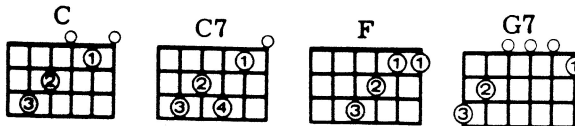


# The Ballad Of John And Yoko

CHORDS USED IN THIS SONG:

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Moderato

C

C7

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F G7 D.C. at Fine

C / / / / /// / / / /// C7 / / /  
 Standing in the dock at Southamp-ton trying to get to Holland or France. The man in the "mac"  
 Said, "You've got to go back, you know they didn't even give us a chance." Christ  
 You know it ain't easy, You know how hard it can be. The way things are go - ing.  
 NC C /// C /// C G7 / / /  
 They're gonna crucify me. Fin'llly made the plane into Par - is, Honeymooning  
 Down by the Seine. Peter Brown called to say, "You can make it O.K. You can get married in  
 Gibraltar near Spain." Christ! You know it ain't easy, You know how hard it can be.  
 /// G7 / /// NC C /// C /// F /  
 The way things are go - ing, They're gonna crucify me. Saving up your money  
 For a rainy day, giving all your clothes to charity. Last night the wife said,  
 Oh boy, when you're dead you don't take nothing with you but your soul.  
 C / / / / /// / / / /// C7 / / /  
 Caught the early plane back to Lon-don, fifty acorns tied in a sack. The men from the press  
 Said, "We wish you success, it's good to have the both of you back." Christ! You know it ain't easy.  
 / / / C /// / / / G7 / /// NC C ///  
 You know how hard it can be. The way things are go - ing, They're gonna crucify me.