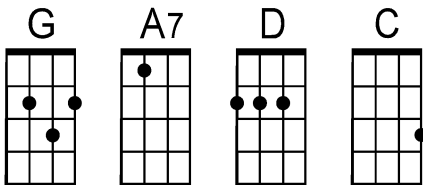


# Monkey & the Engineer

by Jesse Fuller



**Intro:** . | G . . . | A7\ D\ G . | . . . . | \*Picked, whistled, harmonica or kazoo

**Riff\*** A-----  
 E—3—3—0—0-----  
 C-----2—2-----  
 G-----4—2—0—2—2—0-----

G . . . . | C . G . | . . . . | A7 . D . |  
 Once u-pon a time there was an engi-in-eeer, drove a loco-motive both far and near  
 | G . . . . | C . . . . | G . A7 . | D . G . |  
 A-c-companied by a monkey who would sit on a stool, watchin' every-thing the engin-eeer would move  
 | G . . . . | C . G . | . . . . | A7 . D . |  
 One day the engine-eeer wanted a bite to eat. He left the monkey sittin' on the driver's seat  
 | G . . . . | C . . . . |  
 The monkey pulled the throttle, loco-motive jumped the gun and did  
 G . A7 . | D . G . |  
 Ninety miles an hour down the main-line run

**Chorus:** G . . . . | C . G . | . . . . | A7 . D . |  
 Big loco-motive, right on time, Big loco-motive, comin' down the line  
 G . . . . | C . . . . | G . A7 . | D . G . |  
 Big loco-motive, number ninety-nine Left the engin-eeer with a worried mind  
 G . . . . | A7\ D\ G . | . . . . |  
 ---(*Riff*)-----

| G . . . . | C . G . | . . . . | A7 . D . |  
 The engin-eeer called up the dis-patcher on the phone, tell him all a-bout his loco-motive was gone  
 G . . . . | C . . . . | G . A7 . | D . G . |  
 Get on the wire, switch oper-ator to right, 'cause the monkey's got the main-line sewn up tight  
 | G . . . . | C . G . | . . . . | A7 . D . |  
 The Switch oper-ator got the message in time, said, "There's a north bound livin' on the same main-line  
 G . . . . | C . . . . |  
 Open up the switch, I'm gonna let him through the hole, 'Cause the  
 G . A7 . | D . G . |  
 Monkey's got the loco-motive under con-trol!"

**Chorus:** G . . . . | C . G . | . . . . | A7 . D . |  
 Big loco-motive, right on time, Big loco-motive, comin' down the line  
 G . . . . | C . . . . | G . A7 . | D . G . |  
 Big loco-motive, number ninety-nine Left the engin-eeer with a worried mind  
 G . A7 . | D . G . | . . . . | A7 . D . G . |  
 Left the engin-eeer with a worried mind Left the engin-eeer with a worried mind  
 G . . . . | A7\ D\ G\ -  
 -----(*Riff - slower*)-----

