

Bennie and the Jets

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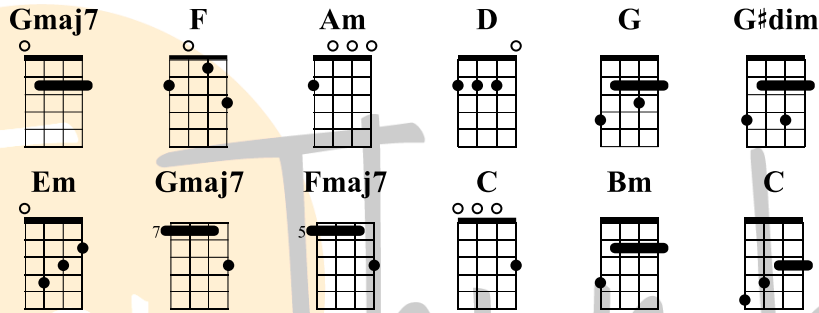
Key: G

Chords: G, Gmaj7, F, Fmaj7, G#dim, Am, D, Em, Em/D, B, C

BPM: 66

Video Tutorial: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-pJSMK3bZ04>

Chord Shapes:



Intro Riff - Easy Version

Gmaj7 F

T 2 2 2 2 | 2 2 7 5 2 3 | 3 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 1 3 4

A 2 2 2 2 | 2 2 2 2 | 1 1 1 1 | 1 1 1 1 | 1 1 1 1 | 1 1 1 1

B 2 2 2 2 | 2 2 2 2 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0

Intro Riff - Barre Version

Gmaj7 Fmaj7

T 9 9 9 9 | 9 9 7 8 | 7 7 7 7 | 7 7 7 7 | 7 7 7 7 | 5 7 8

A 7 7 7 7 | 7 7 7 7 | 5 5 5 5 | 5 5 5 5 | 5 5 5 5 | 5 5 5 5

B 7 7 7 7 | 7 7 7 7 | 5 5 5 5 | 5 5 5 5 | 5 5 5 5 | 5 5 5 5

Coda

Gmaj7 F

T 2 2 2 2 | 2 2 7 5 2 3 | 3 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 1 2

A 2 2 2 2 | 2 2 2 2 | 1 1 1 1 | 1 1 1 1 | 1 1 1 1 | 1 1 1 1

B 2 2 2 2 | 2 2 2 2 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0

- When you finish just strum the Gmaj7 chord

Verse Strum Pattern and Progression

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & |
Am D | G G#dim | Am D | Em |
D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU|

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & |
Am Bm | C |
D D DUD D DU| D D DUD |

Chorus Strum Pattern and Progression

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & |
G | Am | C | G |
D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU|

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & |
Am | C | D | Em Em/D | C |
D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU| D D DUD D DU|

[Verse]

Am D
Hey kids, shake it loose together
G
The spotlight's hitting something
G#dim
That's been known to change the weather
Am D
We'll kill the fatted calf tonight
Em Am Bm
So stick around you're gonna hear electric music
C
Solid walls of sound

[Chorus]

G
Say, Candy and Ronnie, have you seen them yet
Am. C
But they're so spaced out, B-B-B-B-B-B Bennie and the Jets

G

Oh, but they're weird and they're wonderful

Am

Oh, Bennie she's really keen

C

D

She's got electric boots, a mohair suit

Em

Em/D

You know I read it in a magazine oh,ho

C

INTRO RIFF

B-B-B-Bennie and the Jets

[Verse]

Am **D**

Hey kids, plug into the faithless

G

Maybe they're blinded

G#dim

But Bennie makes them ageless

Am

D

Em

We shall survive, let us take ourselves along

Am

Bm

Where we fight our parents out in the streets

C

To find who's right and who's wrong

[Chorus]

G

Say, Candy and Ronnie, have you seen them yet

Am.

C

But they're so spaced out, B-B-B-B-B-B Bennie and the Jets

G

Oh, but they're weird and they're wonderful

Am

Oh, Bennie she's really keen

C

D

She's got electric boots, a mohair suit

Em

Em/D

You know I read it in a magazine oh,ho

C

INTRO RIFF

B-B-B-Bennie and the Jets

[Piano Solo - Same as Verse]

Am D | G G#dim |

Am D | Em |

Am Bm | C |

[Chorus]

G

Say, Candy and Ronnie, have you seen them yet

Am.

C

But they're so spaced out, B-B-B-B-B Bennie and the Jets

G

Oh, but they're weird and they're wonderful

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Oh, Bennie she's really keen

C

D

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Em

Em/D

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C

INTRO RIFF

B-B-B-Bennie and the Jets

[Outro]

Gmaj7

Fmaj7

Gmaj7

Bennie, Bennie yeah

