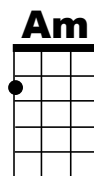


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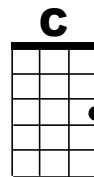
Wayne Carson Thompson, recorded by the Boxtops, 1967

## INTRO: E7 (8 strums)

**Am** **F** **G** **D7**  
 Gimme a ticket for an aeroplane. Ain't got time to take a fast train.  
**Am** **F** **E7** **Am(4)**  
 Lonely days are gone, I'm a-goin' home. My baby, just-a wrote me a letter.

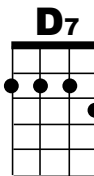


**Am** **F** **G** **D7**  
 I don't care how much money I gotta spend. Got to get back to my baby again.  
**Am** **F** **E7** **Am(8)**  
 Lonely days are gone, I'm a-goin' home. My baby, just-a wrote me a letter.

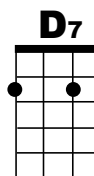


## CHORUS:

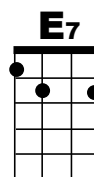
**C** **G** **F** **C** **G** **G**  
 Well, she wrote me a letter, said she couldn't live without me no more.  
**C** **G** **F** **C** **G**  
 Listen mister, can't you see I got to get back to my baby once-a more...  
**E7(1)**  
 Anyway, yeah....



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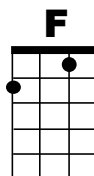


**Am** **F** **G** **D7**  
 Gimme a ticket for an aeroplane. Ain't got time to take a fast train.  
**Am** **F** **E7** **Am**  
 Lonely days are gone, I'm a-goin' home. My baby, just-a wrote me a letter.

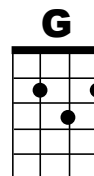


## CHORUS:

**C** **G** **F** **C** **G** **G**  
 Well, she wrote me a letter, said she couldn't live without me no more.  
**C** **G** **F** **C** **G** **G**  
 Listen mister, can't you see I got to get back to my baby once-a more...  
**E7(1)**  
 Anyway, yeah.....



**Am** **F** **G** **D7**  
 Gimme a ticket for an aeroplane. Ain't got time to take a fast train.  
**Am** **F** **E7** **Am**  
 Lonely days are gone, I'm a-goin' home. My baby, just-a wrote me a letter.  
**E7** **Am(4)**  
 My baby just-a wrote me a letter.



## ENDING CHORUS:

**C(1)** **G(1)**  
 Oo---oo  
**F(1)** **C(1)** **G(1)** **G(1)**  
 Oo---oo---oo---oo  
**C(1)** **G(1)**  
 Oo---oo  
**F(1)** **C(1)** **G** **E7(1 & pause)** **Am(1)**  
 Oo---oo---oo---oo-----Anyway, yeah