

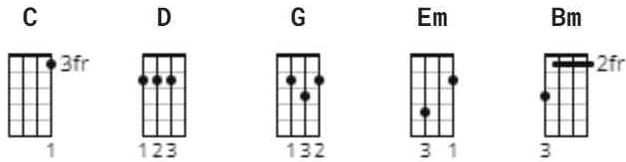
Viva La Vida Ukulele by Coldplay

Difficulty: beginner

Tuning: G C E A

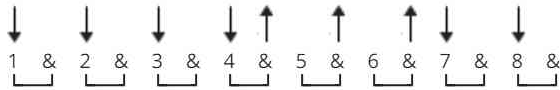
Capo: 1st fret

CHORDS



STRUMMING

138 bpm



[Intro]

C D G Em x2

[Verse 1]

C D
I used to rule the world
G Em
Seas would rise when I gave the word
C D
Now in the morning I sleep alone
G Em
Sweep the streets I used to own

[Interlude]

C D G Em x2

[Verse 2]

C D
I used to roll the dice
G Em
Feel the fear in my enemy's eyes
C D
Listen as the crowd would sing:
G Em
"Now the old king is dead! Long live the king!"

[Verse 3]

C D
One minute I held the key
G Em
Next the walls were closed on me

C D
And I discovered that my castles stand
 G Em
Upon pillars of salt and pillars of sand

[Chorus]

 C D
I hear Jerusalem bells are ringing
G Em
Roman Cavalry choirs are singing
C D
Be my mirror, my sword, and shield
 G Em
My missionaries in a foreign field
C D
For some reason I can't explain
G Em C D
Once you go there was never, never an honest word
 Bm Em
That was when I ruled the world

[Interlude]

C D G Em x2

[Verse 4]

 C D
It was the wicked and wild wind
 G Em
Blew down the doors to let me in.
 C D
Shattered windows and the sound of drums
 G Em
People couldn't believe what I'd become

[Verse 5]

 C D
Revolutionaries wait
 G Em
For my head on a silver plate
 C D
Just a puppet on a lonely string
 G Em
Oh who would ever want to be king?

[Chorus]

 C D
I hear Jerusalem bells are ringing
G Em
Roman Cavalry choirs are singing
C D
Be my mirror, my sword, and shield
 G Em
My missionaries in a foreign field
C D
For some reason I can't explain

G **Em**
I know Saint Peter will call my name,
C **D**
never an honest word
Bm **Em**
But that was when I ruled the world

[Interlude]

C **D** **G** **Em** x4

C **D** **G** **Em** x4
Ohhhhh Ohhh Ohhh

[Chorus]

C **D**
I hear Jerusalem bells are ringing
G **Em**
Roman Cavalry choirs are singing
C **D**
Be my mirror, my sword, and shield
G **Em**
My missionaries in a foreign field
C **D**
For some reason I can't explain
G **Em**
I know Saint Peter will call my name,
C **D**
never an honest word
Bm **Em**
But that was when I ruled the world

C **D** **G** **Em** repeating, fading away
Ooooooh Ooooooh Ooooooh