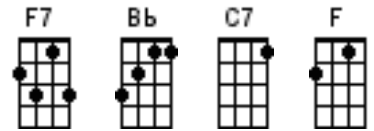


Goodnight Irene. 1933. Huddie "Lead Belly" Ledbetter.



6/8 time 1 2 3 4 5 6 Intro: [F7] [Bb] [C7] [F//] [E]

[F] Irene, good-[C7]-night, [C7] Irene good-[F]-night  
Good-[F7]-night Irene, good-[Bb]-night Irene  
I'll [C7] see you in my [F//] dreams [E]

Last [F] Saturday night I got [C7] married  
[C7] Me and my wife settled [F] down  
Now [F7] me and my wife are [Bb] parted  
Gonna [C7] take another stroll down [F//] town [E]

[F] Irene, good-[C7]-night, [C7] Irene good-[F]-night  
Good-[F7]-night Irene, good-[Bb]-night Irene  
I'll [C7] see you in my [F//] dreams [E]

[F] Sometimes I live in the [C7] country  
[C7] Sometimes I live in the [F] town  
[F7] Sometimes I have a great [Bb] notion  
To [C7] jump in the river and [F//] drown [E]

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Stop [F] ramblin', stop your [C7] gamblin'  
Stop [C7] staying out late at [F] night  
Go [F7] home to your wife and [Bb] family  
Sit [C7] down by your fireside [F//] bright [E]

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