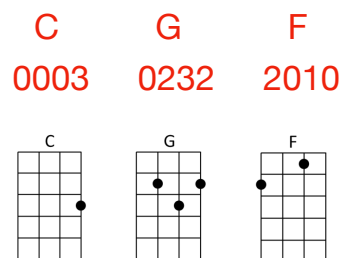


# DOWN ON THE CORNER

Key of C Starting pitch: C  
Intro: Bass and percussion riff

Written by John Fogerty  
Creedence Clearwater Revival, 1969

V1 [C] Early in the evenin' G// just about supper C// time  
[C] Over by the courthouse, they're G// startin' to C// unwind.  
[F] Four kids on the corner [C] tryin' to bring you up.  
[C] Willy picks a tune out and he G// blows it on C// the harp.



## CHORUS

F// Down on the C// corner, G// out in the C// street,  
Willy and the F// Poor Boys are C// playin'; bring a G// nickel. Tap your C// feet.

V2 [C] Rooster hits the washboard, G// People just gotta C// smile.  
[C] Blinkey thumps a gut-bass and G// solos for a -C//while.  
[F] Poor Boy twangs the rhythm out [C] on his kalamazoo  
And Willy goes into a dance and G// doubles on ka -C//zoo.

## CHORUS

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INSTRUMENTAL (Kazoo) [C] G// C// [C] G// C// [F] [C] [C] G// C//

## CHORUS

F// Down on the C// corner, G// out in the C// street,  
Willy and the F// Poor Boys are C// playin'; bring a G// nickel. Tap your C// feet.

V3 [C] You don't need a penny G// just to hang C// around,  
[C] But if you got a nickel, won't you G// lay your money C// down?  
[F] Over on the corner [C] there's a happy noise.  
People come from all around to G// watch the magic C//boys.

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Willy and the F// Poor Boys are C// playin'; bring a G// nickel. Tap your C// feet. (HOLD)