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Piano Man

Pop Stars on the Ukulele
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Billy Joel (1973)
Arranged by Gary Jugert
for Ukulele

Repeats:

- 0 thru 78
- 15 thru 78
- 15 thru 78
- 15 thru 77
- 79 to end

Chords & Lyrics

Ukulele Melody

TuffUke

Tempo: ♩ = 140

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It's nine o'clock on a Saturday, the regular
(Now) John at the bar is a friend of mine. He gets me my
(And) Paul is a real estate novelist, who never had
(There's a) pretty good crowd for a Saturday, the man-a-ger

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F G7 C F Am

20
 crowd shuf - fles in. There's an old man joke sit - ting
 drinks for free, and he's quick with a joke or to
 time for a wife, and he's talk - in' with Davy who's
 gives me a smile 'cause he knows that it's me they've been

Bb F Bb C F Bb F

25
 next to me mak-in' love to his ton - ic and gin.
 light up your smoke, but there's some place that he'd rath - er be.
 still in the Navy and pro - ba - bly will be for life.
 com-in' to see to for - get a - bout life for a - while.

C7 F Am Bb F Bb

32
 He says "Son, can you play me a mem - o - ry?
 He says, "Bill, I be - lieve this is kill - ing me," I'm not real - ly
 And the wait - ress is prac - tic - ing pol - i - tics as a smile ran a -
 An the pia - no sounds like a car - ni - val, the bus - 'ness - men
 the mic - ro - phone

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F
G7
C
F
Am
B♭

38 39 40 41 42 43

sure how it goes, but it's sad and it's sweet and I kew it com -
 way from his face, "Well, I'm sure that I could be a mov - ie star
 slow - ly get stoned. Yes, the're shar - ing a drink they call lone - li - ness,
 smells like a beer, and they sit at the bar and put bread in my

F
B♭
C7
F
C7
Dm
Dm

44 45 46 47 48 49 50

plete when I wore a young-er man's clothes." Da da da de de
 if I could get out of this place." Da da da de de
 but it's bet - ter than drink - in' a lone. [instrumental] da da da de de
 jar and say, "Man what are you do - in' here?" Da da da de de

Dm
Dm
B♭
B♭
G7
G7
C
B♭
Am

51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59

da, da, da, da da de de da da da.
 da, da da de de da da da.
 da, da da de de da da da.

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C7



F



Am



Bb



F



Bb



F



G7



C



60

61

62

63

64

65

66

67

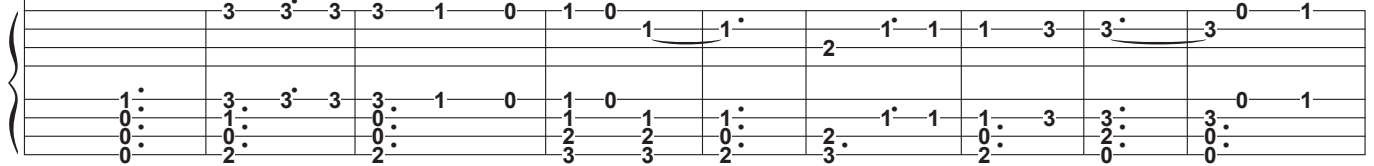
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Sing us a song, you're the pia-no man.

Sing us a song to - night.

Well, we're



F



Am



Bb



F



Bb



C



F



69

70

71

72

73

74

75



all in the mood for a mel-o-dy

and you've got us feel-in' al - right.



Bb



F



C



C7



F



Am



Bb



F



76

77

78

79

80

81

82

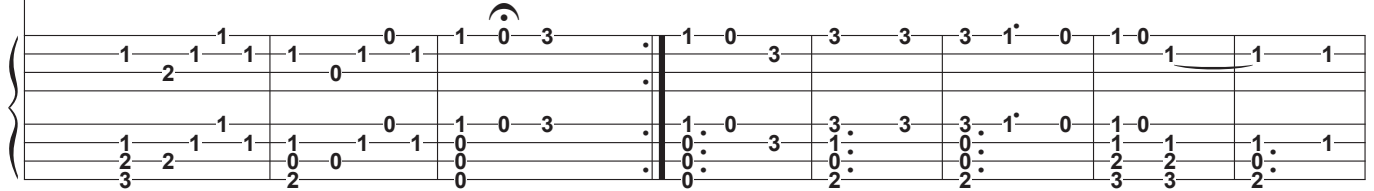
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rit.

a tempo

Now
And
There's a



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B \flat

C

F

B \flat

F

B \flat

F

C7



84

85

86

87

88

89

Musical notation for measures 84-89. The top staff is in treble clef, and the bottom staff is in bass clef. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-3. Measure 84: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 1-1). Measure 85: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1). Measure 86: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1, 0, 3). Measure 87: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 2, 1, 1, 1). Measure 88: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1, 0, 1). Measure 89: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1, 0, 1).

F

B \flat

F

B \flat

F

Gm7

F

F



90

91

92

93

94

95

Musical notation for measures 90-95. The top staff is in treble clef, and the bottom staff is in bass clef. Measure 90: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1, 0, 3). Measure 91: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 2, 1, 1, 1). Measure 92: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1, 0, 1). Measure 93: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1). Measure 94: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1). Measure 95: Treble (quarter, quarter), Bass (1, 0, 1). A 'rit.' marking is present below measure 93.