

## VIDEO KILLED THE RADIO STAR

### INTRO (Pick each string slowly, let ring):

F T - 1 - 2 - 3  
C T - 1 - 2 - 3  
Dm T - 1 - 2 - 3  
G ↓

### VERSE ONE:

Pinch chords for Verses and Bridge

**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
I heard you on the wireless back in Fifty-Two  
**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
Lying awake intent at tuning in on you  
**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
If I was young it didn't stop you coming through  
**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
(Ow-A-ow)

### VERSE TWO:

**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
They took the credit for your second symphony  
**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
Rewritten by machine and new technology  
**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
And now I understand the problems you can see

### BRIDGE:

**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
(Ow-a-ow-a) I met your children  
**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
(Ow-a-ow-a) What did you tell them?

### CHORUS ONE:

**C F** Strum Pattern for C & F - Calypso  
Video killed the radio star  
**C F**  
Video killed the radio star  
**C G F** Strum Pattern for C & G - 2 Down Strums  
Pictures came and broke your heart F - Calypso  
**G Am** Strum Pattern for G & Am - Calypso  
Ow-A-A-A-ow

**VERSE THREE:**

Pinch chords for Verse

**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
 And now we meet in an abandoned studio

**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
 We hear the playback and it seems so long ago

**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
 And you remember... the jingles used to go

**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
 (Ow-a-ow-a) You were the first one

**C Dm Gsus4 G**  
 (Ow-a-ow-a) You were the last one

**CHORUS TWO:**

Strum Pattern for C & F - Calypso

**C F**  
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**C F**  
 Video killed the radio star

**C G F**  
 In my mind and in my car

Strum Pattern for C & G - Down Strums  
F - Calypso

**C G F**  
 We can't rewind we've gone too far

**G Am**  
 Ow-A-A-A-ow

**G Am**  
 Ow-A-A-A-ow

**SOLO:**

<b>Dm</b>	T-1-2	<b>G</b>	T-1-2	<b>C</b>	T-1-2	<b>F</b> ↓
<b>Dm</b>	T-1-2	<b>G</b>	T-1-2	<b>C</b>	T-1-2	<b>F</b> ↓
<b>Dm</b>	T-1-2	<b>G</b>	T-1-2	<b>E</b>	T-1-2	<b>Am</b> ↓

**F** T-1-2-3  
**C** T-1-2-3  
**Dm** T-1-2-3

**G Am F Am F - G**  
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**CHORUS:**

**C** **F**  
Video killed the radio star

Strum Pattern for C & F - Calypso

**C** **F**  
Video killed the radio star

**C** **G** **F**  
In my mind and in my car

Strum Pattern for C & G - Down Strums  
F - Calypso

**C** **G** **F**  
We can't rewind we've gone too far

**C** **G** **F**  
Pictures came and broke your heart,

**C** **G** **F** ↓  
Put the blame on V C R

**BRIDGE**

**C** **Dm** **Gsus4** **G** **C** **Dm** **Gsus4** **G**  
You a-----re a radio sta-ah-ah-ah-ah-ah-ar

**C** **Dm** **Gsus4** **G** **C** **Dm** **Gsus4** **G**  
You a-----re a radio sta-ah-ah-ah-ah-ah-ar

**CHORUS (Fade to end):**

**C** **F**  
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**C** **F**  
Video killed the radio star

**C** **F**  
Video killed the radio star

**C** **F**  
Video killed the radio star