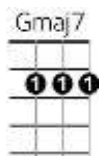
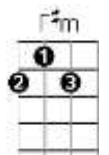
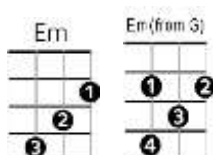
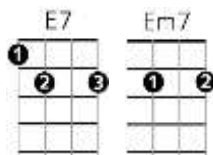
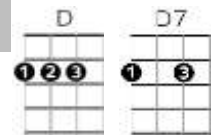
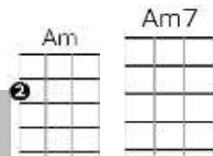
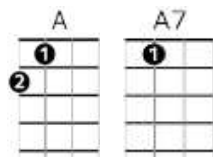


# Always Look on the Bright Side of Life – Eric Idle, Monty Python (1979)

**Am** **D** **G** **Em(7)** **Single Strums**  
 Some fings in life are bad, they can really make you sad,  
**Am** **D** **G(maj7)** **G7**  
 Other fings just make you swear and curse. -- When you're  
**Am** **D** **G** **Em(7)**  
 chewing on life's gristle, don't grumble, give a whistle,  
**A** **A7** **D** **D7**  
 And this'll 'elp things turn out for the best .. and .....

## Chords



**G** **Em** **Am7** **D7** **G** **Em** **Am7** **D7** **Chorus 1**  
 Always look on the bright side of life, { - -, - - - - - whistle}  
 Always look on the light side of life, { - -, - - - - - whistle}

**Am** **D** **G** **Em(7)**  
 If life seems jolly rotten, there's something you've forgotten  
**Am** **D** **G(maj7)** **G7**  
 And that's to laugh and smile and dance and sing. -- When you're  
**Am** **D** **G** **Em(7)**  
 feeling in the dumps, don't be silly chumps,  
**A** **A7** **D** **D7**  
 Just purse your lips and whistle – that's the thing and .....

## Chorus 1 (with right instead of light)

**Am** **D** **G** **Em(7)**  
 For life is quite absurd, and death's the final word  
**Am** **D** **G(maj7)** **G7**  
 You must always face the curtain with a bow  
**Am** **D** **G** **Em(7)**  
 Forget about your sin – give the audience a grin,  
**A** **A7** **D** **D7**  
 Enjoy it – it's your last chance anyhow. So .....

**G** **Em** **Am7** **D7** **G** **Em** **Am7** **D7** **Chorus 2**  
 Always look on the bright side of death, { - -, - - - - - whistle}  
 Just before you draw your terminal breath, { - -, - - - - - whistle}

**Am** **D** **G** **Em(7)**  
 Life's a piece of shit, when you look at it  
**Am** **D** **G(maj7)** **G7**  
 Life's a laugh and death's a joke it's true  
**Am** **D** **G** **Em(7)**  
 You'll see it's all a show, keep 'em laughing as you go  
**A** **A7** **D** **D7**  
 Just remember that the last laugh is on you. And ...

## Chorus 1 then key change: {'Come on guys, cheer up'}

**A** **F#m** **D** **E7** **A** **F#m** **D** **E7**  
 Always look on the bright side of life, { - -, - - - - - whistle}  
 Always look on the light side of life, { - -, - - - - - whistle}

**Chorus 3**  
**( x3 )**  
**End on A**