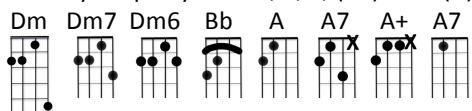


Sunny Afternoon

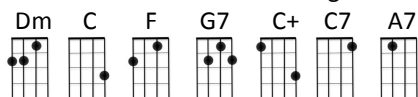
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Chord fingering for the descending riff

Move your pinky from 5, 3, 2, (Bb) then (A)0, 3, (A+)0, A7



Chords for the rest of the song.



Chords in { } are optional. If preferred, just continue to play only the chords in []

INTRO - **Dm A7 Dm A7**

(2 strums each chord) or picked notes (see chord fingering above & tab below) over chords:

[Dm] {Dm7} {Dm6} {Bb} [A] {A7} {A+} [A7]

[Dm] {Dm7} {Dm6} {Bb} [A] {A7} {A+} [A7]

bass DD CC BB BbBb AA GG FF EE

Pick these notes over: **Dm A7 Dm A7**

A|55 33 22 11|00 -- -- -- |55 33 22 11|00 -- -- --
 E|-- -- -- --| -- 33 11 00|-- -- -- --|-- 33 11 00

The **[Dm]**tax man's taken **[C]**all my dough and
[F]left me in my **[C]** stately home
[A]Lazing **{A7}**on a **{A+}**sunny **{A7}**after **[Dm]**noon

bass AA GG FF EE DD

And I can't **[C]**sail my yacht he's **[F]**taken every**[C]**thing I've got
[A]All I've **{A7}**got's this **{A+}**sunny **{A7}**after**[Dm]**noon **[D]**

bass AA GG FF EE [no DD]

[D7]Save me, save me, save me from this **[G7]**squeeze [GG FF EE DD]

I got a **[C7]** big fat mama **[C]**trying to **[C+]**break **[F]**me **[A7]**

bass CC BbBb AA G#G# AA C#C# EE GA
 A G F EE A C# E A

And I **[Dm]**love to live so **[G7]**pleasantly

[Dm]live this life of **[G7]**luxur**[C7]**y

[F]Lazing on a **[A7]**sunny after-

[Dm]noon **{Dm7} {Dm6} {Bb}**In the **[A]** summer**{A7}**time **{A+} [A7]**

bass DD CC BB BbBb AA GG FF EE

In the **[Dm]**summer**{Dm7}**time **{Dm6} {Bb}** in the **[A]**summer**{A7}**time **{A+}[A7]**

bass DD CC BB BbBb AA GG FF EE

My **[Dm]**girlfriend's run off **[C]** with my car and

[F]gone back to her **[C]**ma and pa

[A]Telling **{A7}**tales of **{A+}**drunken**{A7}**ness and **[Dm]**cruelty

bass AA GG FF EE DD

Now I'm **[C]**sitting here **[F]**sipping at my **[C]**ice cold beer

[A]Lazing **{A7}**on a **{A+}** sunny **{A7}**after**[Dm]**noon **[D]**

bass AA GG FF EE [no DD]

 [D7] Help me, help me, help me sail a [G7] way [GG FF EE DD]
 Or give me [C7] two good reasons [C] why I [C+] oughta [F] stay [A7]
bass CC BbBb AA G#G# AA C#C# EE GA
 A G F EE A C# E A

Cause I [Dm] love to live so [G7] pleasantly
 [Dm] live this life of [G7] luxur[C7]y
 [F] Lazing on a [A7] sunny after-
 [Dm] noon {Dm7} {Dm6} {Bb} In the [A] summer{A7}time {A+} [A7]
bass DD CC BB BbBb AA GG FF EE

In the [Dm] summer[Dm7]time [Dm6] [Bb] in the [A] summer[A7]time [A+][A7]
bass DD CC BB BbBb AA GG FF EE

 [D7] Save me, save me, save me from this [G7] squeeze [GG FF EE DD]
 I got a [C7] big fat mama [C] trying to [C+] break [F] me [A7]
bass CC BbBb AA G#G# AA C#C# EE GA
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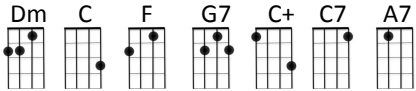
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bass DD CC BB BbBb AA GG FF EE

In the [Dm] summer{Dm7}time {Dm6} [Bb] in the [A] summer{A7}time {A+}[A7]
bass DD CC BB BbBb AA GG FF EE

In the [Dm] summer[Dm7]time [Dm6] [Bb] in the [A] summer[A7]time [A+][A7] Dm
bass DD CC BB BbBb AA GG FF EE

Sunny Afternoon

Ray Davies (The Kinks) ©1966 Easier version



1 2 3 4 | 1 2 3 4 | 1 2 3 4 | 1 2 3 4

INTRO: [Dm] [Dm] [A] [A] *play twice*

The [Dm]tax man's taken [C]all my dough and
[F]left me in my [C]stately home
[A]Lazing on a sunny after[Dm]noon, And I can't
[C]sail my yacht he's [F]taken every[C]thing I've got
[A]All I've got's this sunny after[Dm]noon [D]

[D7]Save me, save me, save me from this [G7]squeeze
I got a [C7] big fat mama [C]trying to [C+]break [F]me [A7]
And I [Dm]love to live so [G7]pleasantly
[Dm]live this life of [G7]luxur[C7]y
[F]Lazing on a [A7]sunny after-[Dm]noon
In the [A]summertime [A7]
In the [Dm]summertime In the [A]summertime [A7]

My [Dm]girlfriend's run off [C]with my car and
[F]gone back to her [C]ma and pa
[A]Telling tales of drunkenness and [Dm]cruelty, Now I'm
[C]sitting here [F]sipping at my [C]ice cold beer
[A]Lazing on a sunny after[Dm]noon [D]

[D7]Help me, help me, help me sail a[G7]way
Or give me [C7]two good reasons [C]why I [C+]oughta [F]stay [A7]
Cause I [Dm]love to live so [G7]pleasantly
[Dm]live this life of [G7]luxur[C7]y
[F]Lazing on a [A7]sunny after-[Dm]noon
In the [A] summertime [A7]

In the [Dm]summertime in the [A]summertime [A7]

[D7]Save me, save me, save me from this [G7]squeeze
I got a [C7] big fat mama [C]trying to [C+]break [F]me [A7]
And I [Dm]love to live so [G7]pleasantly
[Dm]live this life of [G7]luxur[C7]y
[F]Lazing on a [A7]sunny after-
[Dm]noon In the [A]summertime [A7]

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