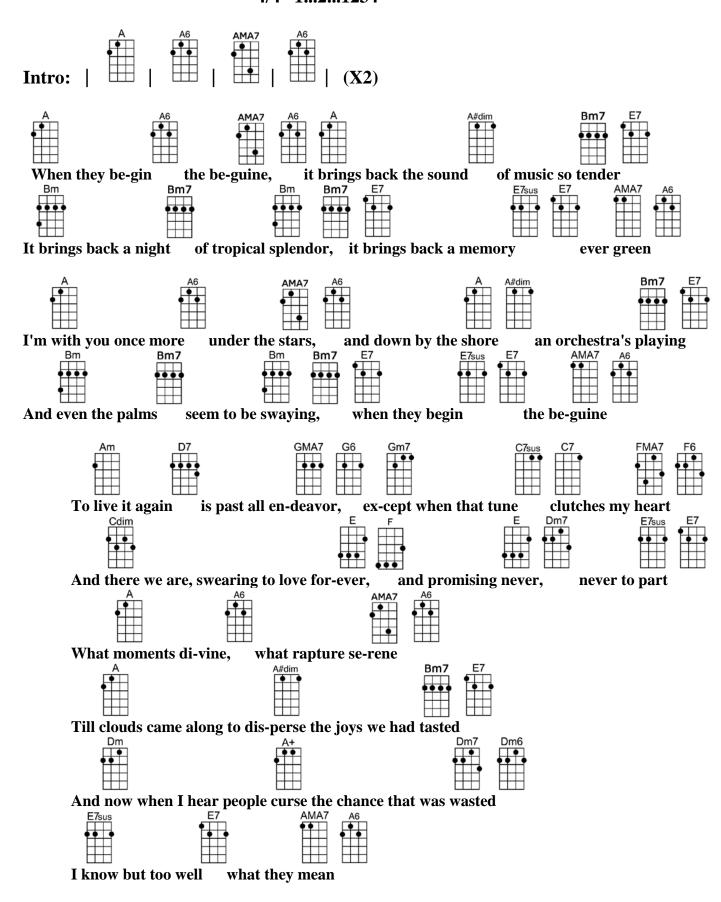
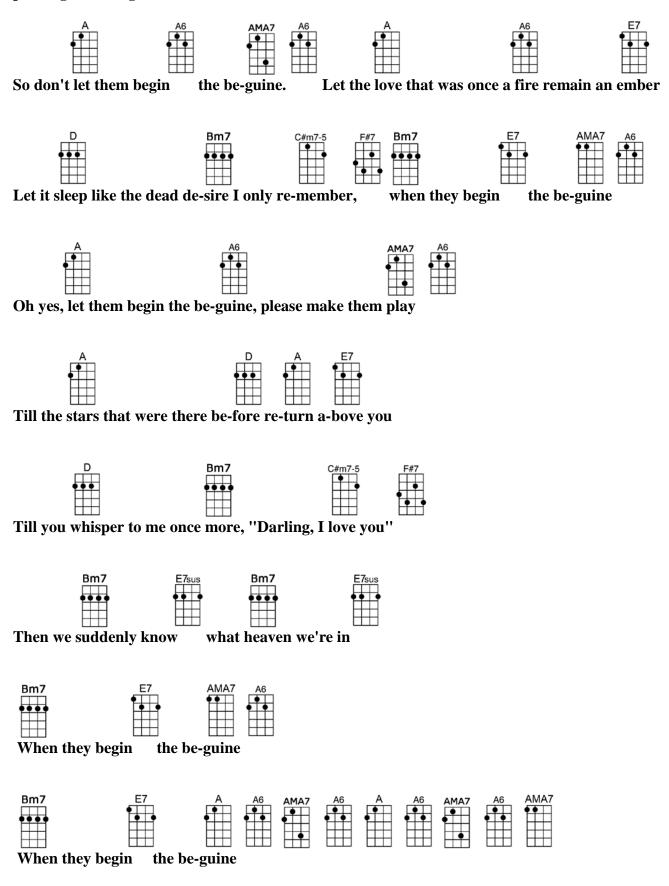


## BEGIN THE BEGUINE-Cole Porter

4/4 1...2...1234



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4/4 1...2...1234

Intro:   A   A6   AMA7   A6   (X2)
A A6 AMA7 A6 When they be-gin the be-guine
A A#dim Bm7 E7 It brings back the sound of music so tender
Bm Bm7 Bm Bm7 It brings back a night of tropical splendor
E7 E7sus E7 AMA7 A6 It brings back a memory ever green
A A6 AMA7 A6 I'm with you once more under the stars
A A#dim Bm7 E7 And down by the shore an orchestra's playing
Bm Bm7 Bm Bm7 And even the palms seem to be swaying
E7 E7sus E7 AMA7 A6 When they begin the be-guine
Am D7 GMA7 G6 To live it again is past all en-deavor
Gm7 C7sus C7 FMA7 F6 Ex-cept when that tune clutches my heart
Cdim E F And there we are, swearing to love for-ever
E Dm7 E7sus E7  And promising never, never to part
A A6 AMA7 A6 What moments di-vine, what rapture se-rene
A A#dim Bm7 E7 Till clouds came along to dis-perse the joys we had tasted
Dm A+ Dm7 Dm6 And now when I hear people curse the chance that was wasted
E7sus E7 AMA7 A6 I know but too well what they mean

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A A6 AMA7 A6 So don't let them begin the be-guine
A A6 E7 Let the love that was once a fire remain an ember
D Bm7 C#m7b5 F#7 Let it sleep like the dead de-sire I only re-member
Bm7 E7 AMA7 A6 When they begin the be-guine
A A6 AMA7 A6 Oh yes, let them begin the be-guine, please make them play
A D A E7 Till the stars that were there be-fore return a-bove you
D Bm7 C#m7b5 F#7 Till you whisper to me once more, "Darling, I love you"
Bm7 E7sus Bm7 E7sus Then we suddenly know what heaven we're in
Bm7 E7 AMA7 A6 When they begin the be-guine
Bm7 E7 A A6 AMA7 A6 A A6 AMA7 A6 AMA7 When they begin the be-guine