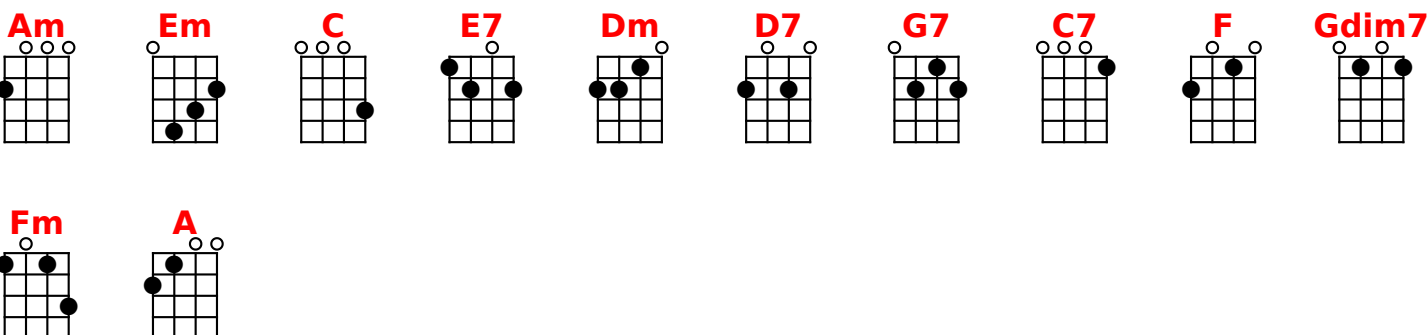


# When the red, red robin comes bob, bob bobbin' along

Harry Woods, 1926



[Am] I heard a [Em] robin this [Am] mornin'.  
 I'm feelin' [Em] happy to- [Am] day.  
 Gonna [C] pack my [E7] cares in a [Am] whistle,  
 and [Dm] blow them [E7] all a- [Am] way  
 [Am] What if [Em] I've been un- [Am] lucky,  
 I really [Em] haven't a [Am] thing  
 [C] There's a [E7] time I always feel [Am] happy,  
 as [D7] happy as a [G7] king.

When the [C] red, red robin comes  
 [G7] bob, bob bobbin' a- [C] long, along  
 There'll be no more sobbin' when  
 [G7] he starts throbbin' his [C] old, sweet [C7] song.  
 [F] Wake up, wake up, you [G7] sleepy head,  
 [C] get up, get [Am] up, get out of bed  
 [D7] Cheer up, cheer up, the sun is red.  
 [G7] Live, [Gdim7] love, [G7] laugh and be happy.

[C] What if I've been blue,  
 [G7] now I'm walkin' through [C] fields of flow'rs.  
 [C] Rain may glisten but  
 [G7] still I listen for [C] hours and [C7] hours.  
 [F] I'm just a kid again,  
 [Fm] doin' what I did again, [C] singing a [A] song.  
 When the [C] red, red, robin comes  
 [F] bob, bob [G7] bobbin',  
 When the [C] red, red, robin comes  
 [F] bob, bob [G7] bobbin',  
 When the [C] red, red, robin comes  
 [F] bob, bob [G7] bobbin' a- [C] long. [F] [C] [C] [C]

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