Lemon Tree Peter Paul and Mary

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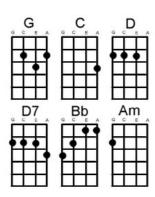
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Intro: G C G C G D G D 7

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When [G] I was [D] just a [G] lad of ten my father [D] said to [G] me

Come here and [D] take a [Em] lesson from

The [C] lovely [D7] lemon [G] tree

Don't [C] put your [Bb] faith in [C] love my [Bb] boy

My [C] father [Bb] said to [Am] me

I [Ab] fear you'll find that [C] love is like the [F] lovely [G7] lemon [C7] tree

Chorus:

Lemon [F] tree very pretty and the lemon flower is [C] sweet But the fruit of the poor lemon is impossible to [F] eat Lemon [F] tree very pretty and the lemon flower is [C] sweet But the fruit of the poor lemon is impossible to [F] eat [D7]

One [G] day be[D]neath the [G] lemon tree my love and [D] I did [G] lie

A girl so [D] sweet that [Em] when she smiled

The [C] stars rose [D7] in the [G] sky

We [C] passed that [Bb] summer [C] lost in [Bb] love

Be[C]neath the [Bb] lemon [Am] tree

The [Ab] music of her [C] laughter

Hid my [F] father's [G7] words from [C7] me

Repeat Chorus

One [G] day she [D] left with [G] out a word she took a [D] way the [G] sun

And in the [D] dark she [Em] left behind

I [C] knew what [D7] she had [G] done

She'd [C] left me [Bb] for a[C]nother [Bb]

It's a [C] common [Bb] tale but [Am] true

A [Ab] sadder man but [C] wiser now

I [F] sing these [G7] words to [C7] you

Repeat Chorus

(Leave out final D7 from chorus)

[F] Lemon [C] tree lemon [F] tree lemon [C] tree lemon [F] tree