



Crocodile Rock (Key C) - 1972

artist - Elton John, writer - Elton John & Bernie Taupin

Strumming Pattern - Down, Down Up, Down Up, Down

Time Signature - 4/4

Introduction - [C] //// [C] //// [Am] //// [Am] ////
[F] //// [F] //// [G7] //// [G7] ////

1 - [C] I remember when rock was young,
Me and [Am] Suzie had so much fun,
Holding [F] hands and skimming stones,
Had an [G7] old gold Chevy and a place of my own,
But the big-[C]gest kick I ever got was doing a [Am] thing called the Crocodile Rock,
While the [F] other kids were Rocking Round the Clock,
We were [G7] hopping and bopping to the Crocodile Rock, - well

Chorus

[Am] Croc rocking is something shocking when your [D7] feet just can't keep still,
[G7] I never knew me a better time and I [C] guess I never will,
Oh [A7] Lawdy mama those Friday nights,
When [D7↓] Suzie wore her [D7↓] dresses tight and,
[G7] Croc Rocking was out of [F] sight

[C] Laaa la la la la la la [Am] Laaa la la la la la la
[F] Laaa la la la la la la [G7] Laaa la la la la la la

2 - But the [C] years went by and the rock just died,
Suzie [Am] went and left us for some foreign guy,
Long [F] nights crying by the record machine,
Dreaming [G7] of my Chevy and my old blue jeans,
But they'll [C] never kill the thrills we've got,
Burning up [Am] to the Crocodile Rock,
Learning [F] fast as the weeks went past,
We really [G7] thought the Crocodile Rock would last, well

Chorus

Repeat Verse 1 and Chorus then end as below

[C] Laaa la la la la la la [Am] Laaa la la la la la la
[F] Laaa la la la la la la [G7] Laaa la la la la la la

[C] Laaa la la la la la la [Am] Laaa la la la la la la
[F] Laaa la la la la la la [G7] Laaa la la la la la la

[C] La la la la [C↓] Lah