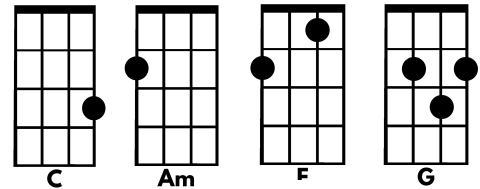


Come on Up to the House

By Tom Waits

Key: C



INTRO: C Am F C
C G C

VERSE 1

C Am F C
Well, the moon is broken and the sky is cracked
C Am
Come on up to the house
C Am F C
The only things that you can see is all that you lack
C G C
Come on up to the house
C Am F G
All your crying don't do no good
C Am
Come on up to the house
C Am F C
Come down off the cross, we can use the wood
C G C
You gotta come on up to the house

CHORUS

C C Am
Come on up to the house, come on up to the house
C Am F C
The world is not my home I'm just a-passing through
C G C
You got to come on up to the house

VERSE 2

C Am F C
There's no light in the tunnel, no irons in the fire
C Am
Come on up to the house
C Am F C
And you're singing lead soprano in a junkman's choir
C G C
Come on up to the house
C Am F C
Does life seem nasty, brutish and short
C Am
Come on up to the house
C Am F C
The seas are stormy and you can't find no port
C G C
Got to come on up to the house

CHORUS

INSTRUMENTAL (verse chords)

CHORUS

VERSE 3

C Am F C
There's nothing in the world that you can do
C Am
You gotta come on up to the house
C Am F C
And you been whipped by the forces that are inside you
C G C
Gotta come on up to the house
C Am F C
Well, you're high on top of your mountain of woe
C Am
Gotta come on up to the house
C Am F C
You know you should surrender, but you can't let go
C G C
You gotta come on up to the house, yeah

CHORUS

C C Am
Come on up to the house, come on up to the house
C Am F C
The world is not my home I'm just a-passing through
C G C
You got to come on up to the house
C G C
You got to come on up to the house
C G F C
You got to come on up to the house