

# Sunny Afternoon

Ray Davies 1966 (as recorded by the Kinks)

INTRO NOTE RIFF ON [Dm] and [A]:

	Dm	Dm	A	A
A	-5-5-3-3-	-2-2-1-1-	-0-0-----	-----
E	-----	-----	-----3-3-	-1-1-0-0-

INTRO CHORD RIFFS ON Dm and A:

/ [Dm] ↓ ↓ [Dm7] ↓ ↓ / [Dm6] ↓ ↓ [Bb] ↓ ↓ / [A] ↓ ↓ [A/G] ↓ ↓ / [A+] ↓ ↓ [A7] ↓ ↓ /  
/ [Dm] ↓ ↓ [Dm7] ↓ ↓ / [Dm6] ↓ ↓ [Bb] ↓ ↓ / [A] ↓ ↓ [A/G] ↓ ↓ / [A+] ↓ ↓ [A7] ↓ ↓ /

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[Dm] ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ / [Dm] ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ / [A] ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ / [A] ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ /  
[Dm] ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ / [Dm] ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ / [A] ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ / [A] ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ /

The [Dm] taxman's taken [C] all my dough  
And [F] left me in my [C] stately home  
[A] Lazin' on a [A7] sunny after-[Dm]noon  
And I can't [C] sail my yacht, he's [F] taken every-[C]thing I've got  
[A] All I've got's this [A7] sunny after-[Dm]noon [Dm]

[D7] Save me, save me, save me from this [G7] squeeze [G7]  
I got a [C7] big fat mama, tryin' to break [F] me [A7]  
And I [Dm] love to live so [G7] pleasantly  
[Dm] Live this life of [G7] luxur-[C7]y  
[F] Lazin' on a [A7] sunny after-[Dm]noon [Dm]

In the [A] summertime [A]  
In the [Dm] summertime [Dm]  
In the [A] summertime [A]

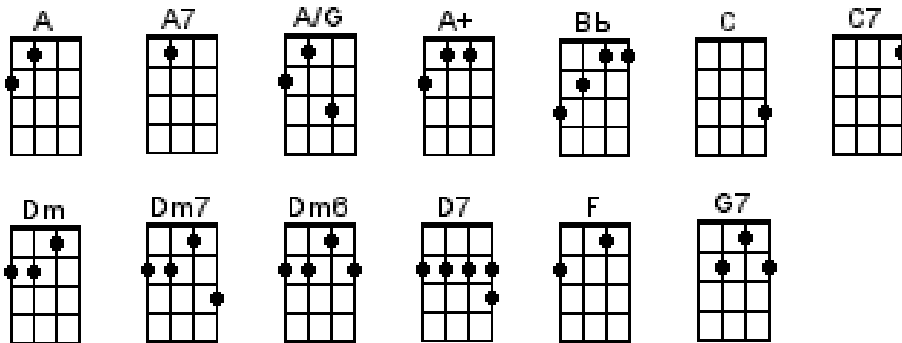
My [Dm] girlfriend's run off [C] with my car  
And [F] gone back to her [C] ma and pa  
[A] Tellin' tales of [A7] drunkenness and [Dm] cruelty  
Now I'm [C] sittin' here [F] sippin' at my [C] ice-cold beer  
[A] Lazin' on a [A7] sunny after-[Dm]noon [Dm]

[D7] Help me, help me, help me sail a-[G7]way [G7]  
Or give me [C7] two good reasons, why I oughta [F] stay [A7]  
'Cause I [Dm] love to live so [G7] pleasantly  
[Dm] Live this life of [G7] luxur-[C7]y  
[F] Lazin' on a [A7] sunny after-[Dm]noon [Dm]

In the [A] summertime [A]  
In the [Dm] summertime [Dm]  
In the [A] summertime [A]

Oh **[D7]** save me, save me, save me from this **[G7]** squeeze **[G7]**  
 I got a **[C7]** big fat mama, tryin' to break **[F]** me **[A7]**  
 And I **[Dm]** love to live so **[G7]** pleasantly  
**[Dm]** Live this life of **[G7]** luxur-**[C7]**y  
**[F]** Lazin' on a **[A7]** sunny after-**[Dm]**noon **[Dm]**

In the **[A]** summertime **[A]**  
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