

America Chords (ver 3) by Simon And Garfunkel

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Artist: Simon And Garfunkel
Song: America

Simon and Garfunkel
America
Capo 3
Readjusted by Alex Olson.

A few notes:

+This song is in 3/4 time, with each chord (unless noted) lasting one bar.

+The chords are played folk style: pick the bass note first and strum the chord for the of the bar.

+During the "to (look for a)merica" part, the chords in parentheses (G Am G/B) are all one bar, lasting a quarter note each.

+During the 4 bars of F at the end of the first line of each verse, the F is played like this:

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|-----1-1-1-1-|-----1-1-1-1-|-1---1-1-1---|-1---1-1-1---|
|-----1-1-1-1-|-----1-1-1-1-|-1---1-1-1---|-1h3-1-1-1---|
|-----2-2-2-2-|-----2-2-2-2-|-2h3-2-2-2---|-2---2-2-2---|
|-----3-3-3-3-|-----3-3-3-3-|-3---3-3-3---|-3---3-3-3---|
|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|-1-----|-1-----|-----|-----|

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+++This chord marking is based off of the wonderful tab by Joke at UG.

+++I displayed it in this fashion so it is easier to play along to.

Chord spellings:

+The chord Cmaj9/B is played (low to high) x20010.

+The chord D9/F# is played (low to high) 2x0230.

+The chord Fmaj7 is played (low to high) 1x3210

+The chord Dm/C is played (low to high) x3x231

+The chord G7/B is played (low to high) x20031

+The chord G7 is played (low to high) 3x0031

Intro:

C **Cmaj9/B** **Am7** **C/G**
F **F** **F** **F**

C **Cmaj9/B** **Am7** **C/G** **F** (4 bars)
let us be lovers we'll marry our fortunes together

C **Cmaj9/B** **Am** (4 bars)
Ive got some real estate here in my bag

Em7 **A7** **Em7** **A7**
So we bought a pack of cigarettes and mrs. wagner pies

D **C** (G **Am** G/B) **C** **Cmaj9/B** **Am7** **C/G** **F** (4 bars)
And we walked off to look for a - merica

C Cmaj9/B Am7 C/G F (4 bars)
kathy, I said as we boarded a greyhound in pittsburgh

C Cmaj9/B Am (4 bars)
michigan seems like a dream to me now

G (4 bars)
It took me four days to hitchhike from saginaw

D G D Cmaj7 (2 bars) **C** (2 bars)
Ive gone to look for amer -ica

Bbmaj7 (4 bars)
Laughing on the bus

C (4 bars)
Playing games with the faces

Bbmaj7 (4 bars) **C** (4 bars)
She said the man in the gabardine suit was a spy

F (2 bars) **Fmaj7** (2 bars) **C C/B Am7 C/G Am/F#** (2 bars) **Fmaj7** (2 bars)
I said be careful his bowtie is really a camera

C Cmaj9/B Am7 C/G F (4 bars)
toss me a cigarette, I think theres one in my raincoat

C Cmaj9/B Am (4 bars)
we smoked the last one an hour ago

Em7 (2 bars) **A7** (2 bars) **Em7** (2 bars) **A7** (2 bars)
So I looked at the scenery, she read her magazine

D C (G Am G/B) C C/B Am7 C/G F (4bars)
And the moon rose o-ver an o- pen field

C Cmaj9/B Am7 C/G F (4 bars)
kathy, Im lost, I said, though I knew she was sleeping

C Cmaj9/B Am (4 bars)
Im empty and aching and I dont know why

G (4 bars)
Counting the cars on the new jersey turnpike

D G D Cmaj7 (2 bars) **C** (2 bars)
Theyve all gone to look for amer -ica

D G D Cmaj7 (2 bars) **C** (2 bars)
All gone to look for amer -ica

D G D Cmaj7 (2 bars) **C** (2 bars)
All gone to look for amer -ica

Outro:

| **C** | **C/B** | **Am7** | **C/G** | **Dm** | **Dm/C** | **G7/B** | **G7** |

Hope you enjoy.

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<p style="text-align: center;">G7</p> <pre> E -1- --- --- --- --- o B --- --- --- --- --- o G --- --- --- --- --- o D --- --- --- --- --- o A --- -2- --- --- --- o E --- --- -3- --- --- o </pre>	<p style="text-align: center;">G7/B</p> <pre> E -1- --- --- --- --- o B --- --- --- --- --- o G --- --- --- --- --- o D --- --- --- --- --- o A --- -2- --- --- --- o E --- --- --- --- --- x </pre>	<p style="text-align: center;">Dm/C</p> <pre> E -X- --- --- --- --- o B -X- --- --- --- --- o G --- -2- --- --- --- o D --- --- --- --- --- o A --- --- -3- --- --- o E --- --- --- --- --- x </pre>
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<p style="text-align: center;">G</p> <pre> E --- --- -3- --- --- o B --- --- --- --- --- o G --- --- --- --- --- o D --- --- --- --- --- o A --- -1- --- --- --- o E --- --- -2- --- --- o </pre>	<p style="text-align: center;">D</p> <pre> E --- -2- --- --- --- o B --- --- -3- --- --- o G --- -1- --- --- --- o D --- --- --- --- --- o A --- --- --- --- --- x E --- --- --- --- --- x </pre>	<p style="text-align: center;">A7</p> <pre> E --- --- --- --- --- o B --- -2- --- --- --- o G --- --- --- --- --- o D --- -1- --- --- --- o A --- --- --- --- --- o E --- --- --- --- --- x </pre>
<p style="text-align: center;">Em7</p> <pre> E --- --- --- --- --- o B --- --- --- --- --- o G --- --- --- --- --- o </pre>	<p style="text-align: center;">Am</p> <pre> E --- --- --- --- --- o B -1- --- --- --- --- o G --- -3- --- --- --- o </pre>	<p style="text-align: center;">F</p> <pre> E -X- --- --- --- --- o B -X- --- --- --- --- o G -X- -2- --- --- --- o </pre>

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E	---	---	---	---	---		x

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E	-X-	---	---	---	---		o

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Am7

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Cmaj9/B

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