

# Song Sung Blue

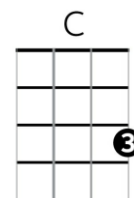
Chords: C, F, G7, G, C7, Dm

BLUE = Pick Strum  
RED = Straight Strum

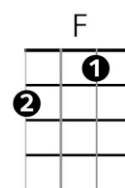
Written & recorded by  
Neil Diamond 1972

**Intro:** C 2 3 4 | Dm 2 3 4 | G7 2 3 4      4 beats to bar

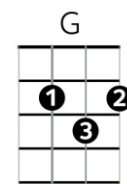
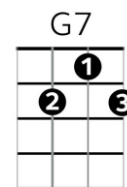
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[G7] Song sung blue, every garden [C] grows one. 3, 4 | 1, 2, 3, 4  
[C7] Me and you are subject to  
The [F] blues now and then; 4 | 1, 2, 3  
[G7] But when you take the blues and make a song 1, 2  
You sing them [C] out again, 4 | 1, 2, 3,  
sing them [Dm] out again. [G7] 4 | 1, 2, 3, 4



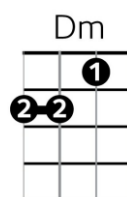
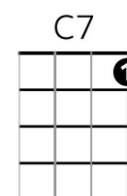
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[G7] Song sung blue, sleeping on my [C] pillow.  
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With a [F] cry in your voice  
[G7] And before you know it starts to feeling good  
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**BLUE** = Pick strum pattern. Count 1: pick G string with thumb.  
Counts 2, 3, 4: strum down C, E, A strings as usual with index finger or thumb.

**RED** = Straight strum. That is, single down strum: count 1, 2, 3, 4