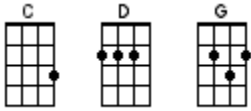# Love Is A Rose

Neil Young 1974

INSTRUMENTAL INTRO: < Starting note: B > / 1 2 3 4 /

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[G] Long ago in a **/ [D]**↓ wes-**[D]**↓tern **[G]** town **/**
[G] Pick me up but my **/ [C]**↓ feet **[C]**↓ are **[G]** draggin' **/**
[G] Give me a lift and I'll **/ [D]**↓ hay **[D]**↓ your **[G]** wagon **/ [G] / [G] /**
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