

# Imagine Chords by John Lennon

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Imagine (1971)

(Lennon)

From "Imagine"

[Intro]

C	Cmaj7 F	Cadd9	Cmaj7 F
e ----- ----- ----- -----			
B -----0--- -----0- 3---3---3---0--- -----0-			
G 0---0---0---0--- 2---2---2---2h3-- 0---0---0---0--- 2---2---2---2h3--			
D 2---2---2---2--- 3---3---3---3--- 2---2---2---2--- 3---3---3---3---			
A --3---3---3---3- ----- ---3---3---3---3- -----			
E ----- ---1---1---1--- ----- ---1---1---1---			
1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &

[Verse]

Cadd9	Cmaj7 F	Cadd9	Cmaj7 F
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1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &

CHORDS and special voicings

C	x-3-2-0-1-0	G	3-x-0-0-0-3
Cmaj7	x-3-2-0-0-0	C/G	3-x-2-0-1-0 or 3-3-2-0-1-0
F	x-x-3-2-1-1	G7	3-x-0-0-3-1
Am/E	x-x-2-2-1-0	E	0-2-2-1-0-0
		E7	0-2-2-1-3-x

Dm7 x-x-0-2-1-1 (or Dm x-x-0-2-3-1)

F/C x-3-x-2-1-1 (or Dm/C x-3-x-2-3-1)

All the C chords in the verses are actually Cadd9 (x-3-2-0-3-0).

Use it for special flavour.

The Dm7 and F/C chords in the Bridges can also be played as regular Dm and Dm/C respectively (voicings: see above). Choose whatever sounds best to you.

[Intro]

C	Cmaj7	F	
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[Verse 1]

C	Cmaj7 F
Imagine there's no	heaven
C	Cmaj7 F
It's easy if you	try
C	Cmaj7 F
No hell below us	
C	Cmaj7 F
Above us only	sky

[Bridge 1]

F	Am/E	Dm7	F/C
Imagine all the	people		

**G C/G G7**  
Living for to - day a-hah

[Verse 2]

**C Cmaj7 F**  
Imagine there's no countries  
**C Cmaj7 F**  
It isn't hard to do  
**C Cmaj7 F**  
Nothing to kill or die for  
**C Cmaj7 F**  
And no religion too

[Bridge 2]

**F Am/E Dm7 F/C**  
Imagine all the people  
**G C/G G7**  
Living life in peace - you-hou-hou-ou-ou

[Chorus]

**F G C Cmaj7 E E7**  
You may say I'm a dreamer  
**F G C Cmaj7 E E7**  
But I'm not the only one  
**F G C Cmaj7 E E7**  
I hope some day you'll join us  
**F G C**  
And the world will be as one

[Verse 3]

**C Cmaj7 F**  
Imagine no pos - sessions  
**C Cmaj7 F**  
I wonder if you can  
**C Cmaj7 F**  
No need for greed or hunger  
**C Cmaj7 F**  
A brotherhood of man

[Bridge 3]

**F Am/E Dm7 F/C**  
Imagine all the people  
**G C/G G7**  
Sharing all the world - you-hou-hou-ou

[Chorus]

**F G C Cmaj7 E E7**  
You may say I'm a dreamer  
**F G C Cmaj7 E E7**  
But I'm not the only one  
**F G C Cmaj7 E E7**  
I hope some day you'll join us  
**F G C**  
And the world will live as one

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| h Hammer-on  
| x Dead note

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