

# Holiday

Ray Davies (1971)

C A Dm G7  
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## Verse 1

C A

Holiday,

Dm G7 C A

Oh what a lovely day today,

Dm G7 C A

I'm so glad they sent me away,

Dm G7 C A Dm G7

To have a little holiday today, holiday,

C A

Holiday,

Dm G7 C A

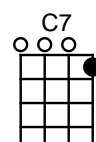
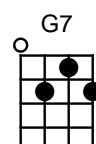
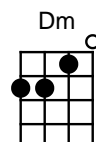
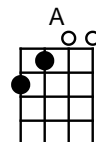
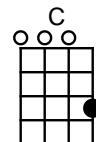
And I'm just standing on the end of a pier,

Dm G7 C A

Hoping and dreaming you were here,

Dm G7 C

To share my little holiday,

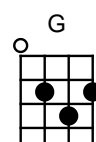
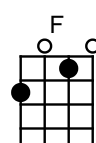


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Lookin' in the sky, for a gap in the clouds,

C A Dm G7  
Sometimes I think that sun ain't never coming out,

C C7 F Dm  
But I'd rather be here than in that dirty old town,

G G7  
I had to leave the city cos it nearly broke me down,



## Verse 2

C A Dm G7 C A  
Oh holiday, oh what a lovely day today,

Dm G7 C A

I think I'll get down on my little knees and pray, thank you Lord,

Dm G7 C A Dm G7

Thank heaven for this holiday, today,

F C  
I'm leaving insecurity behind me,

F C  
The environmental pressures got me down,

C C7 F Dm  
I don't need no sedatives to pull me round,

G G7  
I don't need no sleeping pills to help me sleep sound,

*C A Dm G7 C A*  
 Oh holiday, oh what a lovely day today,  
*Dm G7 C A*  
 I think I'll get down on my knees and pray, that's what I'll do  
*Dm G7 C*  
 Thank heaven for this holiday,

*C A Dm G7*  
 Lying on the beach with my back burned rare,  
*C A Dm G7*  
 And the salt gets in my blisters and the sand gets in my hair,  
*C C7 F Dm*  
 And the sea's an open sewer, But I really couldn't care,  
*G G7*  
 I'm breathing through my mouth so I don't have to sniff the air,

*C A Dm G7 C A*  
 Oh holiday, Oh what a lovely day today,  
*Dm G7 C A*  
 I'm so glad they sent me away,  
*Dm G7 C A Dm G7 C*  
 To have a little holiday. / / / / / / /