Piano Man - Billy Joel

Intro (as verse) (verses bold sing and play louder)
C G F C 5-6 5-5
F C G D 7 G 4-4-5-5
F G C 6-6 5-5
F G C 5-6 5-4
C G F C
It's nine o'clock on a Saturday
F C D 7 G

The regular crowd shuffles in
C G F C
There's an old man sitting next to me
F G C G
Making love to his tonic and gin
C G F C 5-5 6-6 5-5 5
F G C G 4-5 5-4

C G F C
He says Sir, can you play me a memory
F C D 7 G
I'm not really sure how it goes
C G F C
But it's sad and it's sweet and I knew it complete
F G C
When I wore a younger man's clothes
Am D 7
La la la, di da da
Am D 7 G F C G 7
La la, di da da dum 4-5-5

C G F C
Sing us a song, you're the piano man
F C D 7 G
Sing us a song tonight
C G F C
Well, we're all in the mood for a melody
F G C G
And you've got us all feeling alright
C G F C 5-5 6-6 5-5 5 5
F G C G 4-5 5-4 4

C G F C
Now John at the bar is a friend of mine
F C D 7 G
He gets me my drinks for free
C G F C
And he's quick with a joke and he'll light up your smoke
F G C G
But there's some place that he'd rather be
C G F C
He says Bill, I believe this is killing me
F C D 7 G
As the smile ran away from his face
C G F C
Well I'm sure that I could be a movie star
F G C G
If I could get out of this place
Am D 7
La la la, di da da
Am D 7 G F C G 7
La la, di di da dum 4-5-5

C G F C
Now Paul is a real estate novelist
F C D 7 G
Who never had time for a wife
C G F C
And he's talking with Davey, who's still in the navy
F G C G
And probably will be for life
C G F C 5-5 6-6 5-5 5
F G C G 4-5 5-4 4

C G F C
And the waitress is practicing politics
F C D 7 G
As the businessman slowly gets stoned
C G F C
Yes, they're sharing a drink they call loneliness
F G C G
But it's better than drinking alone
SOLO ...REPEAT INTRO

C G F C
Sing us a song, you're the piano man
F C D 7 G
Sing us a song to night
C G C
Well, we're all in the mood for a melody
F G C G
And you've got us all feeling alright
C G F C 5-5 6-6 5-5 5 5
F G C G 4-5 5-4 4

C G F C
It's a pretty good crowd for a Saturday
F C D 7 G
And the manager gives me a smile
C G F C
Cause he knows that it's me they've been coming to see
F G C G
To forget about life for a while

C G F C
And the piano, it sounds like a carnival
F C D 7 G
And the microphone smells like a beer
C G F C
And they sit at the bar and put bread in my jar
F G C G
And say Man, what are you doing here
Am D 7
La la la, di dad da
Am D 7 G F C G 7
La la, di di da dum 4-5-5

C G F C
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F C D 7 G
Sing us song to night
C G C F
Well, we're all in the mood for a melody
F G C G
And you've got us all feeling alright
C G F C 5-5 6-6 5-5 5
F G C G 4-5 5-4 4