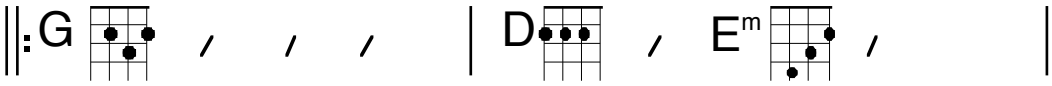
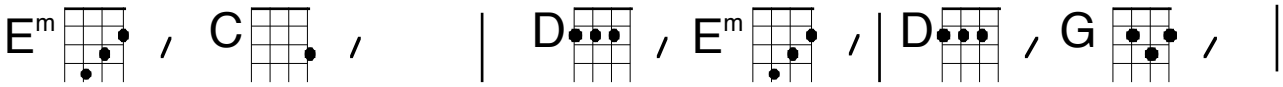
The Swimming Song - Loudon Wainwright

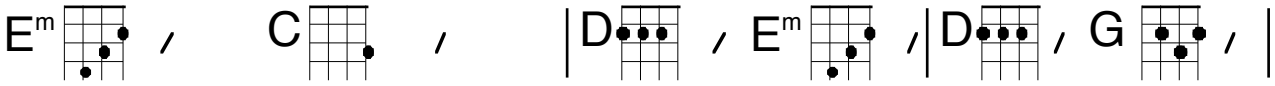


This summer I went swimming, this summer I might've drowned, but I
This summer I did the backstroke and you know that that's not all. I did the



held my breath, I kicked my feet and I moved my arms around, I moved my arms around. This
breaststroke, and the butterfly and the old Australian crawl, the old Australian crawl. This

summer I swam in the ocean and I swam in a the swimming pool
summer I swam in a public place and a reservoir to boot. At the



Salted my wounds, chlorined my eyes I'm a self destructive fool, a self destructive fool
latter I was informal at the former I wore my suit, I wore my swimming suit.

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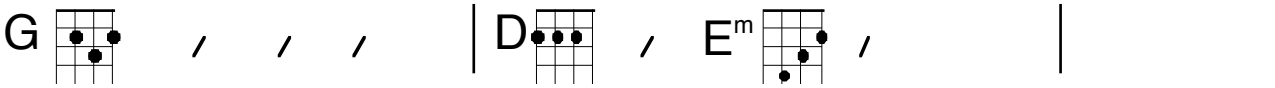

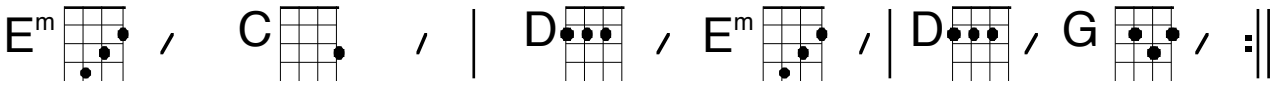

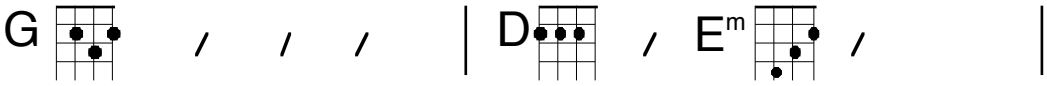

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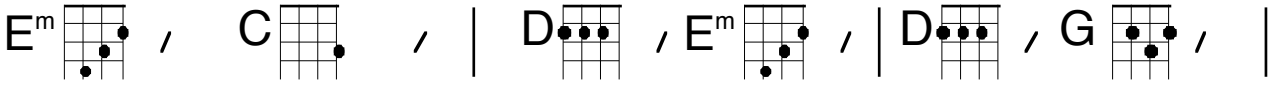
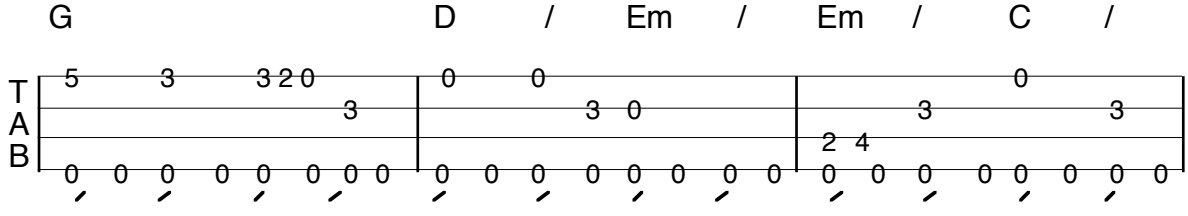
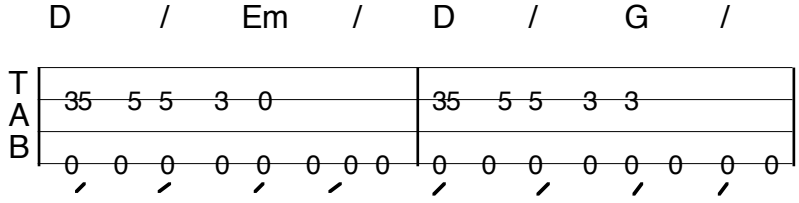


once when you weren't looking I did a cannon-ball, I did a cannon-ball

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