

The Ella B (Russell Smith, 1975) (G)

The Ella B by The Amazing Rhythm Aces

G
Have you ever took a boat ride
D7
Down the Mississippi
Well if you ever do you oughta take it on the
G
Ella B

D7 G
Cause she starts off in St. Louis in Missouri
And she takes you down to New Orleans
and

G
On out to the sea
C
Well you heard about the good Queen Mary
C G
That sailed on the seven seas
C G
But you ain't never took no boat ride,
D7 G
Till' you been riding on the Ella B

G D7
Her accommodations are among the best
Give you three square meals a day
G
And a place to rest
You just smell them ol' hot biscuits

D7
And the country ham
Good 'ol fried chicken, mashed potatoes

G
And candied yams
C G
Well you heard about the Constitution ~
C G
Fightin'n th' Revolutionary War

C G
For America's inland Navy
D7 G
She's the finest from shore to shore

BRIDGE: Chords for verse

D7 G
It takes about a week ~
D7
To get back down that ol' river
Once you get on board you just wish

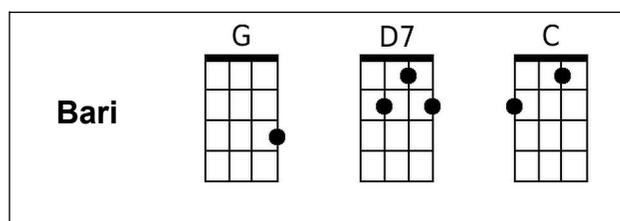
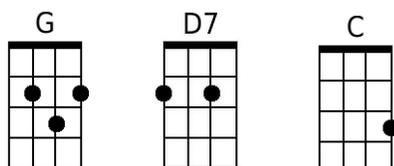
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It would last forever
Oh you just sit out on the deck,
D7
Fish off the side all day
Watch the sunny southland roll by

G
And dream your blues away
C G
Well you heard about the ship Titanic ~

C G
Sailing on the northern sea
C G
But you ain't never took no boat ride,
D7 G
Till' you been riding on the Ella B

(Ending)

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Well there ain't no tourist class ~
D7
And it ain't too fast
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F	C7	Bb
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