WHAT A WONDERFUL WORLD *(island version)*

by Bob Thiele & George Weiss, 1967
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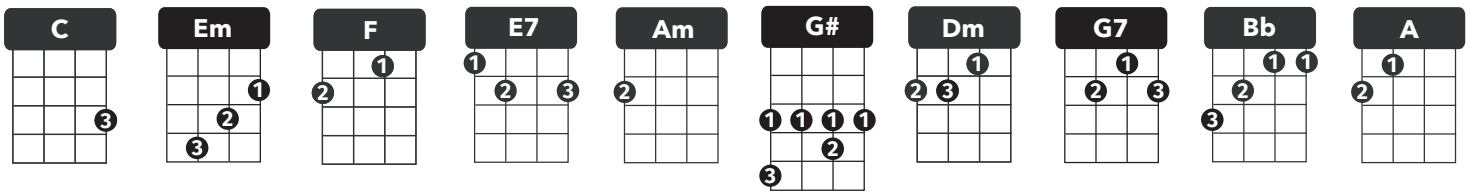
Ukulele arrangement by Cynthia Lin, http://cynthialin.com/ukulele



beginner backbeat: *d D d D, per chord*
reggae variations: *x D x D, x= mute; or x D X D, X= chuck; or x du X du*

VERSE 1 **C** **Em** **F** **C** **F** **C** **E7** **Am**
I see trees of green red roses too I see them bloom for me and you
(intermediate ***G#*** ***G#)***
F **F** **Dm** **G7** **Am** **Am** **Dm** **G7**
And I think to myself What a wonderful world

VERSE 2 **C** **Em** **F** **C** **F** **C** **E7** **Am**
I see skies of blue and clouds of white bright blessed day, dark sacred night
(intermediate ***G#*** ***G#)***
F **F** **Dm** **G7** **C** **F** **C** **C**
And I think to myself What a wonderful world

BRIDGE **G7** **G7** **C** **C** **G7** **G7** **C** **C**
The colors of the rainbow so pretty in the sky, are also on the faces of people going by
F **C** **F** **C**
I see friends shaking hands, saying, "How do you do?"
F **C** **Dm** **Dm** **G7** **G7/**
They're really saying, "I love you."

VERSE 3 **C** **Em** **F** **C** **F** **C** **E7** **Am**
I hear babies cry I watch them grow They'll learn much more than we'll ever know
(intermediate ***G#*** ***G#)***
F **F** **Dm** **G7** **C** **Bb** **A** **A/**
And I think to myself What a wonderful world
Dm **Dm** **G7** **G7** **C** **Am** **Dm** **G7**
Yes I think to myself What a wonderful world —> REPEAT VERSE 2 AS SOLO, BRIDGE, VERSE 3 to OUTRO

OUTRO **C** **Am** **Dm** **G7/** **C/**
What a wonderful world What a wonderful world