

A [G] | A

He'd kiss and tell me everything is alright Can I get away again tonight?

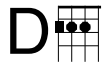
Chorus



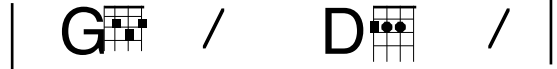
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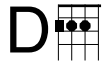
was the son of a preacher man.



The only boy who could ever teach me,



was the son of a preacher man. Yes he



was,



he was,



oh yes he



was.

Bridge



How well I remember



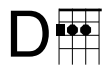
The look that was in his eyes, stealin' kisses from me on the sly



Takin' time to make time.



Tellin' me that he's all mine.



Learnin' from each other's knowin',



lookin' to see how much we're growin'. The...

Chorus



only one who could ever reach me,



was the son of a preacher man.



The only one who could ever reach me,



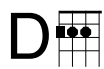
was the son of a preacher man. Yes he



was,



he was,



oh yes he



was.

x4



was the son of a preacher man.

The only one who could ever reach me, he was the sweet talkin' son of a preacher man.
 The only boy who could ever teach me I guess he was the son of a preacher man.
 The only one who could ever move me, was the son of a preacher man
 The only one who could ever groove me, was the son of a preacher man

Fade to finish...or



(Yes he) was,



he was,



oh yes he



was.