Nigel Gatherer's Ukulele

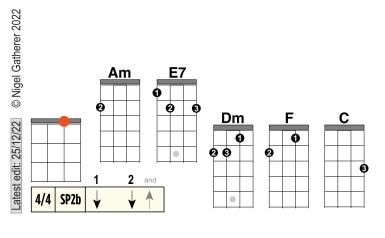
The Movies Collection



Summertime (George & Ira Gershwin)

Porgy & Bess (1959)

Am E7 Am E7 Am E7•
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1 (Summer) - time, and the livin' is easy;
Dm / F / E7 F E7 E7•
Fish are jumpin' and the cotton is high
Am E7 Am E7 Am E7 Am E7 (Your dodd y'a) righ and your mamma's good lookin'
(Your daddy's) rich and your mamma's good lookin', C Am E7 / Am E7 Am E7•
So hush little baby, do - on't you cry.
Am E7 Am
2 (One of these) mornings
E7 Am E7 Am E7
You're going to rise up singing,
Dm /
Then you'll spread your wings, F / E7 F E7 E7•
And you'll take to the sky.
Am E7 Am E7 Am E7 Am E7
Ch (But till that) morning, there's a-nothing can harm you,
C Am E7 / Am E7 Am E7•
With daddy and mamma sta - anding by.
INSTRUMENTAL
Repeat from verse 1



The opera Porgy and Bess was adapted from a 1925 novel by DuBose Heyward by George and Ira Gershwin, and first performed in Boston in 1935. In 1959 it was made into a celebrated film starring Sidney Poitier and Dorothy Dandridge.



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