

Riptide

(by Vance Joy)

Strum: D DU DU DU

Intro: Am /// | G /// | C /// | C /// X2

Am G C
I was scared of dentists and the dark

Am G C
I was scared of pretty girls and starting conversations, oh

Am G C
All my friends are turning green, you're the

Am G C
magician's assistant in their dream

Am G C Am G C {one strum}
Ooh, ooh, ooh... Oh... and they come unstuck

Am G C
Lady, running down to the riptide, taken away to the

Am G C
dark side, I wanna be your left hand man

Am G C
I love you, when you're singing that song and, I got a lump in my

Am G C
throat 'cause you're gonna sing the words wrong

Am G C
There's this movie that I think you'll like

Am G C
This guy decides to quit his job and heads to New York City

Am G C
This cowboy's running from himself

Am G C
And she's been living on the highest shelf

Am G C Am G C {one strum}
Ooh, ooh, ooh... Oh... and they come unstuck

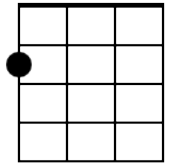
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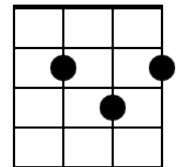
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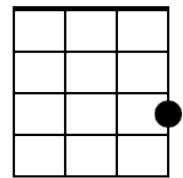
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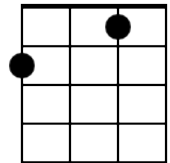
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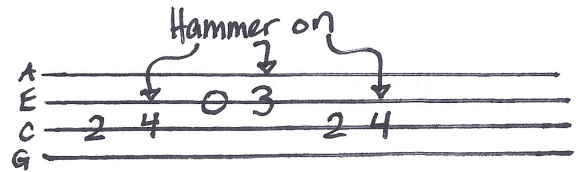
C



F



*fingerpicking - pattern repeated 4 times ->



Am G
I just wanna, I just wanna know
C F
If you're gonna, if you're gonna stay
Am G
I just gotta, I just gotta know
C F {one strum}
I can't have it, I can't have it any other way

{single strums} Am G C
I swear she's destined for the screen
Am G C
Closest thing to Michelle Pfeiffer that you've ever seen, oh

{quietly}
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{full volume}
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Am G C {one strum}
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