

Waltzing Matilda

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(QLD Version)
(Banjo Patterson – Lyrics 1895)

[C] Once a jolly [Am] swagman [F] camped by a [G7] billabong
[C] Under the [Am] shade of a [F] coolabah [G7] tree
And he [C] sang as he [G7] watched and [F] waited till his billy boiled
[C] You'll come a [Am] Waltzing [F] Matilda with [C] me

Chorus:

[C] Waltzing [Am] Matilda [F] Matilda my [G7] darling
[C] You'll come a [Am] Waltzing [F] Matilda with [G7] me
[C] Waltzing [G7] Matilda [F] leading the waterbag
[C] You'll come a [Am] Waltzing [F] Matilda with [C] me

[C] Down came a [Am] jumbuck to [F] drink at the [G7] billabong
[C] Up jumped the [Am] swagman and [F] grabbed him with [G7] glee
And he [C] sang as he [G7] shoved that [F] jumbuck in his tucker bag
[C] You'll come a [Am] Waltzing [F] Matilda with [C] me

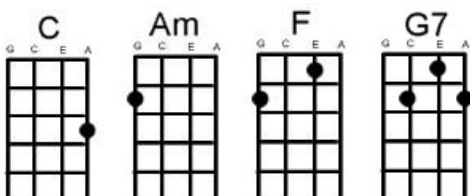
Chorus

[C] Down came the [Am] squatter [F] mounted on his [G7] thoroughbred
[C] Down came the [Am] troopers [F] one two [G7] three
[C] "Who's that jolly [G7] jumbuck that [F] you've got in your tuckerbag
[C] You'll come a [Am] Waltzing [F] Matilda with [C] me"

Chorus

[C] He upped and he [Am] jumped and he [F] sprang into the [G7] billabong
[C] "You'll never [Am] catch me [F] alive" said [G7] he
(Slowly.....)
[C] And his ghost may be [G7] heard as you [F] pass by that billabong
(Hold) [C] You'll come a [Am] Waltzing [F] Matilda with [C] me

Chorus x 2



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