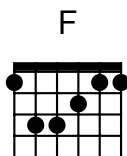
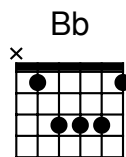
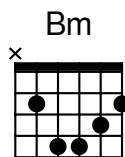
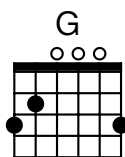
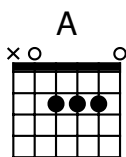
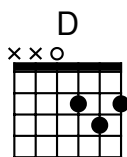


# Come Dancing

The Kinks



[D] [A] [A] [D]

(Verse 1)

[D] They put a parking lot on a piece of land

[A] Where the supermarket used to [D] stand.

[D] Before that they put up a bowling alley

[A] On the site that used to be the local [D] palais.

[G] That's where the big bands us[D]ed to come and play.

[A] My sister went there o[D]n a Saturday.

(Chorus)

Come [G] dancing,

All her boyfriends [D] used to come and call.

Why not come [A] dancing? It's o[G]nly n[D]atural

(Riff x2)

| [D] | [D] | [A] | [A] [D] | x2

(Verse 2)

[D] Another Saturday, another date.

[A] She would be ready but she'd always make him [D] wait.

[D] In the hallway, in anticipation,

[A] He didn't know the night would end up in frus[D]tration.

[G] He'd end up blowing all his [D] wages for the week

[A] All for a cuddle and a [D] peck on the cheek.

(Chorus)

Come [G]dancing,

That's how they did it when [D]I was just a kid,

And when they said come [A]dancing, my [G]sister always [D]did.

(Riff x2)

| [D] | [D] | [A] | [A] [D] | x2

(Bridge)

[Bm]My sister should have[A] come in at mid[G]night,

[Bm]And my mum would alw[A]ays sit up and [G]wait.

[Bm]It always en[A]ded up in a big[G] row

[Bm]When my sister use[A]d to get home I[G]ate.

(Interlude)

[D](spoken) Out of my w[A]indow I can see them in the moonlight,

[D]Two silhouettes saying goodnight by the garden [A]gate. (Mom yell[D]s at th  
..)

(Bridge)

[Bm]The day they [A]knocked down the [G]palais

[Bm]My sister[A] stood and [G]cried.

[Bm]The day they [A]knocked down th[G]e palais

[Bm]Part of my [A]childhood died,[G] just died.

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(loud)

[Bm] [A] [G] [A] x4

(Repeat intro)

[D] [A] [A] [D]

(Verse 3)

[D]Now I'm grown up and playing in a band,

[A]And there's a car park where the palais used to [D]stand.

[D]My sister's married and she lives on an estate.

[A]Her daughters go out, now it's her turn to [D]wait.

[G]She knows they get away with [D]things she never could,

[A]But if I asked her I [D]wonder if she would,

(Chorus)

Come [G]dancing,  
Come on sister, [D]have yourself a ball.  
Don't be afraid to come [A]dancing, it's o[G]nly na[D]tural.

(Riff x2)

| [D] | [D] | [A] | [A] [D] | x2

(Chorus)

Come [G]dancing,  
Just like the palais [D]on a Saturday.  
And all her friends will come [A]dancing  
Where the [G]big bands used to [Bm]play. [Bm] [Bm]

| [Bb] | [Bb] | [F] | [F] [Bb] | x4