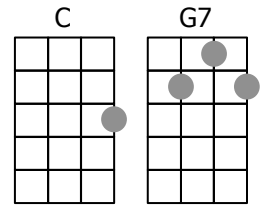


12. Memphis Tennessee

Written and performed by Chuck Berry



[C]\\\Long-distance inform[G7]ation, get me Memphis Tennessee
Help me find the party, who tried to get in touch with me
She [C] could not leave her number, but I know who placed the call
'Cause my [G7] uncle took the message and he wrote in on the [C] wall.

Help me inform[G7]ation, get in touch with my Marie
She's the only one who called me here from Memphis Tennessee
Her [C] home is one the south side, high upon the ridge
Just a half a [G7] mile from the Mississippi [C] bridge

(instrumental, same pattern as verse)

Help me, inform[G7]ation, more than that I cannot add
Only that I miss her and all the fun we had
But [C] we were pulled apart because her mom would not agree
Tore apart our [G7] happy home in Memphis Tenness[C]ee

Last time I [G7] saw Marie, she was wavin' me goodbye
With hurry-home drops on her cheeks that trickled from her eyes
Marie is only [C] six years old; information please
Try to put me [G7] through to her in Memphis Tenness[C]ee.