

# The Unicorn

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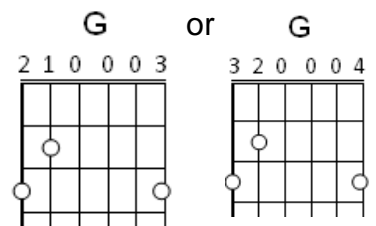
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A long time ago when the earth was green, There was more kinds of animals  
Than you've ever seen. They'd run around free, When the earth was being born  
But the loveliest of them all was the U- ni- corn  
There was green alligators, And long-necked geese  
Some humpy-backed camels And some chimpanzees  
Some cats and rats and elephants, But sure as you're born  
The loveliest of all was the U- ni- corn



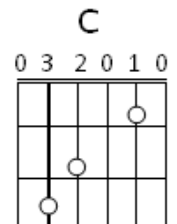
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Now God had seen some sinners, And it gave him pain  
And he said, "Stand back, I'm going to make it rain."  
He said, "Hey, Brother Noah, I'll tell you what to do  
Build me a floating zoo, and Take some of them..."



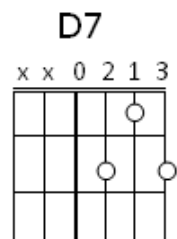
Green alligators And long-necked geese  
Some humpy-backed camels And some chimpanzees  
Some cats and rats and elephants But sure as you're born- Don't you forget my Unicorns"

Old Noah was there To answer the call. He finished up makin' the Ark  
Just as the rain started fallin'. He marched in the animals, two by two,  
And he called out as they went through, "Hey Lord, I got your..."



Green alligators And long-necked geese  
Some humpy-backed camels And some chimpanzees  
Some cats and rats and elephants But Lord it's so forlorn- I just can't see no Unicorns.

Then Noah looked out Through the driving rain  
Them Unicorns were hiding, Playin' silly games  
Kickin' and splashin' While the rain was pourin'. Oh, them silly Unicorns



There was green alligators And long-necked geese  
Some humpy-backed camels And some chimpanzees  
Noah cried "Close the doors" 'cause the rain was pourin'  
"And we just can't wait for no Unicorns."

The Ark started movin'. It drifted with the tide  
Them Unicorns looked up From the rocks and they cried  
And the waters came down And sort of floated them away  
And that's why you've never seen A Unicorn to this very day

You'll see green alligators And long-necked geese  
Some humpy-backed camels And some chimpanzees  
Some cats and rats and elephants But as sure as you're born  
You're never gonna see no U- - ni -- corns

