My Pony, Ukulele and Me

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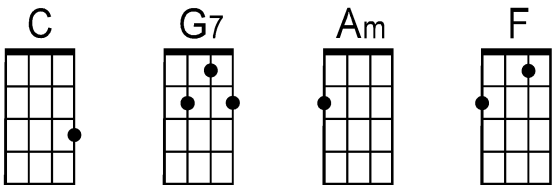
(based on “My Rifle, Pony and Me” from the movie “Rio Bravo”)



C\ G7\
Intro: The sun is sinking in the west The cattle go down to the stream
C\ Am\ C\
The red wings settle in their nest It's time for a cowboy to dream

. | C . . . | F . . . | C . . . | Am . .
Purple light in the canyon That's where I long to be
. | C . . . | F . . . | C . . . | F . .
With my three good com-panions Just my pony, uku-lele and me
. | C . . . | F . . . | C . . . | Am . .
Gonna hang my som-brero on the limb of a tree
. | C . . . | F . . . | C . F . | C . .
Comin' home sweetheart darlin' Just my pony, uku-lele and me

. | C . . . | F . . . | C . . . | Am . .
Whippoor-will *(whistle)* in the willow *(whistle)* sings a sweet *(whistle)* melo-dy
. | C . . . | F . . . | C . . . | F . .
Ridin' to (Ridin' to) Ama-rillo (Amarillo) Just my pony, uku-lele and me
. | C . . . | F . .
No more cows (no more cows) to be ropin' (to be ropin')
. | C . . . | Am . .
No more strays (no more strays) will I see
. | C . . . | F . .
Round the bend (round the bend) she'll be waitin' (she'll be waitin')
. | C . F . | C . . . | . . F . |C\
For my pony, uku-lele and me For my pony, uku-lele and me-e-e

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