

For Once In My Life

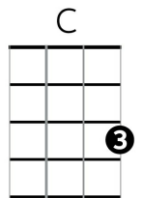
Stevie Wonder 1968

F /// | **G7**/// | **C**///

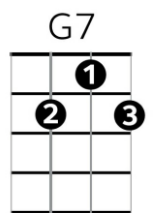
4 beats to the bar

(Listen to Tony Bennett & Stevie Wonder 2006)

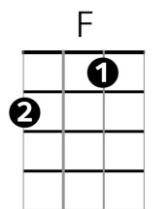
[C] For once in my life
 I have someone who needs me,
 [F] Someone I've needed so long; [G7]
 For [F] once unafraid I can [G7] go where life leads me,
 [C] Somehow I know I'll be strong.



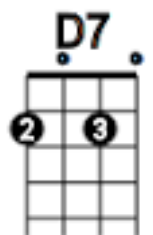
For once I can touch
 What my heart used to dream of
 [F] Long before I [G7] knew [C] someone warm like you
 Would [D7] make my dreams come [G7] true.



[C] For once in my life I won't let sorrow hurt me,
 [F] Not like it's hurt me [G7] before.
 For [F] once I've got someone I [G7] know won't desert me,
 And [C] I'm not alone any more.



For once I can say:
 "This is mine you can't take it."
 As [F] long as I know I have [D7] love, I can make it.
 For [G7] once in my life
 I have [F] someone [G7] who needs [C] me.



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