



The Irish Collection

The Leaving of Liverpool (traditional)

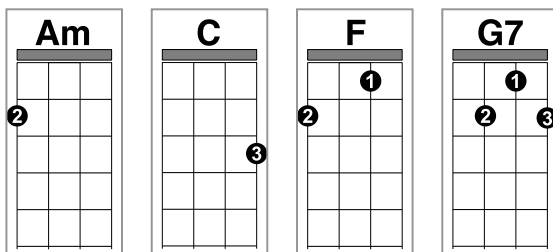
1 *C F C C Am G7*
 Farewell to Prince's landing stage, River Mersey fare thee well.
C F C C G7 C
 I am bound for Cal - i - for - ni - ay, a place I know right well.

G7 F C
Ch So fare you well my own true love,
Am F G7
 When I return, united we will be.
C F C
 It's not the leaving of Liverpool that grieves me,
C G7 C
 But my darling when I think of thee

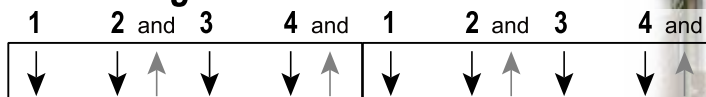
2 *C F C C Am G7*
 I've shipped on a Yankee sailing ship, Davy Crockett is her name,
C F C
 And Burgess is the captain of her
C G7 C
 And they say she is a floating shame. **[Chorus]**

3 *C F C C Am G7*
 Oh the sun is on the harbor, love, and I wish I could remain,
C F C
 For I know it will be a long long time,
C G7 C
 Before I see you again. **[Chorus]**

A popular singalong folk song which has been heard in folk clubs across the country since the 1960s. The Dubliners contributed to its popularity.



Strumming Pattern No.2:



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