

A Little Rain - Tom Waits

Tempo: NA

Strumming Pattern: D, UDUD

(repeat where the first "D" is the 3 and the "UDUD" is the 4 in a 3/4 waltz.)

Capo on Fret 1

Intro: D (it's a waltz, so pay attention to the strumming pattern to get it down perfectly)

Where the Ice Man's mule...is parked outside the bar
(D) G D
Where a man with missing fingers...plays a strange guitar
D A
And the German dwarf...dances with the butcher's son
D G D A
Tonight a little rain never hurt no one

They're dancing on the roof...and the ceiling's coming down
(D) G D
And I sleep with my shovel...and my leather gloves
D A
And a little trouble...makes it worth the going
D G D A (hold)
Tonight a little rain never hurt no one

Oh the world is round...so I'll go around
(D) G D
You must risk something that matters
D G D
Oh my hands are strong...I'll take any man here
(D) A (hold)
If it's worth the going...it's worth the ride

She was 15 years old...and she never seen the ocean
(D) G D
She climbed into a van...with a vagabond
D A
And the last thing she said was "I love you mom."
D G D A (hold)
Tonight a little rain never hurt no one
D G D A D
And a little rain never hurt no one