

Rhythm of the Rain

Written by John C. Gummo, 1962. First performed by The Cascades, many artists have covered this song including Lawrence Welk, Bobby Darin, Dan Fogelberg, Jan & Dean, Neil Sedaka and Jerry Jeff Walker and of course, The Everly Brothers.

Intro: first two lines of chords as if you were singing, but you are not!

G **C** **G** **D7**
Listen to the rhythm of the falling rain, telling me just what a fool I've been.
G **C** **G** **D7** **G**
I wish that it would go and let me cry in vain, and let me be a-lone a-gain.

G **C** **G** **D7**
The only girl I care about has gone away, lookin' for a brand new start.
G **C** **G** **D7** **G**
But little does she know that when she left that day, a-long with her she took my heart.

C **Bm**
Rain please tell me now does that seem fair
C **G**
For her to steal my heart away when she don't care?
Em **Am7** **D7**
I can't love another when my heart's somewhere far away.

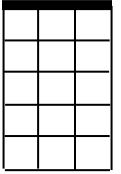
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C **Bm**
Rain won't you tell her that I love her so.
C **G**
Please ask the sun to set her heart aglow.
Em **Am7** **D7**
Rain in her heart and let the love we knew start to grow.

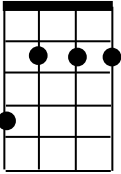
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G **Em**
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G **D7** **G**
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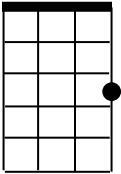
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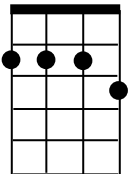
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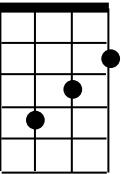
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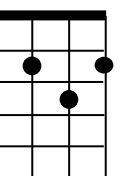
D7



Em



G



Sorry, gals, I couldn't do the her/him/(s)he thing. Let's just sing it as it was written!