

I Won't Back Down - Tom Petty

(Lynne/Petty)

Recommended strumming pattern:

D U D D U U U D U D U D U

Intro:

Em D	G	Em D	G
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1) Well I

Verse:

Em D	G	Em D	G
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won't back down no I won't back down you could

Em D	C	Em D	G
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stand me up at the gates of hell but I won't back down no I'll

:Em D	G	Em D	G
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stand my ground won't be turned ar- ound and I'll
know what's right I got just one life in a

3) Instrumental



Chorus:

Em D	C	Em D	G
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keep this world from draggin me down gonna stand my ground and I
world that keeps on pushin me around but I'll stand my ground and I

Em D	G
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won't back down
won't back down

Chorus:

3rd time to coda

C	D	C	D
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hey baby there ain't no easy way out

C	D	Em D	G
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hey I stand my ground and I

Em D	G	:	
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won't back down 2) Well I

Coda:

C	D	Em D	G
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hey I won't back down



C	D	C	D
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hey baby there ain't no easy way out

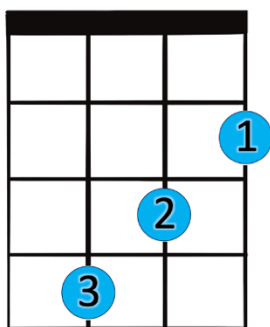
C	D	Em D	G
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hey I stand my ground and I

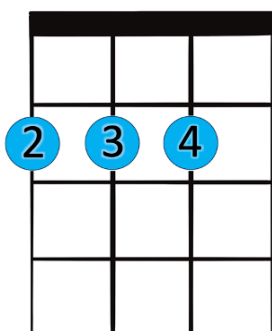
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won't back down no I won't back down

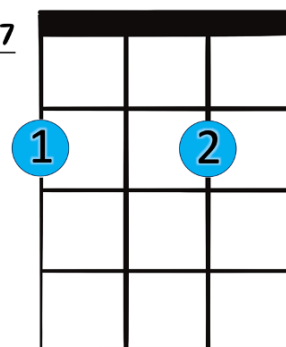
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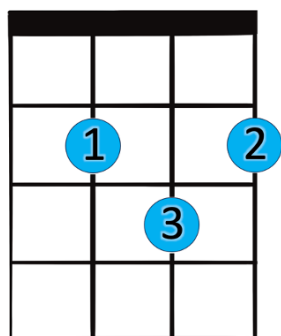
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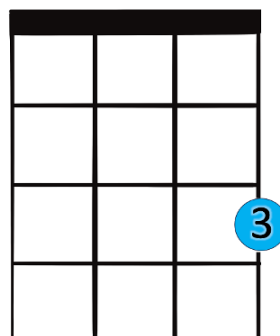
D7



G



C



Note: In this piece, D can be substituted for D7.

