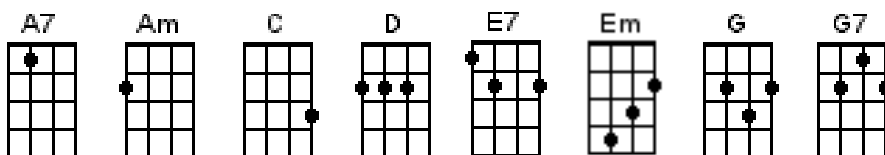


Fernando

Written and performed by ABBA

Time

Strum: D Du Udu



Intro: [G] [C] [G] [G/]

Verse 1

[NC] Can you hear the drums, [G] Fernando?
I remember long ago another starry night like [Em] this,
In the firelight, [Am] Fernando,
You were humming to yourself, and softly strumming your [D] guitar.
I could hear the distant drums, and sounds of bugle calls
were coming from a[G]-far [stop]

Verse 2

[NC] They were closer now [G] Fernando,
Every hour, every minute seemed to last e[Em]-ternally.
I was so afraid [Am] Fernando.
We were young and full of life and none of us prepared to [D] die.
And I'm not ashamed to say, the roar of guns
and cannons almost made me [G] cry [stop]

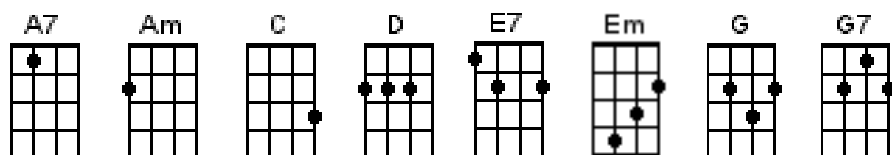
Chorus

[NC] There was something in the [D] air that night,
The stars were bright, [G] Fernando.
They were shining there for [D] you and me,
For liberty, [G] Fernando.
Though we [G7] never thought that we could [E7] lose,
There's no re[A]-gret.
[A7] If I had to do the [D] same again,
I would, my friend, [G] Fernando

[G] If I had to do the [D] same again,
I would, my friend, [G] Fernando [stop]

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[NC] Now we're old



Verse 3

[NC] Now we're old and grey [G] Fernando.
 Since many years I haven't seen a rifle in your [Em] hand.
 Can you hear the drums [Am] Fernando?
 Do you still recall the fateful night we crossed the Rio [D] Grande?
 I can see it in your eyes, how proud you were
 to fight for [G] freedom in this land.

Chorus

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 The stars were bright, [G] Fernando.
 They were shining there for [D] you and me,
 For liberty, [G] Fernando.
 Though we [G7] never thought that we could [E7] lose,
 There's no re[A] -gret.
 [A7] If I had to do the [D] same again,
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Outro:

[G] If I had to do the [D] same again,
 I would, my friend, [G] Fernando [stop]

Link to song, see: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yy6VArbas18&list=RDyy6VArbas18&start_radio=1