

Ferron - Ain't Life a Brook

tom:

Intro: D G Em D

D
I watch you reading a book

G
I get to thinking our love's a polished stone

Em
You give me a long drawn look

D
I know pretty soon you're going to leave our home

And of course I mind

G
Especially when I'm thinking from my heart

Em
But life don't clickety clack down
A straight line track

D
It comes together and it comes apart

G A
You say you hope I'm not the kind

Bm Gb
To make you feel obliged

D G A
To go ticking through your time

Bm Gb D G
With a pained look in your eyes

A
You give me the furniture

Bm Gb D
We'll divide the photographs

G
Go out to dinner one more time

Have ourselves a bottle of wine

Em
And a couple of laughs

D
And when first you left

G
I stayed so sad I wouldn't sleep

Em
I know that love's a gift, I thought yours was mine

D
And something that I could keep

G
Now I realize that time is not the only compromise

Em
But a bird in the hand could be an all night stand

D
Between a blazing fire and a pocket of skies

G A
So I hope I'm not the kind

Bm Gb
To make you feel obliged

D G A

To go ticking through your time

Bm Gb D G
With a pained look in your eyes

A D Bm
I covered the furniture, I framed the photographs

G
Went out to dinner one more time

Em
Had myself a bottle of wine and a couple of laughs

D
And just the other day

G
I got your letter in the mail

Em
I'm happy for you, its been so long

D
You've been wanting a cabin and a backwoods trail
And I think that's great...me

G
I seem to find myself in school

Em
It's all Ok, I just want to say

D
I'm so relieved we didn't do it cruel

But ain't life a brook

G
Just when I get to feeling like a polished stone

Em
I give me along drawn look

D
It's kind of a drag to find yourself alone

And sometimes I mind

G
Especially when I'm waiting on your heart

Em
But life don't clickety clack down
A straight line track

D
It comes together and it comes apart

G A
Cause I know you're not the kind

Bm Gb
To make me feel obliged

D G A
To go ticking through my time

Bm Gb D G
With a pained look in my eyes

A Bm Gb D
I sold the furniture, I put away the photographs

G
Went out to dinner one more time

Em
Skipped the bottle of wine

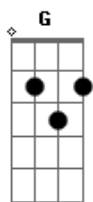
Had a couple of laughs

D
And wasn't it fine

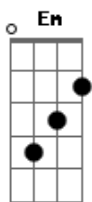
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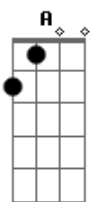
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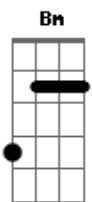
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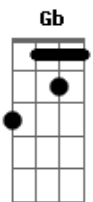
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