### DANCING WITH THE SPIRIT SONG BOOK VOLUME 2 2022



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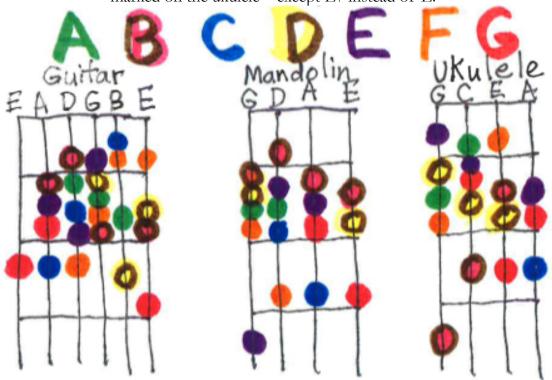
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## Dancing with the Spirit SONGBOOK INSTRUCTIONS

We hope you have lots of fun singing and playing the guitar, fiddle, ukulele, mandolin, banjo, and bass! Talk with students about instrument care – then let them try them! We have a color coded system. All the songs have colored chords above the words – and chords on instruments are marked with colored dots. The dots can be ordered from Mark-it Dots. We use the multi-colored full color 1/8" size. A=green; B=pink (and we add brown on the song sheet so you can distinguish pink from red); C=blue; D=yellow (and we add brown on the song sheets so you can see the yellow); E=purple; F=orange; and G=red. Check out our fiddle tab book which has more information for the fiddles – and can be used by mandolin players, too! We mark these chords on guitar and mandolin A, B7, C, D, E, F and G. The mandolin chords are simplified – and the same chords are marked on the ukulele – except E7 instead of E.



When students are just beginning, we just have them play one chord (the key the song is in) all through the song. We want them to be comfortable with their instrument, enjoy singing – and have fun! We play songs in different keys so students get used to putting their fingers on all the chords. Then we have them practice two-chord songs – sometimes waiting until everyone switches chords before going on to the next words of the song. Younger students may need you to help place their fingers on the chords the first day or two, but after that they can do it themselves. Have students count off (the speed the song should go) and then start together – and end together! It's great to count and sing in the local language – and helps students connect with elders. Tune instruments ahead of time – so students can jump right in and start playing. Electronic tuners make tuning fast and easy – and there are tuning videos at the end of the Vol. 1 fiddling videos. Practice lots! And at your concert SMILE, HAVE FUN, and SING LOUD!

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### 1. Amazing Grace - Koyukon (G)

by John Newton

	G C G
1.	Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
	That saved a wretch like me.
	I once was lost, but now am found  Em D C G
	was blind, but now I see.
	G C G
	Denaahuto' ne'ooze nezoonh D
	K'edo sawghee sa <u>ng</u> hkoon
	Seesaw nesyo noseenltaan koonh
	Em D C G Sukku neghoolyaagh ts'en
2.	G C G 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
2.	Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  D  And grace my fears relieved;
2.	Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
2.	Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  D  And grace my fears relieved;  G  C  G
2.	Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  D  And grace my fears relieved;  G  C  G  How precious did that grace appear,  Em  D  C  G
2.	Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  D  And grace my fears relieved;  G  C  G  How precious did that grace appear,  Em  D  C  G  The hour I first believed!
2.	Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  D  And grace my fears relieved;  G  C  G  How precious did that grace appear,  Em  D  C  G  The hour I first believed!  G  C  G  Hodee nek'aa destlaala denh,  D  yoo'oo huts'e noseenltaanh koonh
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## 2. Boil Them Cabbages (A)

Traditional

	A D
Chorus	s: Boil them cabbages down, boys.
	A E
	Bake them biscuits brown, boys
	A D
	Funniest song I ever did sing is
	$\mathbf{A}$ $\mathbf{E}$ $\mathbf{A}$
	Boil them cabbages down.
1	A D
1.	Raccoon has a bushy tail
	A E
	Possum's tail is bare  A  D
	Rabbit's got no tail at all  A E A
	But a little bunch of hair
	but a little bullett of flatt
	A <b>D</b>
2.	Raccoon and the possum
	A E
	Coming cross the prairie
	A D
	Raccoon said to the possum
	A E A
	Did she want to marry?
	A <b>D</b>
3	Raccoon up a 'simmon tree
<i>J</i> .	A E
	Possum on the ground
	A D
	Possum said to the raccoon
	A E A
	"Won't you shake them 'simmons down?"

#### 3. Can't Help Falling in Love (D)

by Hugo Peretti, Luigi Creatore, and George David Weiss as sung by Elvis Presley

Em A

Em A

#### D-A-Bm-D-A

Fm

G D A GA Bm G

Wise men say only fools rush in, But I can't help falling in love with you 1. D Fm Bm G A Bm G  $\mathbf{G} \mathbf{D} \mathbf{A}$ 

Shall I stay, would it be a sin? If I can't help falling in love with you

 $\mathbf{B7}$ 

Fm Fm **C7** 

**C7** 

Like a river flows surely to the sea, Fm

Darling so it goes, some things are meant to be

D A Fm Bm G

2. Take my hand, take my whole life too

GA Bm G D A D

For I can't help falling in love with you

Fm

Like a river flows surely to the sea,

C7 Fm

Darling so it goes, some things are meant to be

Fm Bm G D A

3. Take my hand, take my whole life too

> Bm G  $\mathbf{G}\mathbf{A}$ D

For I Can't help falling in love with you

Bm G D

For I Can't help falling in love with you

## $\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{m}}$ Almost heaven, West Virginia 1. Blue Ridge Mountains, Shenandoah River Life is old there, older than the trees Younger than the mountains, blowin' like a breeze $\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{m}}$ Chorus: Country roads, take me home, to the place I belong West Virginia, mountain mama, take me home, country roads 2. All my mem'ries, gather 'round her Miner's lady, stranger to blue waters Dark and dusty, painted on the sky Misty taste of moonshine, teardrop in my eye (chorus) Bridge $E_{\mathbf{m}}$ I hear her voice, in the mornin' hours she calls me The radio reminds me of my home far away And drivin' down the road I get a feelin'

That I should have been home yesterday, yesterday (chorus)

**4. Country Roads (G)** by Bill Danoff, Taffy Nivert, and John Denver

**5. Crawdad Song (G)**Traditional Afro-American song as sung by Woodie Guthrie

	${f G}$
1.	You get a line and I'll get a pole, honey  O  G
	You get a line and I'll get a pole, babe. You get a line and I'll get a pole G D G
	We'll go fishin' in the crawdad hole, honey, babe of mine
2.	Sittin' on the bank 'til my feet get cold honey
	Sittin' on the bank 'til my feet get cold, babe  G
	Sittin' on the bank 'til my feet get cold  G  D  G
	Catchin' all the fish in that crawdad hole, honey, babe of mine <b>G</b>
3.	I heard the duck say to the drake, honey
	I heard the duck say to the drake, babe
	I heard the duck say to the drake  G  D  G
	There ain't no crawdads in that lake, honey, babe of mine <b>G</b>
4.	Along came a man with a sack on his back, honey
	Along came a man with a sack on his back, babe
	Along came a man with a sack on his back  G  D  G
	Packin' all the crawdads he could pack, honey, babe of mine G
5.	Man fell down and he broke that sack, honey  D
	Man fell down and he broke that sack, babe G
	Man fell down and he broke that sack
	C G D G
	All those crawdads are crawling back, honey, babe of mine.

#### 6. Delaa do laa - Koyukon (A)

As taught by Ts'aayeneek'eelno Jennie Huntington

Delaa do laa Delaa do laa Delaa do laa aa aa aa' Nenh yaan' edee only you with your long legs Neełnaał hu-u Nodo dengheenleteeł he can step way down Bekkaa netlaayh ts'aanoneelleet ts'e touch her with your foot and wake her up Sedaadze yozaa aa aa aa' my younger sister Delaa do laa Delaa do laa Delaa do laa aa!

This is an old love song about the crane (**deldoole**). The crane told his friend to reach over with your long legs and touch the girl he liked.

# 7. Faded Love (D) by Bob Wills, John Wills, and Billy Jack Wills

	D <b>G</b>
l.	When I look at the letters that you wrote to me,  A
	It's you that I am thinking of.
	As I read the lines, that to me were so sweet,
	I remember our faded love.
	D <b>G</b>
	<b>Chorus:</b> I miss you darling, more and more every day  •••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
	As Heaven would miss the stars above.  C
	With every heartbeat, I still think of you,  A D
	And remember our faded love.
	$\mathbf{D}$
2.	As I think of the past and all the pleasures we had, <b>A</b>
	As I watch the mating of the doves  G
	It was in the springtime when we said goodbye,
	I remember our faded love.

### 8. Folsom Prison Blues (E)

by Johnny Cash

 $\mathbf{E}$ 

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l <b>.</b>	I hear that train a comin', it's rollin' 'round the bend
	And I ain't seen the sunshine, since, I don't know when  A  E
	I'm stuck in Folsom Prison, and time keeps draggin' on E
	But that train keeps a rollin', on down to San Antone  E
2.	When I was just a baby, my Mama told me, "son,
	Always be a good boy, don't ever play with guns."  A  E
	But I shot a man in Reno, just to watch him die.  B7  E
	When I hear that whistle blowin', I hang my head and cry. E
3.	I bet there's rich folks eatin', in a fancy dining car
	They're probably drinkin' coffee, and smokin' big cigars  A  E
	But I know I had it comin', I know I can't be free
	$\mathbf{B7}$
	But those people keep a-movin', and that's what tortures me
1.	Well, if they freed me from this prison, if that railroad train was mine
	You can bet I'd move it out just a little bit farther down the line,  A  E
	I'd be far from Folsom Prison, that's where I want to stay  B7
	And I'd let that lonesome whistle, blow my blues away

#### 9. God Is So Good - Gwich'in (D)

Counting 1-4 ch'ihłak, neekwajį, tik, doo

D A7

God is so good

D

God is so good

G

God is so good

D A7D

He's so good to me

D A7

K'ee gwaa dhat nizii

D

K'ee gwaa dhat nizii

G

K'ee gwaa dhat nizii

 $\overline{D}$  A7  $\overline{D}$ 

Shat'sa nizii

### 10. Hello Mary Lou (A)

by Gene Pitney as sung by Ricky Nelson

A D
Chorus: Hello Mary Lou, Good-bye heart,
<b>A</b> E
Sweet Mary Lou I'm so in love with you,
A C#7 D
I knew Mary Lou we'd never part,
$\mathbf{A}$ E $\mathbf{A}$
So hello Mary Lou, Good-bye heart,
A
She passed me by one sunny day,
D
Flashed those big brown eyes my way,
A E
And oh I wanted you forever more,
A
Now I'm not one who gets around,
D
Swear my feet stuck to the ground,
A E A D A
And though I never did meet you before, I said
A
I saw your face, I heard your voice
Believe me I just had no choice
A E
Wild horses couldn't make me stay away
A
I thought about a moon lit night
D
Arms around you good and tight
A E A D A
That's all I had to see for me to say

1.

2.

## 11. Hey Good Lookin' (C)

by Hank Williams

C	D7	<b>G7</b> C
Say hey, good lookin', whatcha got cookin'?		' somethin' up with me?
Say, hey, sweet baby, Don't you think maybe,	, We could find us a l	orand new recipe?
I got a hot-rod Ford and a two-dollar bill, A	nd I know a spot rigl	ht over the hill. <b>G7</b>
There's soda pop and the dancin's free, So if	you wanna have fun	come along with me
Chorus:	D7 <b>G7</b>	C
Say hey, good lookin', whatcha got cookin?,	- 7	somethin' up with me?
C	D7	G7 C
I'm free and I'm ready, so we can go steady,	How's about savin' a	ll your time for me?
No more lookin', I know I've been tooken, S	So how's about keepi <b>F</b>	ng steady company?
I'm gonna throw my date-book over the fen	ce, And find me one  D7	for five or ten cents. <b>G7</b>
I'll keep it 'til it's covered with age, "Cause I	'm writin' your name	down on every page.
Chorus:		
	<b>D7</b>	G7 C
Say hey, good lookin', whatcha got cookin?	How's about cookin'	something up with me?

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## **12. I'll Fly Away** (D) by A.E. Brumley

D

1. Some bright morning when this life is o'er, I'll fly away;

To a home on God's celestial shore, I'll fly away.

#### **Chorus:**

D

I'll fly away (oh glory),

G

D

I'll fly away (in the morning)

When I die, Hallelujah, by and by,

A7 D

I'll fly away.

- 2. When the shadows of this life have gone, I'll fly away;

  A7 D

  Like a bird from prison bars has flown, I'll fly away.
- 3. Just a few more weary days and then, I'll fly away;

  A7 D

  To a land where joy shall never end, I'll fly away

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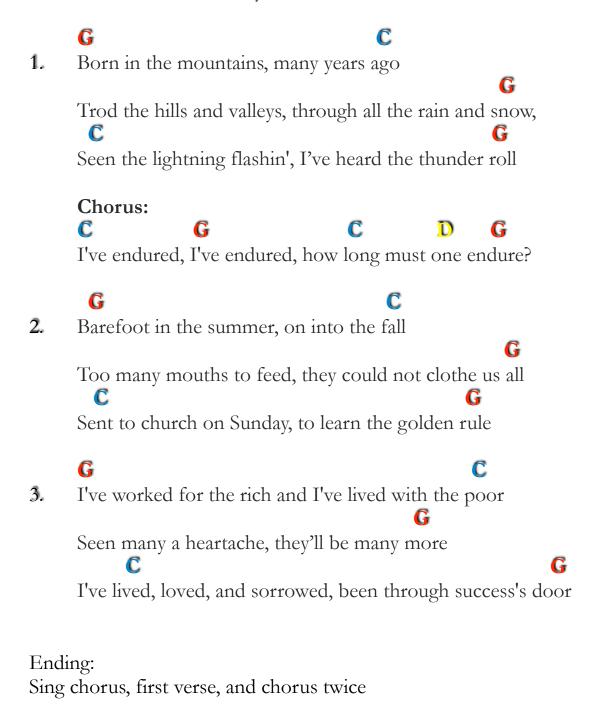
## 13. I Saw the Light (G) by Hank Williams G 1. I wandered so aimless, life filed with sin I wouldn't let my dear Savior in Then Jesus came like an angel in the night Praise the Lord, I saw the light **Chorus:** G I saw the light, I saw the light, no more darkness, no more night Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in sight, praise the Lord I saw the light G 2. Just like a blind man I wandered along Worries and fears I claimed for my own Then like the blind man that God gave back his sight Praise the Lord, I saw the light 3. I was a fool to wander and stray Straight is the gate and narrow the way

Now I have traded the wrong for the right

Praise the Lord, I saw the light

### 14. I've Endured (G)

by Ola Belle Reed and Dave Reed



#### 15. Jailhouse Rock (G)

by Lieber and Stoller as sung by Elvis Presley

Strum the G chord at the beginning of each line of the verse - then sing the words!

G

G

1. The warden threw a party in the county jail
The prison band was there and they began to wail
The band was jumping and the joint began to swing
You should've heard them knocked out jailbirds sing
Chorus:

C

Let's rock, everybody lets rock

**D7** 

Everybody in the whole cell block

Was dancing to the jailhouse rock

G

- 2. Spider Murphy played the tenor saxophone
  Little Joe was blowin' on the slide trombone
  The drummer boy from Illinois went crash boom bang
  The whole rhythm section was the Purple Gang.
- 3. Number forty-seven said to number three You're the cutest jailbird I ever did see I sure would be delighted with your company Come on and do the jailhouse rock with me.

G

4. The sad sack was sittin' on a block of stone
Way over in the corner weeping all alone
The warden said hey buddy don't you be no square
If you can't find a partner use a wooden chair.

G

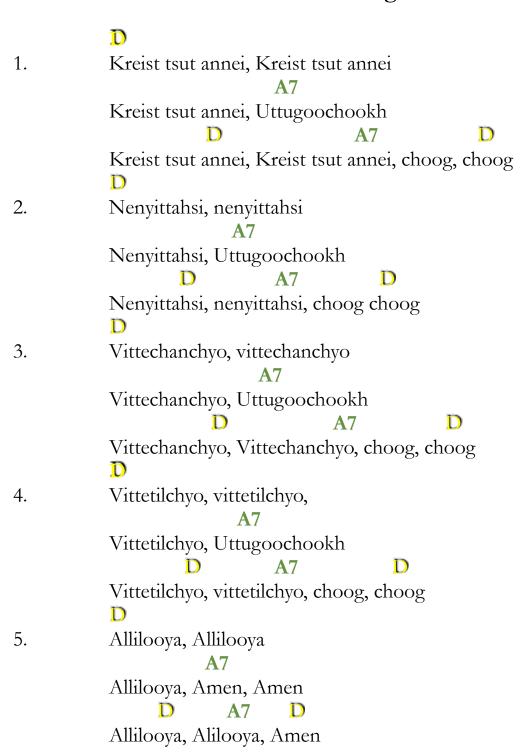
5. Shifty Henry said to Bugs for heaven's sake
No one's looking now's our chance to make a break
Bugs turned to Shifty and he said nix nix
I wanna stick around awhile and get my kicks

## 16. Jambalaya (D)

by Hank Williams

	D	<b>A7</b>
1.	Goodbye Joe, me gotta go, me oh my	oh
		D
	Me gotta go pole the pirogue down tl	he bayou
		<b>A7</b>
	My Yvonne, the sweetest one, me oh	my oh
		D
	Son of a gun, we'll have some fun on	the bayou
	Chorus:	
	D A7	
	Jambalaya, crawfish pie, file' gumbo	
		D
	'Cause tonight I'm gonna see my ma  A7	cher amio
	Pick guitar, fill fruit jar, and be gay-o	D
	Son of a gun, we'll have some fun on D	the bayou  A7
2.	Thibodeaux, Fontainenot, the place is	s buzzin'
	Kinfolk come to see Yvonne by the d	lozen
	,	<b>A7</b>
	Dress in style and go hog wild, me of	n my oh
	Son of a gun, we'll have some fun on	the bayou  A7
3.	Settle down, far from town, get me a	_
	And I'll catch all the fish in the bayou	ı
		<b>A7</b>
	Swap my mon to buy Yvonne what sl	ne need-o
	Son of a gun, we'll have some fun on	the bayou

#### 17. Kreist Tsut Annei Chilig 93 - Gwich'in (D)



#### 18. Liza Jane (A)

Traditional

A 1. I got a gal who loves me so, Little Liza Jane,  $\mathbf{E}$ Way down south in Baltimore, Little Liza Jane. Liza Jane looks good to me, Little Liza Jane, Sweetest gal I ever did see, Little Liza Jane. A **Chorus:** Oh, Eliza, little Liza Jane,  $\mathbf{E}$ Oh, Eliza, Little Liza Jane. (sing chorus twice) 2. I fell in love when I first saw, Little Liza Jane A  $\mathbf{E}$ Now I've got a mother-in-law, Little Liza Jane House and lot in Baltimore, Little Liza Jane Lots of children 'round the door, Little Liza Jane A 3. Come, my love, and be with me, Little Liza Jane,  $\mathbf{E}$ A Let me take good care of thee, Little Liza Jane. I don't care how far I roam, Little Liza Jane

The very best place is home sweet home, Little Liza Jane

 $\mathbf{E}$ 

## by Sarah Josepha Hale and Lowell Mason Mary had a little lamb, little lamb, little lamb, 1. Mary had a little lamb, it's fleece was white as snow Everywhere that Mary went, Mary went, Mary went, 2. Everywhere that Mary went, the lamb was sure to go He followed her to school one day, school one day, school one day 3. He followed her to school one day which was against the rules. It made the children laugh and play, laugh and play, laugh and play 4. It made the children laugh and play to see a lamb at school. 5. And so the teacher turned him out, turned him out, turned him out And so the teacher turned him out, but he still lingered near. He waited and he did not pout, did not pout, did not pout 6. He waited and he did not pout 'til Mary did appear. Why does the lamb love Mary so? Mary so? Mary so? 7. Why does the lamb love Mary so? the eager children cried Mary loves the lamb, you know, lamb you know, lamb you know 8. Why Mary loves the lamb, you know, and she is always kind

19. Mary Had a Little Lamb (A)

## Traditional G Well, you wake up in the morning, You hear the work bell ring 1. And they march you to the table, You see the same old thing Ain't no food upon the table, And no pork up in the pan But you better not complain boy, You get in trouble with the man **Chorus:** Let the midnight special shine a light on me Let the midnight special shine a light on me Let the midnight special shine a light on me Let the midnight special shine an ever-lovin' light on me 2. Yonder comes Miss Rosie, how in the world do you know By the way she wears her apron, And the clothes she wore Umbrella on her shoulder, Piece of paper in her hand She come to see the governor, She want to free her man 3. If you're ever in Houston, Well you'd better do right And you'd better not gamble, And you better not fight at all Or the sheriff will grab you, And the boys will bring you down

And the next thing you know boy, you'll be prison bound

20. Midnight Special (G)

#### 21. Move It On Over (D)

by Hank Williams

D

Came in last night about half past ten, that baby of mine wouldn't let me in 1. So move it on over (move it on over), move it on over (move it on over) Move over little dog cause the big dog's moving in She changed the lock on our front door, my door key don't fit no more 2. So get it on over (move it on over), scoot it on over (move it on over) Move over skinny dog cause the fat dog's moving in This dog house here is mighty small, but it's better than no house at all 3. So ease it on over (move it on over), drag it on over (move it on over) Move over old dog cause a new dog's moving in She told me not to play around, but I done let that deal go down 4. So pack it on over (move it on over), tote it on over (move it on over) Move over nice dog cause a mad dog's moving in She warned me once, she warned me twice, but I don't take no one's advice 5. So scratch it on over (move it on over), shake it on over (move it on over) Move over short dog cause the tall dog's moving in. She'll crawl back to me on her knees, I'll be busy scratchin' fleas 6. So slide it on over (move it on over), sneak it on over (move it on over) Move over good dog cause a mad dog's moving in. Remember pup, before you whine, that side's yours and this side's mine 7. So shove it on over (move it on over), sweep it on over (move it on over) Move over cold dog cause a hot dog's moving in.

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#### 22. On My Mind (**D**)

by Organ and James as sung by Lester Flatt and Earl Scruggs

D **A7** I can't eat and I can't sleep, all I do is sit and cry 1. And listen for your footsteps at my door I keep asking myself why you ever said goodbye And I guess I've cried a million tears or more **Chorus:** On my mind, on my mind You're always in my heart and on my mind Once I thought my love would die Darling here is what I find You're always in my heart and on my mind D **A7** Seems I miss you most of all when twilight shadows fall 2. What a fool I was to ever let you go If this longing for you now, **A7** Could only bring you back somehow

Back to these empty arms that I know

## 23. She'll Be Comin' 'Round the Mountain (G) Traditional

G

1. She'll be comin' 'round the mountain when she comes,

She'll be comin' 'round the mountain when she comes,

J

She'll be comin' 'round the mountain,

C

She'll be comin' 'round the mountain,

 $\mathbb{D}_7$ 

G

She'll be comin' 'round the mountain, when she comes, toot, toot!

- 2. She'll be driving six white horses, when she comes, whoa back!
- 3. Oh, we'll all go out to meet her, when she comes, hi there!
- 4. We'll kill the old red rooster when she comes, hack, hack!
- 5.Oh, we'll all have chicken and dumplings when she comes, yum, yum!
- 6.She'll be wearing pink pajamas when she comes, scratch, scratch!
- 7. We'll have to sleep with Grandma when she comes, snore, snore!

## 24. Stand by Me (G)

by Ben E. King, Jerry Lieber, and Mike Stoller

#### G Em C D G D

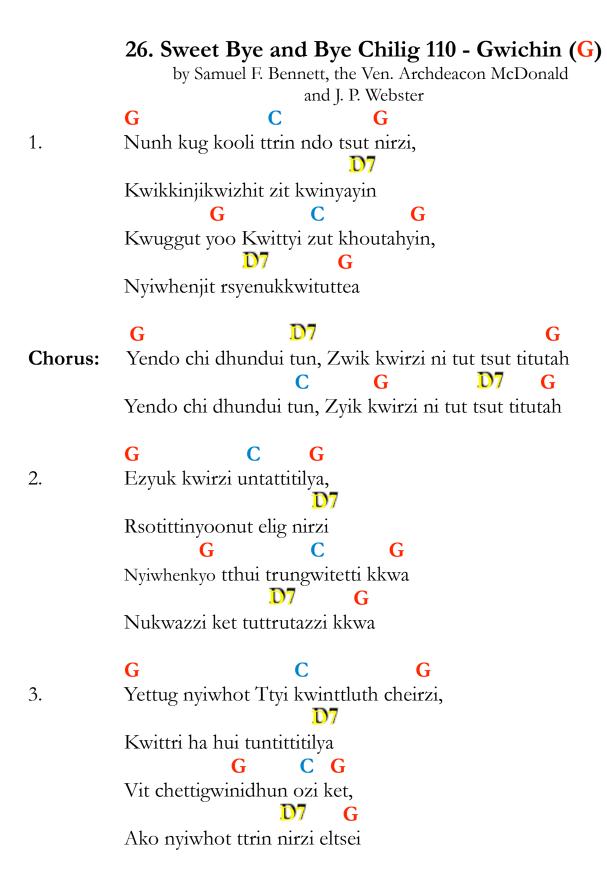
2.

G	Em
1. When the night has com	_
$\mathbf{C}$	$\mathbf{G}^{\mathbf{D}}$
And the moon is the only	light we see
G	Em
No I won't be afraid, no I	won't be afraid
$\mathbf{C}$ $\mathbf{D}$	G
Just as long as you stand,	stand by me
,	•
Chorus:	
$\mathbf{D}$ G	Em
And darling, darling, stand	d by me, Oh, stand by me
C D	G D
Stand by me, stand by me,	, stand by me
	•
G	Em
If the sky that we look up	on, should tumble and fall
C	$\mathbf{D}$ $\mathbf{G}$ $\mathbf{D}$
And the mountain should	crumble to the sea
$\mathbf{G}$	Em
I won't cry, I won't cry, no	I won't shed a tear
$\mathbf{C}^{''}$ $\mathbf{D}^{''}$	G
Just as long as you stand,	stand by me

### 25. Sweet Bye and Bye (E)

by Samuel F. Bennett and J. P. Webster

	$\mathbf{E}$ $\mathbf{A}$ $\mathbf{E}$
1.	There's a land that is fairer than day,
	And by faith we can see it afar;
	${f E}$ ${f A}$ ${f E}$
	For the Father waits over the way  B7  E
	To prepare us a dwelling place there.
	Chorus:
	E B7 E
	In the sweet by and by, we shall meet on that beautiful shore;  A  E  B7  E
	In the sweet by and by, we shall meet on that beautiful shore.
	E A E
2.	We shall sing on that beautiful shore
	<b>B</b> 7
	The melodious songs of the blest,
	E A E
	And our spirits shall sorrow no more
	B7 E
	Not a sigh for the blessing of rest.
	$\mathbf{E}$ $\mathbf{A}$ $\mathbf{E}$
3.	To our bountiful father above
	<b>B</b> 7
	We will offer our tribute of praise;
	$\mathbf{E}$ $\mathbf{A}$ $\mathbf{E}$
	For the glorious gift of His love
	B7 E
	And the blessings that hallow our days.



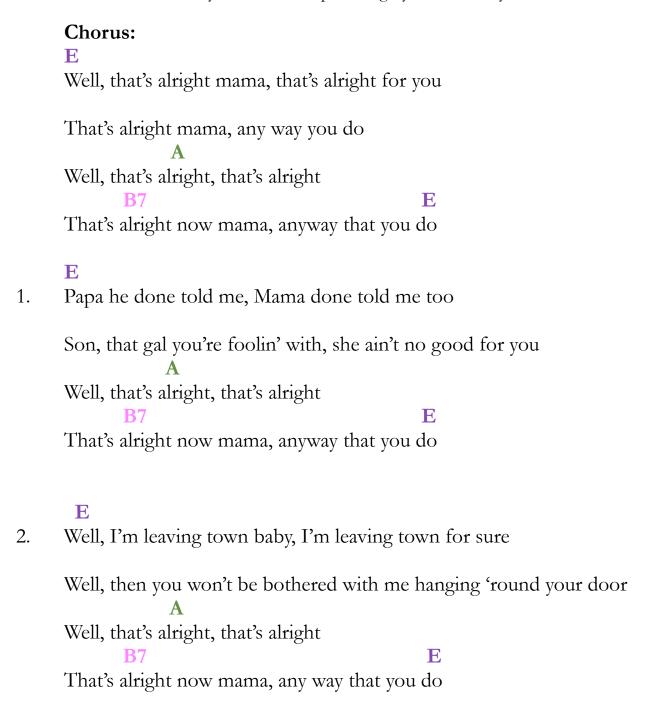
## 27. Swing Low Sweet Chariot (D)

Traditional

	Chorus:
	D G D A
	Swing low, sweet chariot, Coming for to carry me home.  D  G  D  A  D
	Swing low, sweet chariot, Coming for to carry me home
	D G D
1.	I looked over Jordan, and what did I see,
	$\mathbf{A}$
	Coming for to carry me home.
	D G D
	A band of angels coming after me,
	$\mathbf{A}$ $\mathbf{D}$
	Coming for to carry me home.
_	D G D A
2.	If you get there before I do, Coming for to carry me home.  O  O  O  O  O  O  O  O  O  O  O  O  O
	Tell all my friends that I'm a coming too.
	Coming for to carry me home.
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	D G D
3.	I'm sometimes up and sometimes down,
	$\mathbf{A}$
	Coming for to carry me home.
	D G D
	But still my soul feels heavenward bound
	A D
	Coming for to carry me home.

#### 28. That's Alright Mama (E)

by Arthur Crudup as sung by Elvis Presley



#### 29. Wagon Wheel (G)

by Bob Dylan and Ketch Secor of the Old Crow Medicine Show Headed down south to the land of the pines 1. I'm thumbin' my way into North Caroline Starin' up the road, pray to God I see headlights I made it down the coast in seventeen hours Pickin' me a bouquet of dogwood flowers And I'm a-hopin for Raleigh I can see my baby tonight Chorus: So, rock me, mama, like a wagon wheel Rock me, mama, any way you feel, Hey, mama rock me Rock me, mama, like the wind and the rain (**G** last time) Rock me, mama, like a south-bound train, Hey, mama rock me 2. Runnin' from the cold up in New England I was born to be a fiddler in an old-time string band My baby plays the guitar, I pick a banjo now Oh, the North country winters keep a-getting me down Lost my money playin' poker so I had to up and leave But I ain't a-turnin' back to livin' that old life no more. 3. Walkin' to the south out of Roanoke I caught a trucker out of Philly, Had a nice long talk But he's a-headed west from the Cumberland Gap To Johnson City, Tennessee, and I got to get a move on before the sun I hear my baby callin' my name, and I know that she's the only one And if I die in Raleigh, at least I will die free

#### **30.** You Are My Sunshine (D)

by Oliver Hood The other night dear, as I lay sleeping 1. I dreamed I held you in my arms But when I awoke, dear, I was mistaken So I hung my head and I cried. Chorus: You are my sunshine, my only sunshine You make me happy when skies are gray You'll never know dear, how much I love you Please don't take my sunshine away I'll always love you and make you happy, 2. If you will only say the same. But if you leave me to love another, You'll regret it all some day. 3. You told me once, dear, you really loved me And no one else could come between.

You have shattered all of my dreams.

But now you've left me to love another;

#### 31. The Gwich'in Dance Tradition

The Handkerchief Dance and the Red River Jig

The Gwich'in people of northeastern Alaska and northwestern Canada have a wonderful tradition of fiddle dancing for community celebrations throughout the year. When a dance is scheduled, they meet at the tribal hall to eat and dance together long into the night. This fiddle and dance tradition originated in the British Isles and was brought to Alaska and western Canada in the 1850's by fur traders, trappers, and missionaries including French Canadians from eastern Canada. The local people took this music as their own and have developed a whole new style of Athabascan Fiddle and Dance. A good overview on YouTube is *Preserving Gwich'in Culture Through Fiddling* by Evon Peter

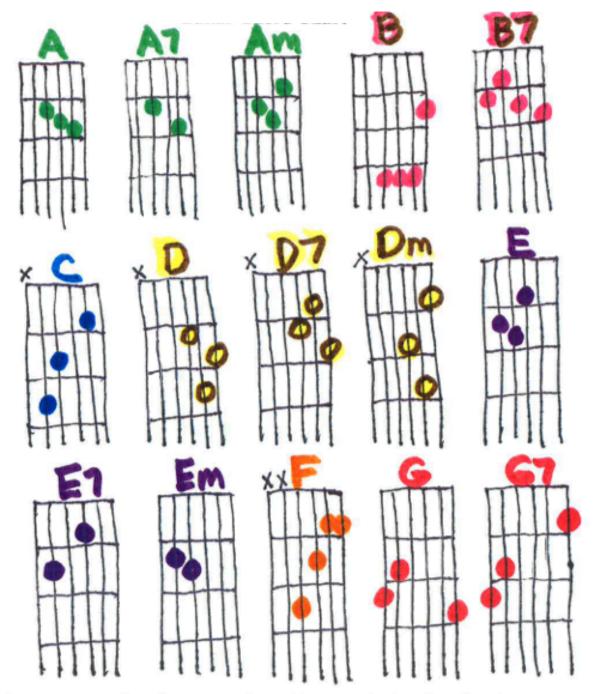
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Many of these Athabascan fiddle dances have a special tune that goes with them. Craig Mishler describes the dances and tunes in his book The Crooked Stovepipe: Athapaskan Fiddle Music and Square Dancing in Northeast Alaska and Northwest Canada. The Handkerchief or Scarf Dance is one of these dances. It is called K'ooniit'aii Ch'aadzaa in Gwich'in. This is a jig done by one boy in the center holding on to two girls on either side by scarves—or one girl in the center holding on to two boys on either side with scarves. They all stand in a straight line, facing the same direction. Other groups of three line up behind the first group --all facing the band. The first group of three jigs forward together and then one of the dancers on the end of the scarves—jigs forward and ducks under the other scarf as that scarf is lifted up. Then the other dancer on the end of a scarf--jigs under the other scarf. Everyone is jigging the whole time and continues forward a couple more times ducking back and forth under the scarves. They then give the scarves to the group of three behind them which has been jigging in place while they wait for their turn. The Handkerchief Dance music can be heard in the Volume 2 #10 Song Video filmed by James Ross which shows the Rev. Dr. Trimble Gilbert playing fiddle; Brennan Firth playing guitar; and Willie Fields on electric bass at a dance in the Arctic Village Tribal Hall.

The Red River Jig is one of the most popular dances. It is called Jig Ahtsii Ch'aadzaa in Gwich'in. The boys line up at one end of the room facing the band, with the girls in another line to the right of the boys. When the fiddle goes to high notes, the first couple holds hands and dances forward to the center of the floor, then backwards a few steps, then forward again. They do a right arm swing and then a left arm swing. Then the jigging begins with the girl moving counterclockwise in the shape of flower petals around the boy who at the center of the circle is also moving counterclockwise in a circle so he is facing the girl. Everyone claps for them and then when the fiddle returns to the high notes, they leave the floor and go to the back of the line while the second couple goes out to the center of the floor. The second couple holds hands and just goes forward to begin their dance in a counterclockwise circle with the girl tracing flower petals around the boy at the center. These flowers that the dance patterns make are like the beautiful beaded flowers commonly sewn on moose hide dance slippers, vests, dresses, and jackets in Athabascan country. After everyone has had a chance to dance two by two and show their fancy footwork--someone calls "Everybody jig!" so all those there can go out and jig together. The Red River Jig dance music can be heard in the Volume 2 #24 Song Video which shows the Rev. Dr. Trimble Gilbert playing fiddle, Bobby Gilbert on guitar, and Curtis Gilbert on bass.

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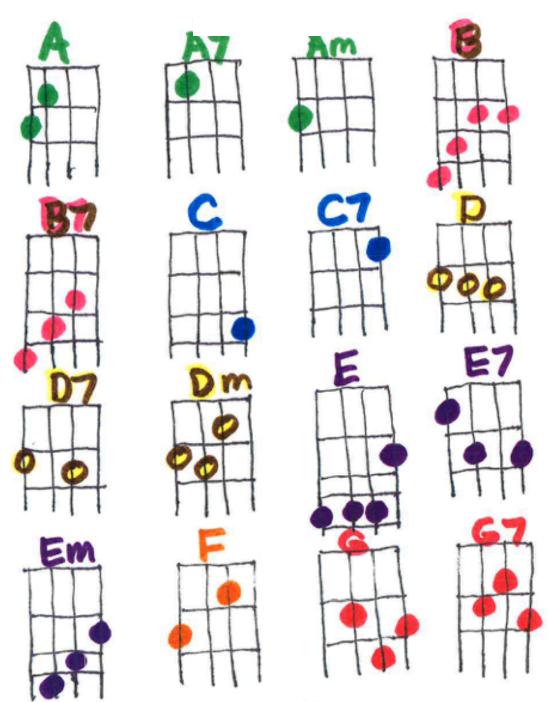
#### 32. Guitar Chord Chart



Chord colors: G red: A green; B pink/brown; C blue; D yellow/brown;

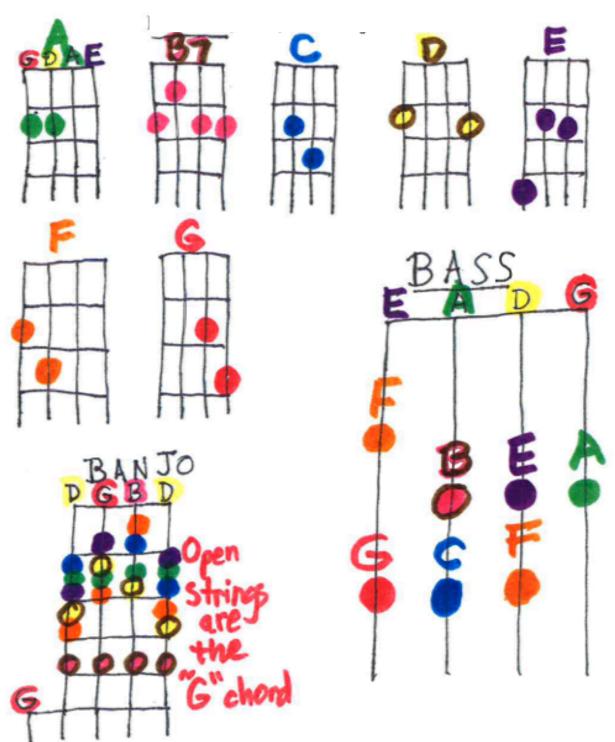
E purple; F orange Guitar strings: 1<sup>st</sup> E; 2<sup>nd</sup> B; 3<sup>rd</sup> G; 4<sup>th</sup> D; 5<sup>th</sup> A; 6<sup>th</sup> E

#### 33. Ukulele Chord Chart



Chord colors: G red: A green; B pink/brown; C blue; D yellow/brown;

E purple; F orange Ukulele strings: 1<sup>st</sup> A; 2<sup>nd</sup> E; 3<sup>rd</sup> C; 4<sup>th</sup> G



Chord colors: G red: A green; B pink/brown; C blue; D yellow/brown; E purple; F orange