

UKER'S LAMENT (BAR)-sung to the tune of "One Note Samba"

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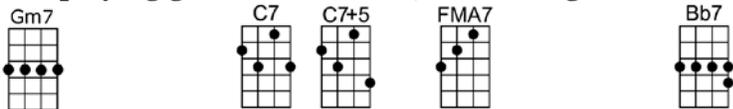
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They say it's just a uku-lele, and they don't take it too serious



But, after playing guitar for decades, strumming this makes me de-lirious



It can play all kinds of music, any style from jazz to rock



But, if you're looking for ac-ceptance, well, you're in for quite a shock



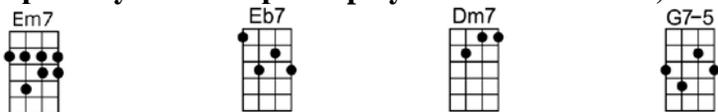
There're so many instruments that crash and blare and hum,



But sound like no - thing, or nearly no - thing



I can pick my Martin up and play to chords or three, or six or sev - en, and I'm in hea - ven



Now I come back to my subject, people think I'm just a kook



But to them I have to object, or I just slug them with my Fluke



The coming years may find us feeble, trombones and bass take all your might



But when you play a four-stringed beauty the best thing is it's so damned light



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Em7 Eb7
They say it's just a uku-lele
Dm7 G7b5
And they don't take it too serious
Em7 Eb7
But after playing guitar for decades
Dm7 G7b5
Strumming this makes me delirious
Gm7 C7 C7#5
It can play all kinds of music
FMA7 Bb7
Any style from jazz to rock
Em7 Eb7
But if you're looking for ac-ceptance
Dm7 G7b5 C6
Well, you're in for quite a shock

Fm7 Bb7 Bb7#5
There're so many instruments that crash and blare and hum
EbMA7 Eb6 EbMA7 Eb6
But sound like no- thing, or nearly no- thing
Ebm7 Ab7
I can pick my Martin up and play two chords or three
DbMA7 Dm7b5 G7
Or six or seven, and I'm in hea-ven

Em7 Eb7
Now I come back to my subject
Dm7 G7b5
People think I'm just a kook
Em7 Eb7
But to them I have to object
Dm7 G7b5
Or I just slug them with my Fluke
Gm7 C7 C7#5
The coming years may find us feeble
FMA7 Bb7
Trombones and bass take all your might
Em7 Eb7 Dm7 G7b5 C6
But when you play a four-stringed beauty the best thing is it's so damned light
Eb6 D7 DbMA7 C6
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