

Black Water - The Doobie Brothers

Tempo: NA

Strumming Pattern: D, DU, UD, DUD, DU

Intro: Am7 - D (repeat to get the feel)

(D) Am7 D Am7 D
Well, I built me a raft and she's ready for floatin'..
Am7 D Am7 D
Ole Mississippi, she's callin' my name.
Am7 D Am7 D
Catfish are jumpin', that paddle-wheel thumpin'..
Am7 D Am7 D
black water keeps rollin' on past just the same.

CHORUS:

G
Old black water, keep on rollin'..
Bb
Mississippi moon won't you keep on shinin'.
G
Old black water, keep on rollin'..
Bb
Mississippi moon won't you keep on shinin'..
G
Old black water, keep on rollin'..
Bb A Em7
Mississippi moon won't you keep on shinin' on me?
A Em7 A
Yeah, keep on shinin' your light, gonna make everything,
Em7 A Em7
Everything pretty mama, make everything all right.
D Am7 D Am7 A Em7 A Em7
And I ain't got no worries 'cause I ain't in no hurry..at all.

(Hold D chord for time change)

(D) Am7 D Am7 D
Well, if it rains, I don't care, don't make no difference to me.
Am7 D Am7 D
Just take that street car that's goin' up town..
Am7 D Am7 D
Yeah, I'd like to hear some funky Dixieland and dance a honky-tonk..
Am7 D Am7 D
and I'll be buyin' everybody drinks all round.

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(Repeat outro if you wish and end on D)