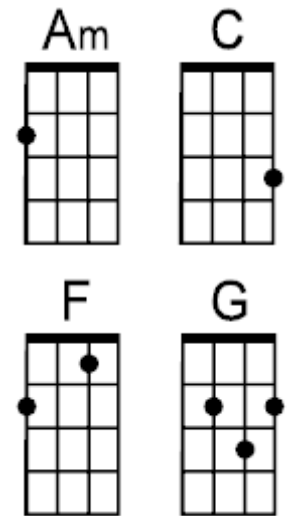


I Hope You Dance

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C C C C
I hope you never lose your sense of wonder
Am Am Am Am
You get your fill to eat but always keep that hunger
F F F F
May you never take one single breath for granted
G G G G
God forbid love ever leave you empty handed

C C C C
I hope you still feel small when you stand beside the ocean
Am Am Am Am
Whenever one door closes I hope one more opens
F F F F
Promise me that you'll give faith a fighting chance
G G G G
And when you get the choice to sit it out or dance



Am F C G Am F G G
I hope you dance. I hope you dance

C C C C
I hope you never fear those mountains in the distance
Am Am Am Am
Never settle for the path of least resistance
F F F F
Livin' might mean takin' chances, but they're worth takin'
G G G G
Lovin' might be a mistake, but it's worth makin'
C C C C
Don't let some hellbent heart leave you bitter
Am Am Am Am
When you come close to sellin' out, reconsider
F F F F
Give the heavens above more than just a passing glance
G G G G
And when you get the choice to sit it out or dance

<Chorus 2 times> <Repeat Verse 2>

Am F C G Am F G G
Dance. I hope you dance

<Chorus 1 more time>