

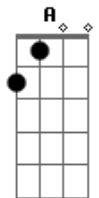
Janis Ian - At Seventeen

tom:
 A
 I learned the truth at seventeen That love was meant for beauty queens
 G7 and high school girls with clear skinned smiles who married young and then retired
 C
 The valentines I never knew, the friday nights, charades of youth
 Dm
 were spent on one more beautiful At seventeen I learned the truth
 C

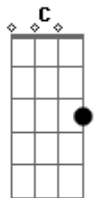
Eb
 And those of us with ravaged faces, lacking in the social graces
 Dm
 Cm Fm
 Desp'rately remained at home inventing lovers on the phone
 Cm Fm
 Ab
 Who called and say "come dance with me" and murmured vague obscenities
 G7
 It isn't all it seems at seventeen
 Dm
 C
 A brown eyed girl in hand-me-downs, whose name I never could pronounce said
 G7
 Pity, please, the ones who serve, they only get what they deserve.
 C
 The rich related home-town queen marries into what she needs
 Dm

G7 C
 A guarantee of company and haven for the elderly"
 Eb Dm G7
 Remember those who win the game, lose the love they sought to gain
 Cm Fm Cm Fm
 In debentures of quality and dubious in tegrity
 Ab G7 Cm Fm
 Their small town eyes will gape at you in dull surprise when payment due
 Dm G7
 exceeds accounts received at seventeen
 C Dm
 To those of us who know the pain of valentines that never came,
 G7 C
 and those whose name were never called when choosing side at basketball
 C Dm
 It was long ago and far away The world was younger than today
 G7 C
 and dreams were all they gave for free to ugly duckling girls like me
 Eb Dm G7
 We all play the game and when we dare to cheat ourselves at solitaire
 Cm Fm Cm Fm
 Inventing lovers on the phone, repenting other lives unknown
 Ab G7 Cm Fm
 that call and say "Come dance with me", and murmur vague obscenities
 Dm G7 C C
 at ugly girls like me, at seventeen

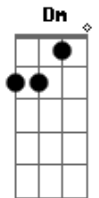
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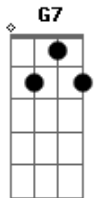
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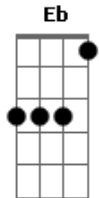
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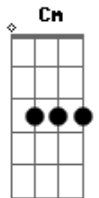
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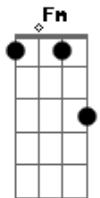
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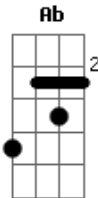
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