

Waltzing Matilda – Easy Version (1 of 2)

Beginners should only play the **D** chords typed in **bold font**.

Play all chords with a single down strum. Count in fours.

D = 2e + 3B + 2G + 0D Em = 0e + 0B + 0G G = 3e + 0B + 0G
 2 3 1 3 3

Intro

"1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4"

D **D** Em-A7-D Intro Tune: 2G 3B 2e 5e 3e 2e 0e 0e 0e 3B

Verse 1

D **G**
Once a jolly swagman camped by a billabong
D **A7**
Under the shade of a coolabah tree,
D **G**
And he sang as he watched and waited till his billy boiled
D **D** **Em A7** **D**
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me"

Chorus 1

D **G**
Waltzing Matilda, Waltzing Matilda
D **A7**
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me"
D **G**
And he sang as he watched and waited till his billy boiled
D **D** **Em A7** **D**
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me"

Repeat Intro

D **D** Em-A7-D Intro Tune: 2G 3B 2e 5e 3e 2e 0e 0e 0e 3B

Verse 2

D **G**
Down came a jumbuck to drink at the billabong,
D **A7**
Up jumped the swagman and grabbed him with glee,
D **G**
And he sang as he shoved that jumbuck in his tucker bag,
D **D** **Em A7** **D**
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me".

Chorus 2

D **G**
Waltzing Matilda, Waltzing Matilda
D **A7**
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me"
D **G**
And he sang as he shoved that jumbuck in his tucker bag,
D **D** **Em A7** **D**
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me".

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Repeat Intro

D D Em-A7-D Intro Tune: 2G 3B 2e 5e 3e 2e 0e 0e 0e 3B

Verse 3

D G
Up rode the squatter, mounted on his thoroughbred,
D A7
Down came the troopers, one, two, three,
D G
"Where's that jolly jumbuck you've got in your tucker bag?"
D D Em A7 D
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me".

Chorus 3

D G
Waltzing Matilda, Waltzing Matilda
D A7
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me"
D G
"Where's that jolly jumbuck you've got in your tucker bag?"
D D Em A7 D
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me".

Repeat Intro

D D Em-A7-D Intro Tune: 2G 3B 2e 5e 3e 2e 0e 0e 0e 3B

Verse 4

D G
Up jumped the swagman and sprang into the billabong,
D A7 wait!!
"You'll never take me alive", said he,

slower!

D G
And his ghost may be heard as you pass by that billabong,
D D Em A7 D
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me".

Chorus 4

A tempo! (go back to the normal speed)

D G
Waltzing Matilda, Waltzing Matilda
D A7
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me"
D G
And his ghost may be heard as you pass by that billabong,
D D Em A7 D
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me".

slower!

D D Em A7 D
"You'll come a-Waltzing Matilda, with me".