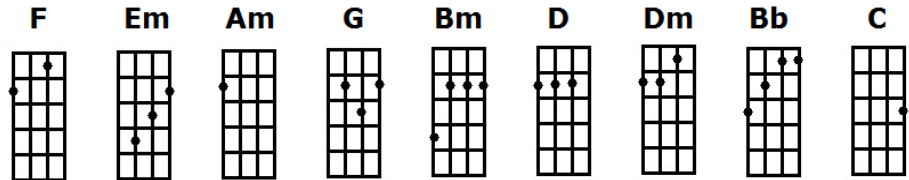


**Africa**  
Toto



Intro F F F F F F Em Am  
 A-0-0--0-0--0-0--2--3-----  
 E-1-1--1-1--1-1--3--0-----  
 G-0-0--0-0--0-0--4--0-----  
 C-2-2--2-2--2-2--0--2-----

**Verse 1**

**G Bm Em**  
 I hear the drums echoing tonight  
**D F Am Em F FF FF Em Am**  
 But she hears only whispers of some quiet conversation  
**G Bm Em**  
 She's coming in twelve-thirty flight  
**D F Am Em F FF FF Em Am**  
 Her moonlit wings reflect the stars that guide me towards salvation  
**G Bm Em**  
 I stopped an old man along the way  
**D F Am Em F FF FF Em Am**  
 Hoping to find some old forgotten words or ancient melodies  
**G Bm Em D F FF FF Em Am**  
 He turned to me as if to say: "Hurry boy, it's waiting there for you"

**Chorus**

**Dm Bb F C**  
 It's gonna take a lot to drag me away from you  
**Dm Bb F C**  
 There's nothing that a hundred men or more could ever do  
**Dm Bb F C**  
 I bless the rains down in Africa  
**Dm Bb F Am Dm C**  
 Gonna take some time to do the things we never had

**Interlude: F FF FF Em Am**

**Verse 2 (same chords as verse 1)**

The wild dogs cry out in the night  
 As they grow restless longing for some solitary company  
 I know that I must do what's right  
 Sure as Kilimanjaro rises like Olympus above the Serengeti  
 I seek to cure what's deep inside, frightened of this thing that I've become

**Repeat Chorus, play verse as interlude, Repeat Chorus**