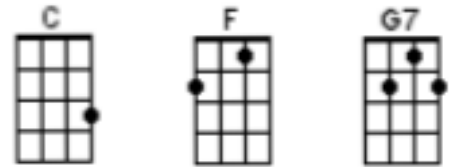


# Hitchin' A Ride (Vanity Fare)



First notes to sing: C D E G

## Verse 1:

**C** \* \* \* \*  
A thumb goes up, a car goes by, it's nearly 1 a.m. and here am I,  
**F G7 C**  
Hitchin a ride... hitchin' a ride.  
**F G7 C**  
Gotta get me home... by the morning light.

## Verse 2:

**C** \* \* \* \*  
I got no fare to ride a train, I'm nearly drowning in the pouring rain,  
**F G7 C**  
Hitchin a ride... hitchin' a ride.  
**F G7 C**  
Gotta get me home... to my baby's side.

### Chorus:

**F G7 C**  
Ride, ride, ride, hitchin' a ride.  
**F G7 C**  
Ride, ride, ride, hitchin' a ride.

## Verse 3:

**C** \* \* \* \*  
Long distance call I got to-day, she sounded lonely so I'm on my way,  
**F G7 C**  
Hitchin a ride... hitchin' a ride.  
**F G7 C**  
Gotta get me home... keep her satis-fied.

### Chorus:

**F G7 C**  
Ride, ride, ride, hitchin' a ride.  
**F G7 C**  
Ride, ride, ride, hitchin' a ride.

## Verse 4:

**C** \* \* \* \*  
A thumb goes up, a car goes by, oh, won't some-body stop and help a guy?  
**F G7 C**  
Hitchin a ride... hitchin' a ride.  
**F G7 C**  
Been away too long... from my baby's side.

### Chorus:

**F G7 C**  
Ride, ride, ride, hitchin' a ride.  
**F G7 C G7 C**  
Ride, ride, ride, hitchin' a ride.

**C and C5**  
You can (optionally) add an additional note of **G** to the chord of **C Major** by fingering 2nd string, 3rd fret.

These two chords can be alternated at the **blue star**.