

# Margaritaville

## Jimmy Buffet



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Key: D

Tempo: 124 BPM

Chords needed: D, G, A, D7

Video Tutorial: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c09bbVQY6EA>

### Intro Riff

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
D	G	A	
A -----	-----	-----	-----
E 5-5-5-3---	5-5-5-3---	7-7---7---	5-3-2 -----
C 6-6-6-4---	6-6-6-4---	7-7---7---	6-4-2 -----
G -----	-----	-----	-----

### Strum Pattern

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &  
D D U U D U

### Verse Chord Progression

|D//// |D//// |D//// |D////  
|D//// |D//// |A//// |A////  
|A//// |A//// |A//// |A////  
|A//// |A//// |D//// |D7////

### Chorus Chord Progression

|G//// |A//// |D//// |D7////  
|G//// |A//// |D//// |D7////  
|G//// |A//// |D//A//|G////  
|A//// |A//// |D//// |D////

[Intro]

D G A D

[Verse]

D

Nibblin' on sponge cake, watchin' the sun bake

A

All of those tourists covered with oil

**A**

Strummin' my six string, on my front porch swing

Smell those shrimp they're beginnin' to boil

[Chorus]

**G** **A** **D** **D7**

Wastin' away again in Margaritaville,

**G** **A** **D** **D7**

searchin' for my lost shaker of salt

**G** **A** **D** **A/C#** **G**

Some people claim that there's a wo-man to blame,

**A** **G** **D**  
but I know, it's nobody's fault

[Verse]

**D**

Don't know the reason, I stayed here all season

**A**  
Nothin' to show but this brand new tattoo

**A**  
But it's a real beauty, a Mexican cutie

**D** **D7**  
How it got here I haven't a clue

[Chorus]

[Instrumental - D Major Scale for Improvisation]

|D//// |D//// |D//// |D////  
|D//// |D//// |A//// |A////  
|G//// |A//// |D//A//|G////  
|A//// |A//// |D//// |D////

[Verse]

**D**

I blew out my flip flop, stepped on a pop top

**A**  
Cut my heel had to cruise on back home

**A**  
But there's booze in the blender, and soon it will render

**D** **D7**  
That frozen concoction that helps me hang on

[Chorus]

[Outro]

**D G A D**