



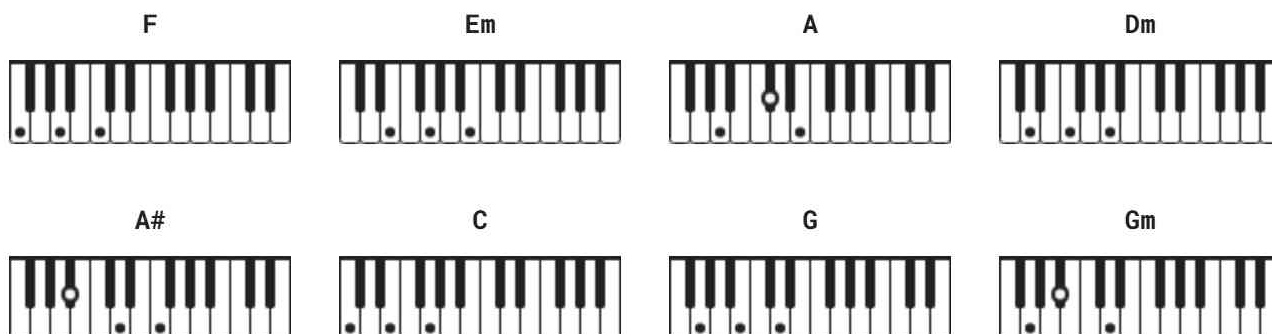
# Yesterday Chords by The Beatles

Difficulty: intermediate

Tuning: E A D G B E

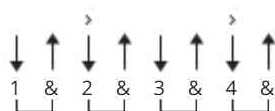
Key: F

## CHORDS

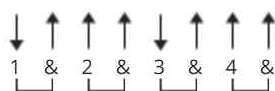


## STRUMMING

SUGGESTED PATTERN 97 bpm



ALTERNATIVE (THUMB + FINGERS) 97 bpm



Chords in the original key of F. McCartney plays it in G but uses a guitar that is tuned down one full step (D-G-C-F-A-d), that's why the song sounds in the key of F. Transposed +2 to G (the way McCartney played it in the studio and plays it live until today) the song is much easier to play.

[Intro]

F

[Verse 1]

F Em A Dm  
Yesterday, all my troubles seemed so far away

A# C F Dm G A# F  
Now it looks as though they're here to stay, oh I believe in yesterday

[Verse 2]

F            Em            A            Dm  
Suddenly, I'm not half the man I used to be  
A#            C                    F            Dm    G            A# F  
There's a shadow hanging over me, oh yesterday came suddenly

[Chorus]

Em   A    Dm            A#            Gm            C            F  
Why she had to go I don't know, she wouldn't say  
Em   A    Dm            A#            Gm            C            F  
I said something wrong, now I long for yesterday

[Verse 3]

F            Em            A            Dm  
Yesterday, love was such an easy game to play  
A#            C                    F            Dm    G            A# F  
Now I need a place to hide away, oh I believe in yesterday

[Chorus]

Em   A    Dm            A#            Gm            C            F  
Why she had to go I don't know, she wouldn't say  
Em   A    Dm            A#            Gm            C            F  
I said something wrong, now I long for yesterday

[Verse]

F            Em            A            Dm  
Yesterday, love was such an easy game to play  
A#            C                    F            Dm    G            A# F  
Now I need a place to hide away, oh I believe in yesterday

[Outro]

F            G            A# F  
Mm mm mm mm mm mm mmmmmmmmm  
xx321x  
      xx300x