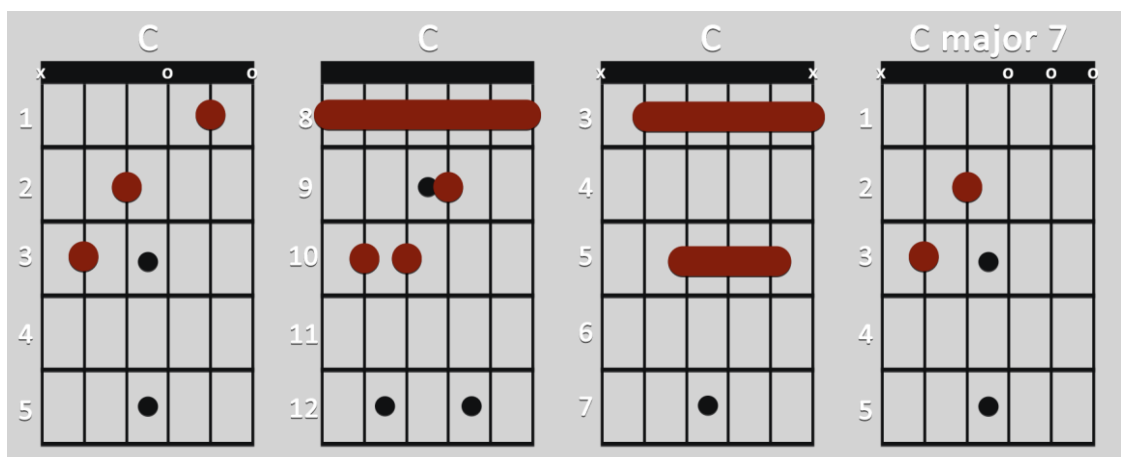
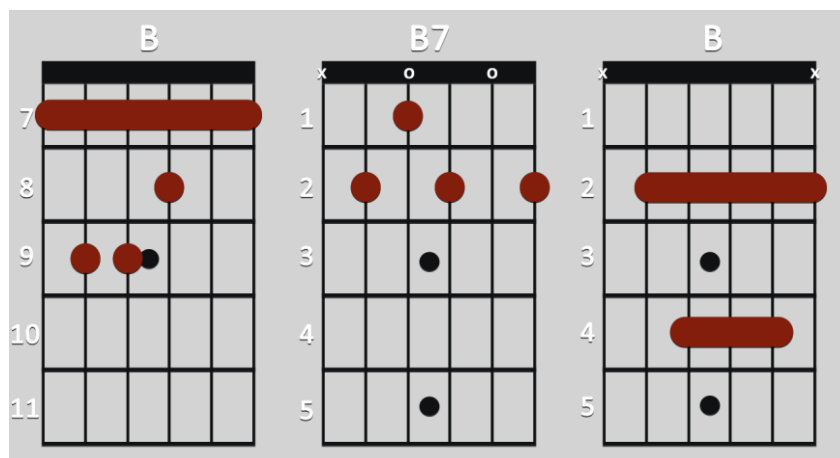


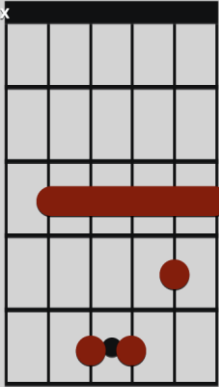
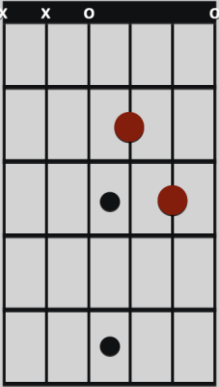
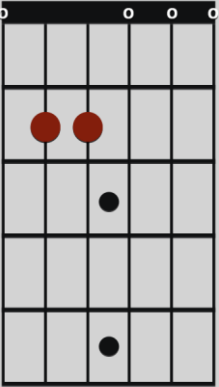
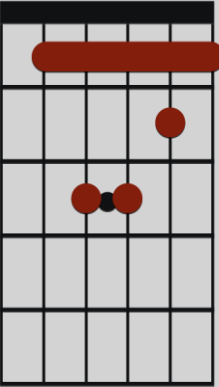
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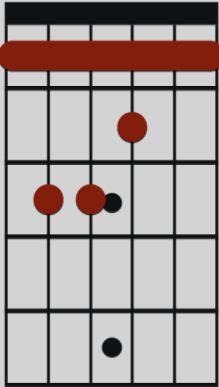
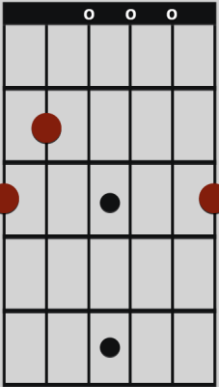
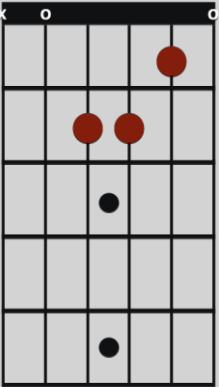
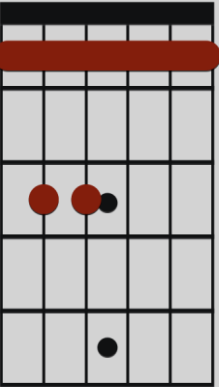
Hi there, hope you enjoyed the video, it's a great song for practicing your rhythm, and barre chords. Make sure you play along with the original!

If you missed the video guitar lesson, make sure you watch it here:
<http://www.theguitarlesson.com/guitar-lessons/take-me-to-church-guitar-lesson-hozier/>

Chords



Cm	D9	Em	Em
			

G	G	A minor	Am
			

Verse

	Em	Am Em	Am G	Am Em	Am
e					
B	0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1
G	0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2
D	2	2 2	2 0	2 2	2
A	2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0
E	0	0	3	0	

	Em	Am Em	Am G	Am Em	Am D9	C
e						
B	0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 3	1
G	0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 2	0
D	2	2 2	2 0	2 2	2 0	2
A	2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0	3
E	0	0	3	0		

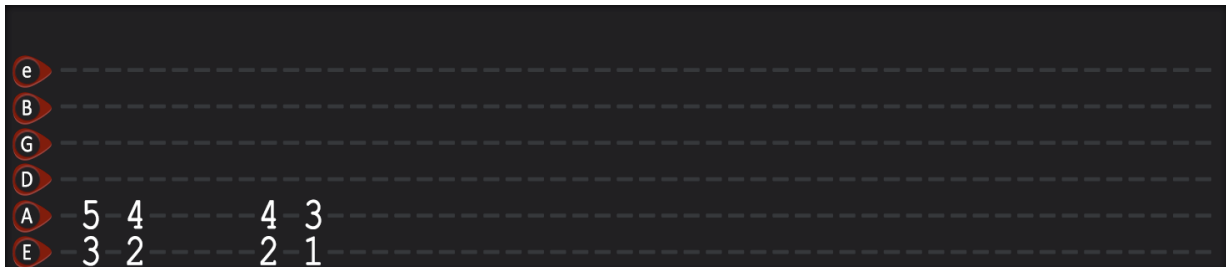
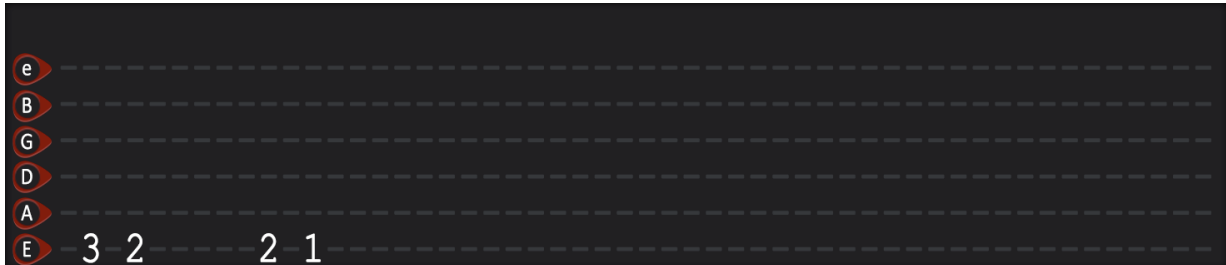
	Em	Am Em	Am G	Am Em	Am D9	C	C
e	0						
B	0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 3	1	1
G	0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 2	0	0
D	2	2 2	2 0	2 2	2 0	2	2
A	2	0 2	0 2	0 2	0	3	3
E	0	0	3	0			

Amen part

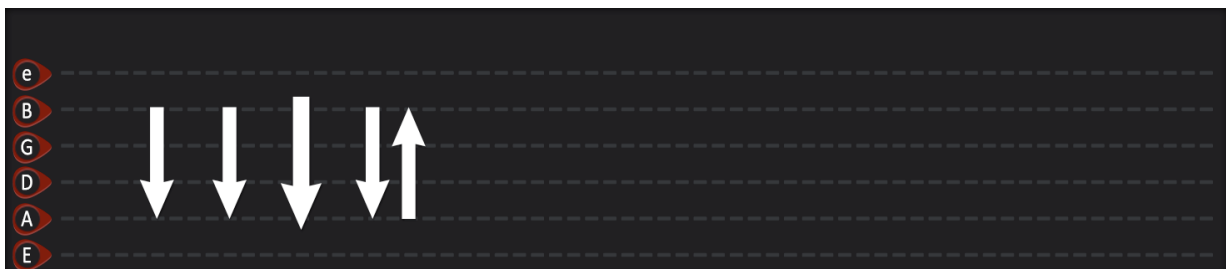
	G	C	G	Cm	G	Cm	G
e	3		3	3	3	3	3
B	3	5	3	4	3	4	3
G	4	5	4	5	4	5	4
D	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
A	5	3	5	3	5	3	5
E	3		3	3	3	3	3

Riff 1

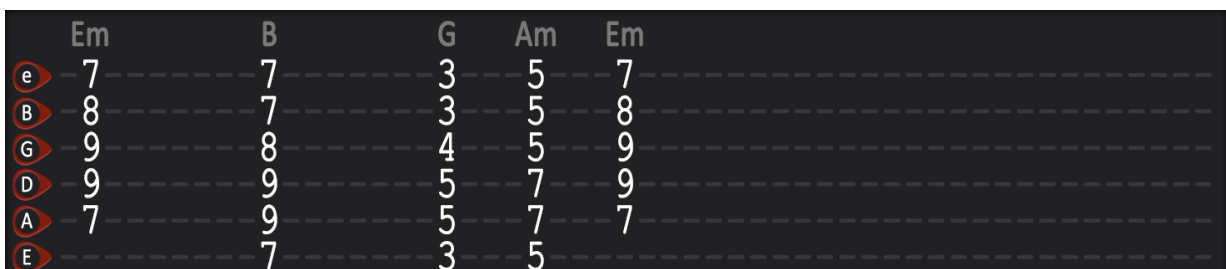
You can play power chords, or single notes, it's your choice.



Chorus



Here is the barre chord version:



And the open chord version:

	Em	B	G	Am	Em
e	0		3	0	0
B	0	4	0	1	0
G	0	4	0	2	0
D	2	4	0	2	2
A	2	2	2	0	2
E	0		3		0

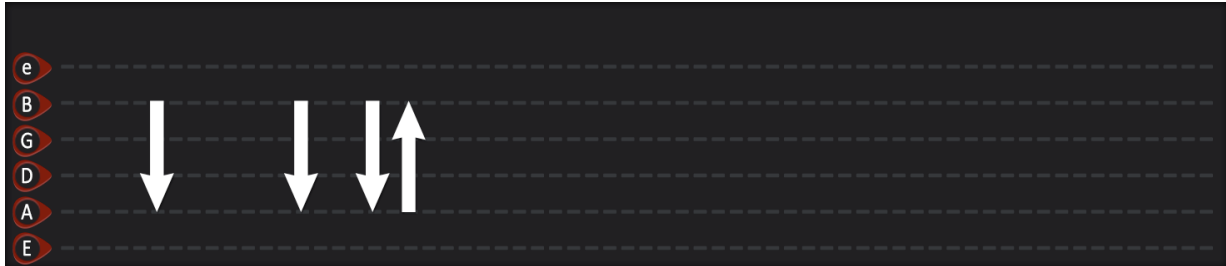
Riff 2

Again, you can play power chords, or single notes, it's your choice.

e				
B				
G				
D				
A				
E	5 3	3 2		

e				
B				
G				
D				
A	7 5	5 4		
E	5 3	3 2		

Bridge



	C	G	B7	Em
e	0	3	2	0
B	1	0	0	0
G	0	0	2	0
D	2	0	1	2
A	3	2	2	2
E		3		0

	C	G	B7	Em
e	0	3	2	0
B	1	0	0	0
G	0	0	2	0
D	2	0	1	2
A	3	2	2	2
E		3		0

	C	G	B7	Em
e	0	3	2	0
B	1	0	0	0
G	0	0	2	0
D	2	0	1	2
A	3	2	2	2
E		3		0

	C	G	B7	Em	D9	Cmaj7	C
e	0	3	2	0	0	0	0
B	1	0	0	0	3	0	1
G	0	0	2	0	2	0	0
D	2	0	1	2	0	2	2
A	3	2	2	2		3	3
E		3		0			

Lyrics

Em **Am**
My lover's got humour
Em **Am**
She's the giggle at a funeral
G **Am**
Knows everybody's disapproval
Em **Am**
I should've worshipped her sooner

Em **Am**
If the heavens ever did speak
Em **Am**
She is the last true mouthpiece
G **Am**
Every sunday's getting more bleak
Em **Am**
A fresh poison each week
D9
We were born sick
C
You heard them say it

Em **Am**
My church offers no absolutes
Em **Am**
She tells me, worship in the
bedroom
G **Am**
The only heaven I'll be sent to
Em **Am**
Is when I'm alone with you
D9 **C**
I was born sick, but I love it

Command me to be well
G C G Cm G Cm G (riff 1)
Amen, a__men, a__men, a__men

Chorus

Em
Take me to church

I'll worship like a dog
B
At the shrine of your lies

I'll tell you my sins
G
So you can sharpen your knife
Am
Offer me that deathless death
Em
Good God, let me give you my life

riff 2

Em
Take me to church

I'll worship like a dog
B

At the shrine of your lies

I'll tell you my sins
G
So you can sharpen your knife
Am
Offer me that deathless death
Em
Good God, let me give you my life

riff 2

Em **Am**
If I'm a pagan of the good times
Em **Am**
My lover's the sunlight
G **Am**
To keep the goddess on my side
Em **Am**
She demands a sacrifice
D9
To drain the whole sea
C
Get something shiny

Em **Am**
Something meaty for the main course
Em **Am**
That's a fine looking high horse
G **Am**
What you got in the stable?
Em **Am**
We've a lot of starving faithful
D9
That looks tasty
C
That looks plenty **(riff 1)**
This is hungry work

Chorus

Em
Take me to church

I'll worship like a dog
B
At the shrine of your lies

I'll tell you my sins
G
So you can sharpen your knife
Am
Offer me that deathless death
Em
Good God, let me give you my life

(riff 2)

Em
Take me to church

I'll worship like a dog
 At the shrine of your lies **B**
 I'll tell you my sins
 So you can sharpen your knife **G**
 Offer me that deathless death **Am**
 Good God, let me give you my life **Em**
 (riff 2)

Bridge

C **G**
 No masters or kings
 When the ritual begins **B7/F#** **Em/G**
 There is no sweeter innocence **C** **G**
 Than our gentle sin **B7/F#** **Em/G**
 In the madness and soil **C** **G**
 Of that sad earthly scene **B7/F#** **Em/G**
 Only then I am human **C** **G**
 Only then I am clean **B7/F#** **Em** **Em/D** **C7M** **C**
G C G Cm G Cm G (verse 1)
 A__men, a__men, a__men

Chorus

Em
 Take me to church
 I'll worship like a dog
 At the shrine of your lies **B**
 I'll tell you my sins
 So you can sharpen your knife **G**
 Offer me that deathless death **Am**
 Good God, let me give you my life **Em**

riff 2

Em
 Take me to church
 I'll worship like a dog
 At the shrine of your lies **B**
 I'll tell you my sins
 So you can sharpen your knife **G**
 Offer me that deathless death **Am**
 Good God, let me give you my life **Em**
 (riff 2) **Em**

Have fun, practice a lot and I'll see you in the next lesson!

Tom Fontana

And remember:

- Check out the rest of our [beginner guitar lessons](#) as well, all of our [guitar lessons on songs](#) were designed to improve your guitar skills through playing popular songs.
- When you feel like learning a bit more theory, have a look at the [guitar theory](#) section of the site.