

Bad Moon Rising

John Fogerty, 1969. Ukulele arrangement Austin Ukulele Society, 2014.

Intro: 2 beats per chord

G G D C
G G G G

Verse 1

G D C G
I see a bad moon a-risin'
G D C G
I see ☺ trouble on the way
G D C G
I see ☺ earth-quakes and lightnin'
G D C G
I see ☺ bad times to-day

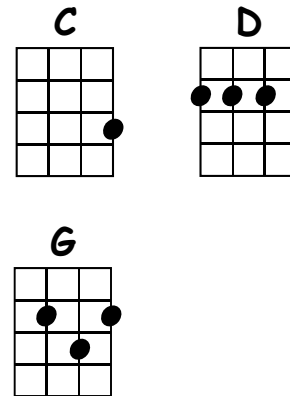
Chorus

C
Don't go around tonight
G
Well, it's bound to take your life
D C G
There's a bad moon on the rise

Verse 2

G D C G
I hear ☺ hurri-canes a-blowin'
G D C G
I know the end is comin' soon
G D C G
I fear ☺ rivers over-flowin'
G D C G
I hear the voice of rage and ruin

Chords in this song



☺ = Take a breath

[hold] = Strum the chord once and let it ring

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Chorus, play twice

C

Don't go around tonight

G

Well, it's bound to take your life

D C G

There's a bad moon on the rise

Instrumental: 2 beats per chord, play twice

G G D C

G G G G

Verse 3

G D C G

Hope you have got your things to-gether

G D C G

Hope you are quite pre-pared to die

G D C G

Looks like we're in for nasty weather

G D C G

One eye is taken for an eye

Chorus

C

Don't go around tonight

G

Well, it's bound to take your life

D C G

There's a bad moon on the rise

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Repeat Chorus and Ending

C *[hold]*

Don't go around tonight

G *[hold]*

Well, it's bound to take your life

[resume strumming]

D **C** **G**

There's a bad moon on the rise

D **C** **G**

There's a bad moon on the rise

D **C** **G**

There's a bad moon on the rise

2 beats per chord

G **G** **D** **C** **G** *[hold]*