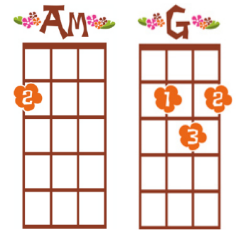


Ashes to Ashes David Bowie

Strum: Island

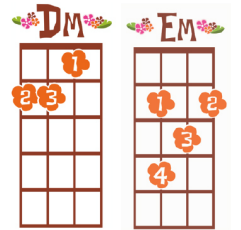
INTRO: RIFF (also played at asterix in Chorus/Outro) (Note ** in Outro)

[Am]	[G]**	[Dm]	[Am]	[G]	[Dm]	[Am]
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E 0	0		0	0		0
C		2			2	

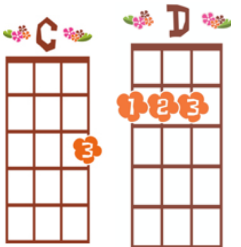


Verse 1

[G] Do you remember a guy that's been
 [Em] In such an early song?
 [C] I've heard a rumour from ground control
 [D] Oh no, don't say it's true
 [F] I got a message from the action man
 [C] I'm happy, [G] hope you're happy [F] too
 I've [F] loved all I've needed [G] love
 Sordid de-[E]-tails following

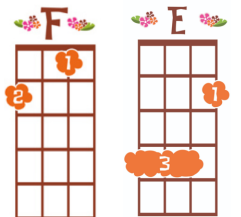


[A] The shrieking of nothing is killing, just
 [E] Pictures of Jap girls in synthesis, and I
 [G] Ain't got no money and I ain't got no [D] hair
 [F] But I'm hoping to kick, but the planet is [C] glowing [E]



Chorus

[F] Ashes to ashes [G] funk to funky, [C] we know Major [Am] Tom's a junky
 [F] Strung out in heaven's [G] high, hitting an [Am]* all-time [G] low.



Instrumental

[Dm] [Am] [G] [Dm] [Am]

Verse 2

[G] Time and again I tell myself [Em] I'll stay clean tonight
 [C] But the little green wheels are following [D] me, oh no not again
 [F] I'm stuck with a valuable friend [C] I'm happy, [G] hope you're happy [F] too
 One flash of light [G] but no smoking pis-[E]-tol

[A] I've never done good things [E] I've never done bad things
 [G] I never did anything out of the [D] blue, woah-wo-ah
 [F] Want an axe to break the ice [C] want to come down right [E] now

Chorus

[F] Ashes to ashes [G] funk to funky, [C] we know Major [Am] Tom's a junky
 [F] Strung out in heaven's [G] high, hitting an [Am]* all-time [G] low.

[Dm] [Am] [G]

Outro (Repeat and fade)

[Dm] My mama said to [Am] get things done, you'd [G]** better not mess with [Dm] Major Tom
 [Am] My mama said to [G] get things done, you'd [Dm] better not mess with [Am] Major Tom
 [G] My mama said to [Dm] get things done, you'd [Am] better not mess with [G] Major Tom [Dm]

Additional Picking option:
 Pick C, E and A strings on each chord during Verses