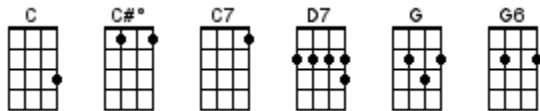


# Three Little Fishies

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## INSTRUMENTAL INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /

[G] "Swim" said the [G6] mamma fishie [C] "Swim if you [C#dim] can"  
And they [D7] swam and they [C7] swam all [D7] over the [G] dam

[G] Down in the [G6] meadow in the [C] itty bitty [D7] pool  
Swam [G] three little [G6] fishies and the [C] mamma fishie [D7] too  
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[G] "Stop" said the [G6] mamma fishie "or [C] you'll get [D7] lost"  
But the [G] 3 little [G6] fishies didn't [C] want to be [D7] bossed  
So the [G] 3 little [G6] fishies went [C] out on a [C#dim] spree  
And they [D7] swam and they [C7] swam right [D7] out to the [G] sea

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[G] "Whee" yelled the [G6] fishies "oh [C] here's a lot of [D7] fun  
We'll [G] swim in the [G6] sea till the [C] day is [D7] done"  
So they [G] swam and they [G6] swam, it was [C] all a [C#dim] lark  
Till [D7] all of a [C7] sudden they [D7] saw a [G] shark!

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Till [D7] all of a [C7] sudden they [D7] saw a [G] shark!

[G] "Help" cried the [G6] fishies, "oh [C] look at the [D7] whales!"  
And [G] quick as they [G6] could, they turned [C] on their [D7] tails  
And [G] back to the [G6] pool in the [C] meadow they [C#dim] swam  
And they [D7] swam and they [C7] swam back [D7] over the [G] dam

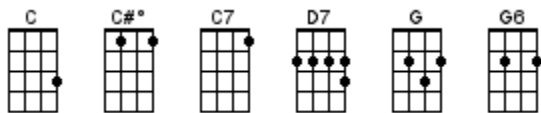
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