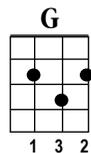
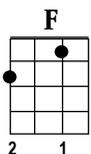
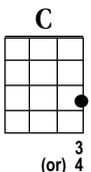


# LEAN ON ME

Bill Withers in 1972

KEY: C  
4/4 TIME  
ROCK GROOVE

Starting Note: C



INTRO: C/// F/// C/// G/// C/// F/// C/// G// C//  
mmmm (hum)\_\_\_\_\_

OPENING STANZA: C/// F/// C/// G///  
Sometimes in our lives we all have pain, we all have sorrow.

C/// F/// C/// G// C//  
But if we are wise, we know that there's always to-mor-row. Lean on

VERSE 1: C/// F/// C/// G///  
me when you're not strong and I'll be your friend, I'll help you carry on.

C/// F/// C/// G// C//  
For it won't be long, 'til I'm gonna need somebody to lean on.

VERSE 2: C/// F/// C/// G///  
If there is a load you have to bear that you can't carry,

C/// F/// C/// G// C/ TACET  
I'm right up the road and I'll share your load, if you just call me. You just

BRIDGE 1: C/// ///  
call on me, brother, when you need a hand. We all

C/// G// C// C///  
need somebody to lean on. I just might have a problem that

C/// /// G// C//  
you'll understand. We all need somebody to lean on. Lean on

*Uke players mute strum on beat  
Bass players pick*

VERSE 3: C/// F/// C/// G///  
me when you're not strong and I'll be your friend. I'll help you carry on.

C/// F/// C/// G// C/ TACET  
For it won' be long 'till I'm gonna need somebody to lean on. You just

BRIDGE 2: C/// ///  
call on me, brother, when you need a hand. We all

C/// G// C// C///  
need somebody to lean on. I just might have a problem that

C/// /// G// C/ REST  
you'll understand. We all need somebody to lean on.

*Uke players clap on beat  
Bass players pick*

TACET: NO UKE

END: F/ C/ TACET F/ C/ TACET  
Call me, if you need me. Call me, when you want me.

F/ C/ TACET  
Call me, if you need me.

F/// TREMOLO C///  
Call\_\_\_\_\_ me.\_\_\_\_ (SLOWLY STRUM THUMB DOWN ACROSS STRINGS)

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