

Monster Mash

Bobby Pickett and Leonard Capizzi, 1962. Ukulele arrangement Austin Ukulele Society, 2013

Intro: 4 beats per chord, play until count in

G Em C D

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Verse 1

G

I was working in the lab ♪ late one night

Em

When my eyes beheld an eerie sight

C

For my monster from his slab ♪ began to rise

D

And suddenly, ♪ to my surprise,

Chorus

G

(He did the Mash) ♪ He did the Monster Mash

Em

(The Monster Mash) ♪ It was a graveyard smash

C

(He did the Mash) ♪ It caught on in a flash

D

(He did the Mash) ♪ He did the Monster Mash

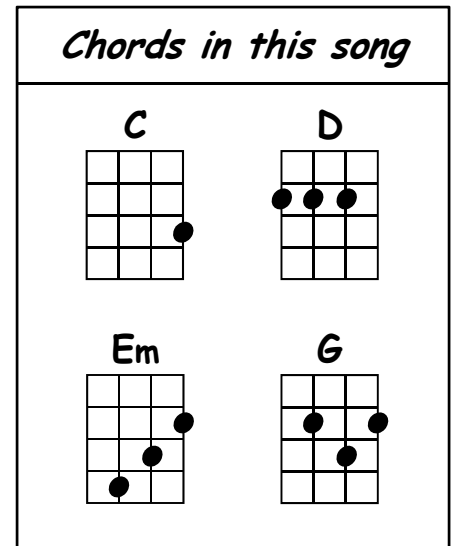
Verse 2

G

From my laboratory in the Castle East

Em

To the master bedroom where the vampires feast



Monster Mash

C

The ghouls all came from their humble abodes

D

To get a jolt ♪ from my electrodes

Chorus

G

(They did the Mash) ♪ They did the Monster Mash

Em

(The Monster Mash) ♪ It was a graveyard smash

C

(They did the Mash) ♪ It caught on in a flash

D

(They did the Mash) ♪ They did the Monster Mash

Bridge

C

The Zombies were having fun *(In-a-shoop-wha-ooo)*

D

The party had just begun *(In-a-shoop-wha-ooo)*

C

The guests included Wolfman, *(In-a-shoop-wha-ooo)*

D [stop]

Dracula and his son.

Verse 3

G

The scene was rocking all were digging the sounds

Em

Igor on chains backed by his Baying Hounds

C

The Coffin Bangers were about to arrive

D

With their vocal group, ♪ the Crypt Kicker Five

Monster Mash

Chorus

G

(They played the Mash) ♪ They played the Monster Mash

Em

(The Monster Mash) ♪ It was a graveyard smash

C

(They played the Mash) ♪ It caught on in a flash

D

(They played the Mash) ♪ They played the Monster Mash

Verse 4

G

Out from his coffin Drac's voice did ring

Em

Seems he was troubled by just one thing

C

He opened the lid ♪ and shook his fist and said,

D [stop]

♪ "Vatever happened to my Transylvania Twist?"

Chorus

G

(It's now the Mash) ♪ It's now the Monster Mash

Em

(The Monster Mash) ♪ And it's a graveyard smash

C

(It's now the Mash) ♪ It's caught on in a flash

D

(It's now the Mash) ♪ It's now the Monster Mash

Verse 5

G

Now everything's cool, Drac's a part of the band

Em

And my Monster Mash is the hit of the land

C

For you, ♪ the living, ♪ this Mash was meant too

D [stop]

When you get to my door, tell them Boris sent you

Chorus

G

(And you can Mash) ♪ And you can Monster Mash

Em

(The Monster Mash) ♪ And do my graveyard smash

C

(Then you can Mash) ♪ You'll catch on in a flash

D

(Then you can Mash) ♪ Then you can Monster Mash