

# The Spider and the Fly in C – Keith Richards/Mick Jagger

Intro. **Moderate speed** 4/4 “12 bar blues” or “shuffle”

**C7** **C** **C7** **C** **F** **F7** **C7** **C** **G7** **F** **C7** **C** **G7**

**C7**

Sittin', thinkin', sinkin', drinkin',

**C**

**C7**

wondering what I'd do when I'm through tonight.

**F**

**F7**

Smokin', mopin', maybe just hopin',

**C7**

**C**

**C7**

some little girl will pass on by.

**G7**

**F**

**F7**

I don't wanna' be alone but I love my girl at home,

**C7**

**C**

**G7**

I remember what she said, *what she said!*

*Optional repeat – must always play the G7*

**C**

She said, “My, my, my, don't tell lies,

**C7**

**C**

keep fidelity in your head”.

**F**

**F7**

“My, my, my, don't tell lies,

**C**

**C7**

**C**

when you're done you should go to bed”.

**G7**

**F**

**F7**

And don't say “Hi”, like a spider to a fly,

**C**

**C7**

**C**

**G7**

jump right ahead and you're dead, *and you're dead!*

**C7**

Sit up, fed up, low down, go around,

**C**

**C7**

down to the bar at the place I'm at.

**F**

**F7**

Sittin', drinkin', superficially thinkin',

**C7**

**C**

**C7**

about the rinsed-out blonde on my left.

**G7**

**F**

**F7**

And then I said “Hi”, like a spider to a fly,

**C**

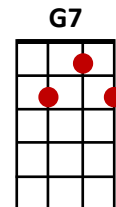
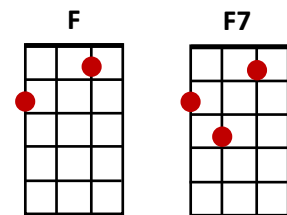
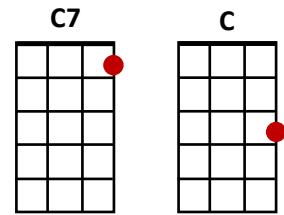
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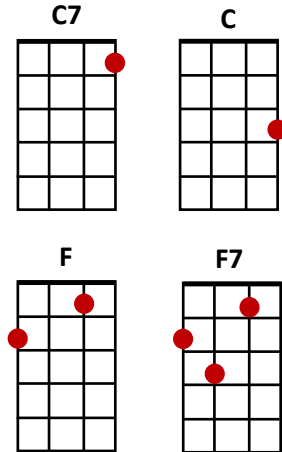
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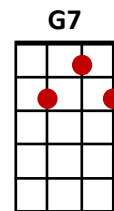
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 She was smart and flirty, she looked about thirty,  
**C C7**  
 I would have run away but I was on my own.  
**F F7 F**  
 She told me later she's a machine operator,  
**C7 C C7**  
 she said she liked the way I held the microphone.  
**G7 F F7**  
 And I said "My", like the spider to the fly,  
**C C7 C G7**  
 jump right ahead in my web, *in my web!*



**C7**  
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**C C7**  
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**F F7**  
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**C C7 C C↓ C7↓**  
 jump right ahead in my web.