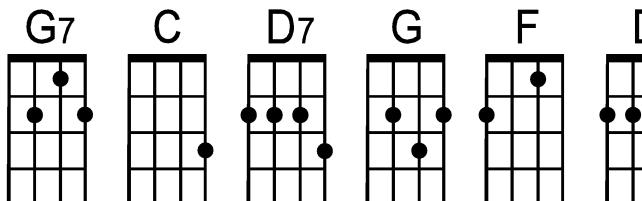


I'm a Believer

by Neil Diamond (as sung by the Monkees)



Fretboard diagram for an optional riff with fingerings A, E, C, and G.

Intro: G7\ \ C\ \ |D7\ --- --- --- | --- --- --- |

(sing g) (-----riff-----)

G . . . |D . . . |G . . . | |

I thought love was on-ly true in fairy---tales--

G . . . |D . . . |G . . . | |

Meant---for some-one else---but not for me--- Oh

C . . . |G . . . |C . . . |G |

Love---was out to get me (do-do do-do) That's the way it--- seems---(do-do do-

C . . . |G . . . |D . . . |D\

(do) Disap-point-ment haunted all my dreams--

(-----tacet----) |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ ---

Chorus: Then I saw her face----- Now I'm a be-liev-er--

C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ ---

Not a---trace----- of doubt in my mind--

C . |G\ --- --- --- |C\ --- --- --- |G\ ---

I'm in- love I'm a be---liev-er

(hmmmmmmmmmm ooooooooh yaaaaa)

--- --- |F\ --- --- --- |D7 --- --- --- | --- --- --- |

I couldn't leave her if I--- tried (-----riff-----)

G . . . |D . . . |G . . . | |

I thought love was more or less a giv-in'--- thing--

G . . . |D . . . |G . . . | |

Seems---the more I gave---the less I got

C . . . |G . . . |C . . . |G |

What's the use in tryin'---(do-do do-do) All you get is pain---(do-do do-

C . . . |G . . . |D . . . |D\

(do) When I need-ed sun-shine I got---rain--

(-----tacet----) |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ ---

Chorus: Then I saw her face----- Now I'm a be-liev-er--

C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ ---

Not a---trace----- of doubt in my mind--

C . |G\ --- --- --- |C\ --- --- --- |G\ ---

I'm in- love I'm a be---liev-er

(hmmmmmmmmmm ooooooooh yaaaaa)

--- --- |F\ --- --- --- |D7 --- --- --- | --- --- --- |

I couldn't leave her if I--- tried (-----riff-----)

Instrumental: G\ \ -- F\ C6\ |D . . . |G . D . |G . D . |
G\ \ -- F\ C6\ |D . . . |G . D . |G . . . |
C . . . |G . . . |C . . . |G |
Love— was out to get me (*do-do do-do*) That's the way it— seems— (*do-do do-*
C . . . |G . . . |D . . . |D\ |
do) Disap-point-ment haunted all my dreams—

(----tacet----) |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ ---
Chorus: Then I saw her face—— Now I'm a be-liev-er—

C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ ---
Not a— trace—— of doubt in my mind—

C . |G\ --- --- |C\ --- --- --- |G\ ---
I'm in— love I'm a be— liev-er
(*hmmmmmmmmmm ooooooooooh yaaaaa*)

--- --- |F\ --- --- |D7\ --- --- --- | --- --- --- |
I couldn't leave her if I— tried Yes, I saw her
(----riff-----)

Outro:

G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ ---
Face—— Now I'm a be-liev-er—

C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ ---
Not a— tra-a-a-ace—— of doubt in my mi-ind—

C . |G7\ \ C\ \ |G\ --- C . |G . C . |G . G\ |
Well I'm a be-liev-er— I'm a be— liev-er—
(*yea yea yea yea yeah*—)

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