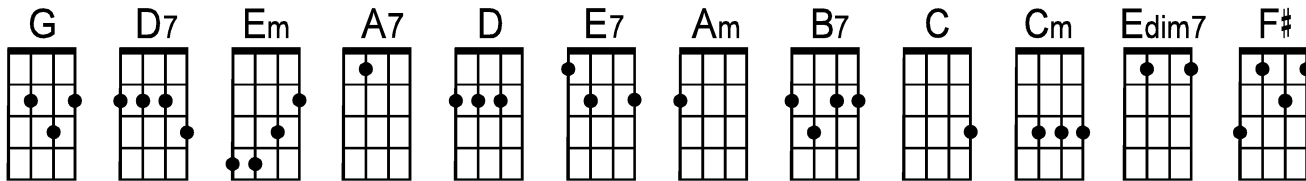


# Tiptoe Through the Tulips

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	G	E7	A7	D7	E7	D7	G	A7	D7	G	E7	A7	D7	E7	D	G	E7	A7	D7		
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<b>Low</b> G	-----2---			4-0---			-2-----3---			4-----			-----2---			4-0-			-----3-2---		
	Shades...			Willow trees.....			Old folks.....			Silver ...			All a-lone....			Scheming ...			My dear Come ..		

**Verse 1:**

G E7 A7 D7 Em D7 G A7/ D7/  
 Shades of night are creeping, willow trees are weeping, Old folks and babies are sleeping  
 G E7 A7 D7 Em D G/ E7/ A7/ D7/  
 Silver stars are gleaming, all a-lone I'm scheming, Scheming to get you out here, my dear. Come..

**Refrain:**

G E7 Am D G B7 C Cm6  
 tip-toe, to the win-dow, by the win-dow, that is where I'll be,  
 G E7 Am D7 G Edim7 . . Am . . D7/  
 Come tip-toe, through the tu-lips, with me.  
 G E7 Am D G B7 C Cm  
 Tip-toe, from your pil-low, to the shadow of a wil-ow tree, and  
 G E7 Am D7 G Edim7 G  
 tip-toe, through the tu-lips with me.  
  
 Am B7 E7  
 Knee deep. . . in flow-ers, we'll stray  
 F# Bm D7 (--tacet-)  
 We'll keep . . . the show-ers a-way. And if I  
 G E7 Am D G B7 C Cm  
 kiss you, in the gard-en, in the moonlight, will you pardon me? Come  
 G E7 Am D7 G  
 tip-toe through the tu-lips with me.

**Verse 2:**

G E7 A7 D7 Em D7 G A7/ D7/  
 Come on out and pet me, come and "Ju-li-et" me, Tease me and slyly "co-quette" me.  
 G E7 A7 D7 Em D G/ E7/ A7/ D7  
 Let me "Ro-me-o" you, I just want to show you, How much I'm willing to do for you. Come....

**Refrain.**

G E7 Am D7 G . . Cm . . G/  
**Ending:** (slow) Come tip-toe, through the tu-lips.....with meeeeeee!