

In My Hour of Darkness (v2)

Gram Parsons (with EmmyLou Harris)

Composer: Gram Parsons Tuning: gCEA / Baritone

Key: F

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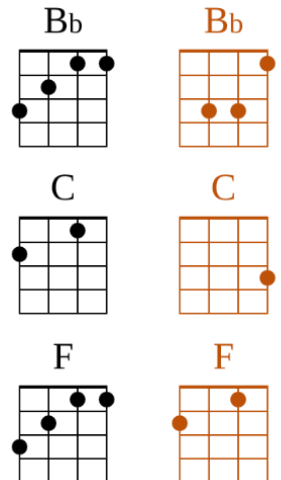


Chorus:

[F] In my hour of darkness, in my time of need
[C] Oh Lord grant me vision, [Bb] Oh Lord grant me [F] speed

Verse 1:

[F] Once I knew a young man, went driving through the night
[C] Miles and miles without a word,
with [Bb] just his high-beam lights [F]
[Bb] Who'd have ever [F] thought they'd build
such a [Bb] deadly Denver [F] bend
[C] To be so strong, to take so long as [Bb] it would till the [F] end



Chorus:

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Verse 2:

[F] Another young man safely strummed his silver string guitar
And he [C] played to people everywhere, some [Bb] say he was a [F] star
But [Bb] he was just a [F] country boy,
his [Bb] simple songs [F] confess
And the [C] music he had in him, so [Bb] very few pos[F]sess

Chorus (twice – 2nd time = kazoo/instrumental):

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Verse 3:

[F] Then there was an old man, kind and wise with age
And he [C] read me just like a book and he [Bb] never missed a [F] page
And I [Bb] loved him like my [F] father,
and I [Bb] loved him like my [F] friend
And I [C] knew his time would shortly come but I [Bb] did not know
just [F] when

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