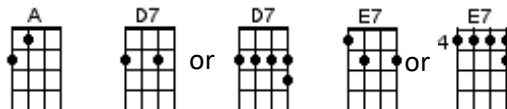


# JOHNNY B GOODE

Chuck Berry



Deep [A] down in Louisiana close to New Orleans  
 Way [A] back up in the woods among the evergreens  
 There [D7] stood a log cabin made of earth and wood  
 Where there [A] lived a country boy named Johnny B Goode  
 Who [E7] never ever learned to read or write so well  
 But he could [A] play the ukulele like a ringin' a bell

## CHORUS

Go go [A]  
 Go, Johnny go  
 Go go [A]  
 Go, Johnny go  
 Go go [D7]  
 Go, Johnny go  
 Go go [A]  
 Go Johnny Go  
 Go go [E7] ... [D]↓

A

A

D7

A

E7/D7

JohnnyB [A]Goode...[E7] A/E7

*These optional riffs can be played by a second (group of) player(s)*

*Advanced players can add these extra notes to the chord.*

*Riffs for the A & D7 chords can also be played in verses (not line 5)*

He used to [A] carry his uke in a gunny sack  
 And [A] sit beneath a tree by the railroad track  
 An' [D7] engineers would see him sitting in the shade  
 [A] Strummin' to the rhythm that the drivers made  
 [E7] People passing by... they would stop and say  
 Oh [A] my but that little country boy can play

## CHORUS

His [A] mother told him "someday you will be a man"  
 And [A] you will be the leader of a big ole' band  
 [D7] Many people comin' from miles around  
 To [A] hear your ukulele till the sun go down  
 [E7] Maybe someday your name will be in lights  
 Sayin' [A] 'Johnny B Goode tonight'

## CHORUS

(end on [A] )