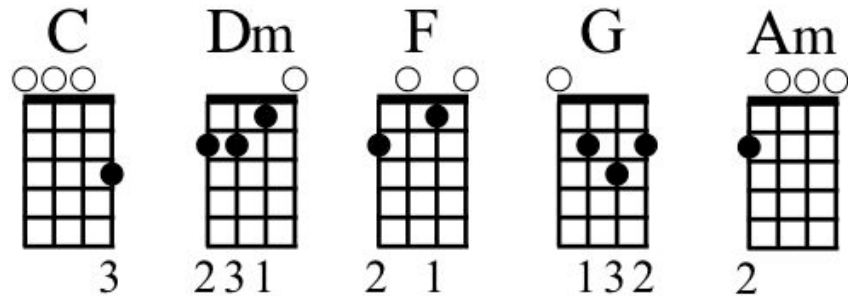


Between the Wars



Billy Bragg



INTRO

C Dm F
G Am F G C

VERSE 1

C Dm F
I was a miner, I was a docker
G Am F G
I was a railway man between the wars
G Am F
I raised a family in times of austerity
G Am F G C
With sweat at the foundry between the wars

VERSE 2

G Am F C
I paid the union and as times got harder
G
I looked to the government to help the working man
C Dm F
But they brought prosperity down at the armoury
G Am F G C F C
We're arming for peace, me boys, between the wars

VERSE 3

C Dm F
I kept the faith and I kept voting
G Am F G
Not for the iron fist but for the helping hand
G Am F
For theirs is a land with a wall around it
G Am F G C
And mine is a faith in my fel - low man

VERSE 4

G Am F C
Theirs is a land of hope and glory
G
Mine is the green field and the factory floor
C Dm F
Theirs are the skies all dark with bombers
G Am F G C F C
And mine is the peace we know between the wars

VERSE 5

C Dm F
Call up the craftsmen, bring me the draftsmen
G Am F G
Build me a path from cradle to grave
G Am F
And I'll give my consent to any government
G Am F G C
That does not deny a man a liv - ing wage

VERSE 6

G Am F C
Go find the young men never to fight again
G
Bring up the banners from the days gone by
C Dm F
Sweet moderation, heart of this nation
G Am F G C F C
Desert us not, we are between the wars

INTRO TAB

Ukulele tablature for the Intro section. The first system includes a capo fret 2 instruction and a 4/4 time signature. The second system ends with a double bar line.

Chords: C, Dm, F, G, Am, C

Tablature notation: T A B 4/4, 1 Capo fret 2, 0 0 3 2 1 3 2 1 3 0 2 0, 3 2 3 0 0 0 0 1 2 3 0 0