

FOR THE LONGEST TIME - Billy Joel

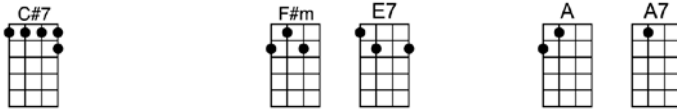
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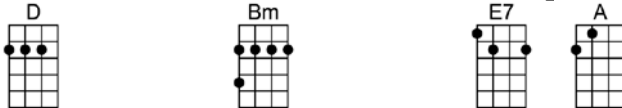
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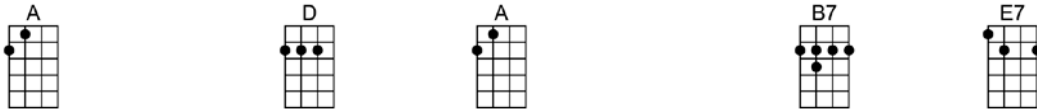
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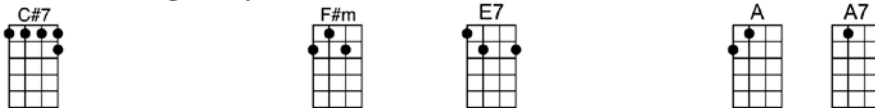
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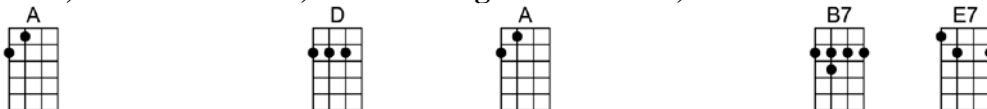
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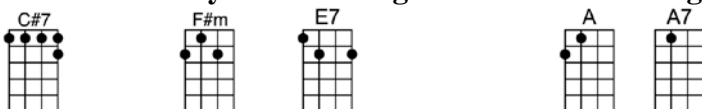
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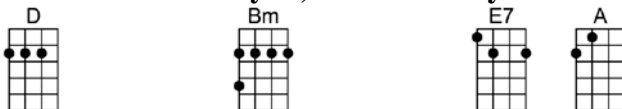
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I'm that voice you're hearing in the hall. And the greatest miracle of all



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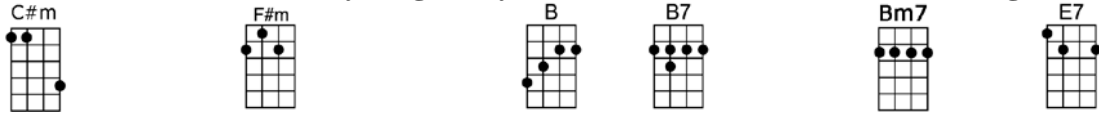


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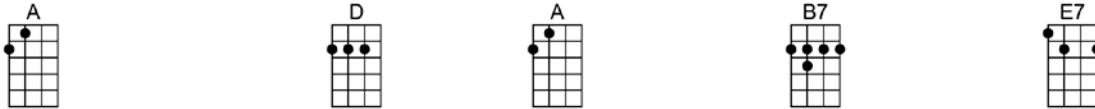
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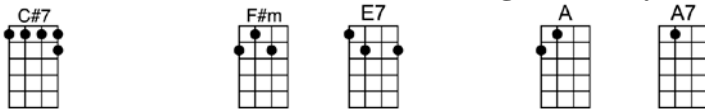
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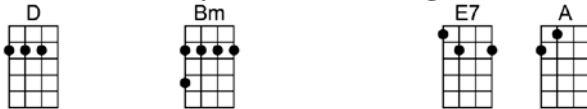
Maybe I've been hoping too hard, but I've gone this far and it's more than I hoped for



Who knows how much further we'll go on. Maybe I'll be sorry when you're gone.



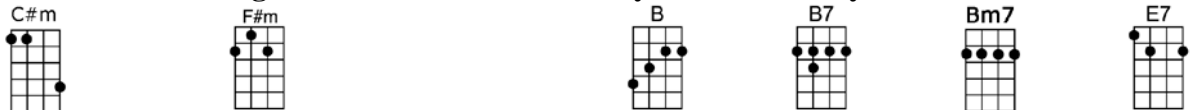
I'll take my chances, I forgot how nice ro-mance is.



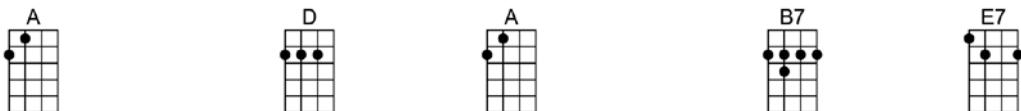
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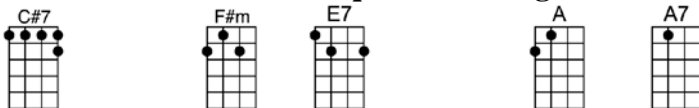
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Now I know the woman that you are. You're wonderful so far and it's more than I hoped for.



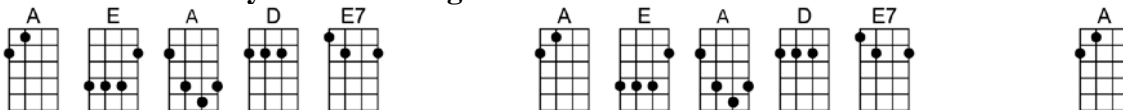
I don't care what consequence it brings. I have been a fool for lesser things.



I want you so bad, I think you ought to know that



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