**The Joy of Uke**

**Online Course Outline**

[**www.captn-uke.com**](https://captn-uke.com/lessons#29db541f-9209-466b-8ab2-b4af64a5aecd)

Introduction to the Ukulele

Need a ukulele? Watch these videos:

 [Buying A Uke! - *Aloha Maine*](https://vimeo.com/358537777)

 [Buying A Uke! - *Buckdancer’s Choice Musical Supply*](https://vimeo.com/358539784)

Let’s get started! Watch these videos:

 [Video 1: *Learning your way around a ukulele*](https://vimeo.com/358151579)

 [Video 2: *Tuning your uke*](https://vimeo.com/358155640)

LESSON ONE

Strum that uke! Watch this video:

 [*Rock & Swing Strums Demonstrated*](https://vimeo.com/360873482)

Playing your first one chord song. Watch this video:

 [*Lime In The Coconut*](https://vimeo.com/358679523)

[Download](https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/a62796b2-b81b-4ff0-9f27-4e08175d2e08/downloads/20190908_152420.pdf?ver=1582157937103) sheet music.

 You can also play along with this [video](https://captn-uke.com/lessons#29db541f-9209-466b-8ab2-b4af64a5aecd) on my website!

The Shift Move - C to G7. Watch these videos:

 [Jambalaya - Intro to the C to G7 Shift](https://vimeo.com/358687405)

 [Download all sheet music](https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/a62796b2-b81b-4ff0-9f27-4e08175d2e08/downloads/20190908_152420.pdf?ver=1582157937103)

Once you get the C to G7 shift down, try this great Chuck Berry tune!

 “Never Can Tell” (Play along with the [video](https://captn-uke.com/lessons#29db541f-9209-466b-8ab2-b4af64a5aecd) on my website)

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Now you’re ready to play the other tunes contained in your downloaded music:

 Clementine

 Singing In The Rain

LESSON TWO

The F to C7 Shift Move. Watch these videos:

 [*Achy Breaky Heart*](https://vimeo.com/362109483)

 [*Blowin’ In The Wind*](https://vimeo.com/362434369)

 [*Act Naturally*](https://vimeo.com/362378959)

 [*Folsom Prison Blues*](https://vimeo.com/362438516)

 [Download](https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/a62796b2-b81b-4ff0-9f27-4e08175d2e08/downloads/Achy%20Breaky%20Heart%20RSU14%20Fall%2019%20Wk2%20.pdf?ver=1582157937103) all LESSON 2 sheet music.

The C-Am-F-G7-C Chord Progression. Watch this videos:

 Octopus’s Garden (To Be Filmed)

Now you’re ready to play these tunes all containing the same C-Am-G7-C chord progression:

 All I Have To Do Is Dream

 Runaround Sue

LESSON THREE

Adding new chords; D, D7, and Em (minor). Watch these videos:

 [*Say That You Love Me*](https://vimeo.com/365987959)

[*Sloop John B*](https://vimeo.com/365990400)

[*Proud Mary*](https://vimeo.com/365993678)

 [Download](https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/a62796b2-b81b-4ff0-9f27-4e08175d2e08/downloads/Lesson%203%20-%20Week%204%20Song%20PDF%20copy.pdf?ver=1582157937103) all LESSON 3 sheet music.

LESSON FOUR

Adding new chords; Gm7, F7, and Bb (flat). Watch these videos:

[*Evil Ways*](https://vimeo.com/367078193) - Santana

[*Man of Constant Sorrows*](https://vimeo.com/367098958) - Soggy Bottom Boys, from the movie “O Brother,

 Where Art Thou?”

[*Long Black Veil*](https://vimeo.com/367105091) - Lefty Frizzell, also Johnny Cash

[*Sunshine On My Shoulder*](https://vimeo.com/367110580) - John Denver

[*Peggy Sue*](https://vimeo.com/367116423) - Buddy Holly & the Crickets

Happy strumming!

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