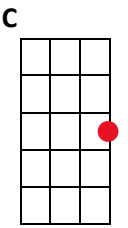


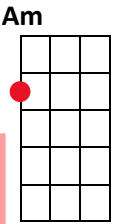
The Tide Is High / Rudy (Blondie / The Specials)

Intro: C Am F G ; C Am F G

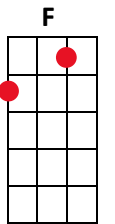


[C] Stop your messing ar[Am] ound (aa[F]ah [G]aaah)
 Better [C] think of your fut[Am]ure (aa[F]ah [G]aaah)
 [C] Time you straightened right [Am] out [F]Creating [G] problems in
 [C] Town [Am] (aa[F]ah [G]aaah)

Ru [C] dy, [Am] a [F] message to [G] you;
 Ru[C] dy, [Am] a [F] message to [G] you

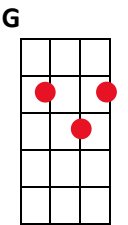


The [C] tide is [Am] high but I'm [F] holding [G] on
 [C] I'm gonna [Am] be your [F] number [G] one
 [C] I'm not the [Am] kind of girl [F] who gives up [G] just like [C] that. [Am] Oh [F] no [G]
 It's [C] not the things you do that tease and [F] wound me [G] bad
 [C] But it's the way you do the things you [F] do to [G] me
 [C] I'm not the [Am] kind of girl [F] who gives up [G] just like [C] that. [Am] Oh [F] no [G]



[C] Stop your fooling ar [Am] ound (aa[F]ah [G]aaah)
 [C] Time you straightened right [Am] out (aa[F]ah [G]aaah)
 [C] Better think of your [Am] future [F] Or else you'll [G] wind up in
 [C] Jail [Am] (aa[F]ah [G]aaah)

Ru [C] dy, [Am] a [F] message to [G] you
 Ru [C] dy, [Am] a [F] message to [G] you



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 [C] Every girl [Am] wants you to [F] be her [G] man
 [C] But I'll wait my [Am] dear till it's [F] my [G] turn.
 [C] I'm not the [Am] kind of girl [F] who gives up [G] just like [C] that. [Am] Oh [F] no [G]

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(Men: keep singing these two lines until the women finish their two verses)

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Outro: [C] [Am] [F] [G]; [C] [Am] [F] [G]; [C]↓