

GUITAR-FREE PRACTICE GUIDE

Learn & Play Guitar on Paper WITHOUT a Guitar. Imagine the Music & Sing Out Loud!

A free gift so make copies & share! SingingBibleDrill.com (click "all free resources") for PIANO-FREE PRACTICE, UKULELE-FREE PRACTICE & more!

To preserve actual size of guitar neck, DO NOT reduce or enlarge when making copies. Use Landscape mode. To make guitar neck firm, place cardboard (1 and 3/4 by 11 inches), a flat ruler, or quart paint/craft sticks inside the folds.

Ask a guitar playing friend, read music books & view instructional YouTube videos (including *Dee Downey Pruett Official Channel*) to learn more.

*HINTS: Memorize & tune guitar strings - **E A D G B E** Every Addult Dog Growls, Barks, Eats (The thickest or 6th string is the lower sounding E. The thinnest or 1st string is the higher sounding E.)

Learn the names, numbers & location of strings & frets by utilizing the Chord Charts on pages 1 & 3.

To play a chord, Arch your fingers. Use Left Hand finger tips to fret (press) the strings. It may feel awkward but keep practicing! You will develop *muscle memory* & **You will learn!**

C Chord

- 1st finger tip on 1st fret of B (2nd) string
- 2nd finger on 2nd fret of D (4th) string
- 3rd finger on 3rd fret of A (5th) string
- Strum first five strings to play the C chord

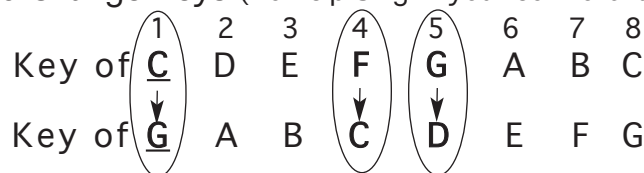
F Chord

- 1st finger pad on 1st fret of both E & B (1st & 2nd) strings
(Bar - use index finger to press down multiple strings across a single fret)
- 2nd finger on 2nd fret of G (3rd) string
- 3rd finger on 3rd fret of D (4th) string.
- Strum the first four strings to play the F chord

G Chord

- 1st finger on 2nd fret of A (5th) string
- 2nd finger on 3rd fret of E (6th) string
- 3rd finger on 3rd fret of E (1st) string
- Strum all six strings to play the G chord

To Change Keys (To help Sing in your comfort range)



Page 1- GUITAR-FREE PRACTICE

Page 3 - GUITAR-FREE PRACTICE *Sing Along Songs* & Chord Chart
ENJOY Learning, Playing & Singing Everyday! Love God & Love People!

To play single notes (melody/lead) on guitar, see below

Each fret is going up one half note

The first OPEN column is the note when string is strummed open (not fretted)
Refer to PIANO-FREE PRACTICE for reading music & melody notes.

OPEN	Guitar	Fretboard	Notes
E	F	F#	G G# A
B	C	C#	D D# E
G	G#	A	A# B C
D	D#	E	F F# G
A	A#	B	C C# D
E	F	F#	G G# A