

California Girls – The Beach Boys

Strumming Pattern: D, DU, UDU

Chords Used:

The chord diagrams are arranged in two rows of four:

- A:** Fret 2, strings 2, 3, 4. Fingering: 2, 3, 4. Strumming: V.
- G:** Fret 3, strings 1, 2, 3, 4. Fingering: 1, 2, 3, 4. Strumming: V.
- D:** Fret 2, strings 1, 2, 4, 5. Fingering: 1, 2, 1. Strumming: V.
- E:** Fret 1, strings 1, 2, 3, 4. Fingering: 1, 2, 3. Strumming: V.
- Bm:** Fret 2, strings 1, 2, 3, 4. Fingering: 1, 2, 3, 4. Strumming: V.
- Am:** Fret 1, strings 1, 2, 3, 4. Fingering: 1, 2, 3. Strumming: V.
- F:** Fret 1, strings 1, 2, 3, 4. Fingering: 1, 2, 3, 4. Strumming: V.
- Gm:** Fret 3, strings 1, 2, 3, 4. Fingering: 1, 1, 1, 3, 4. Strumming: V.

Note: Sorry about the pitch in the chorus. I just couldn't get the singing down at all!

Capo 1

Intro: A

A
Well East Coast girls are hip
G
I really dig those styles they wear
D
And the Southern girls with the way they talk
E
They knock me out when I'm down there
A G
The Midwest farmers daughters really make you feel alright
D
And the Northern girls with the way they kiss
E
They keep their boyfriends warm at night

Chorus:

A Bm
I wish they all could be California
G Am
I wish they all could be California
F Gm A
I wish they all could be California girls

A
The West Coast has the sunshine
G
And the girls all get so tanned
D
I dig a French bikini on Hawaii Island
E
Dolls by a palm tree in the sand
A
I've been all around this great big world
G
And I've seen all kinds of girls
D
Yeah but I couldn't wait to get back in the states
E
Back to the cutest girls in the world

Chorus:

A Bm
I wish they all could be California
G Am
I wish they all could be California
F Gm A
I wish they all could be California girls

(repeat as desired - end on A)