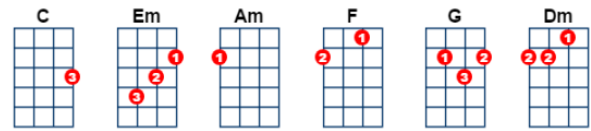


Hold The Line – Rod Stewart

Intro: [C] / / / [Em] / / / [Am] / / / [F] / / /



Verse 1:

[C] Hold on we just have to [Em] hold on, we don't have to [Am] cry, no not to- [F] -night
I know [C] lately everything seems [Em] crazy, people walking [Am] by just getting [F] by
And [Dm] I just [C] wanna rest my [G] head, and [C] lay down with [G] roses on our [Am] bed
They [Dm] say [C] heaven can [G] wait, you and [F] I, we'll sur- [G] -vive

Chorus: {tacet} Sometimes we're

[C] lost and astray, and the [Em] hope far away, hold the [Am] line, we'll sur- [F] -vive
So let's just [C] smile through the rain, through the [Em] heartache and pain
Hold the [Am] line, we'll sur-[F]-vive, we'll sur-[C]-vive {>>} do-do-[C]-doo do-do-doo, do-do-
[Em] doo do-do-do, hold the [Am] line (hold the line), we'll sur-[F]-vive (we'll survive) [C] / / /

Verse 2:

[C] Slow down we just have to [Em] slow down, now's becoming [Am] fast, way too [F] fast
Another [C] grey day, technicolour [Em] save me, paint it in the [Am] sky, we're a- [F] -live
And [Dm] I just [C] wanna rest my [G] head, and [C] lay down with [G] roses in our [Am] bed
They [Dm] say [C] heaven can [G] wait, you and [F] I, we'll sur- [G] -vive

Chorus: {tacet} Sometimes we're

[C] lost and astray, and the [Em] hope far away, hold the [Am] line, we'll sur- [F] -vive
So let's just [C] smile through the rain, through the [Em] heartache and pain
Hold the [Am] line, we'll sur- [F] -vive, we'll sur- [C] -vive {>>} do-do- [C] -doo do-do-doo, la-la
[Em] laa la-la-laa, hold the [Am] line, we'll sur- [F] -vive
do-do- [C] -doo do-do-doo, la-la [Em] laa la-la-laa, hold the [Am] line, we'll sur- [F] -vive

Break: [G] / [Am] / [F] / / / [G] / [Am] / [F] / / /

[G] / [Am] / [G] / [C] / [Dm] / [Em] / [F] / [G] / [C]! {hold} / / / / /

Bridge {soprano ukes only, ladies only}: [C] Hold on we just have to [Em] hold on,

We don't have to [Am] cry, no, not to- [F] -night

I know [C] lately everything seems [Em] crazy, people walking [Am] by getting [F] by

Chorus: {tacet} Sometimes we're

All back in: [C] lost and astray, and the [Em] hope far away, hold the [Am] line we'll sur- [F] -vive

So let's just [C] smile through the rain, through the [Em] heartache and pain

Hold the [Am] line, we'll sur-[F]-vive, we'll sur-[C]-vive {>>} do-do- [C] -doo do-do-doo, do-do-

[Em] doo do-do-do, hold the [Am] line (hold the line), we'll sur- [F] -vive (we'll survive)

do-do- [C] -doo do-do-doo, la-la [Em] laa la-la-laa, hold the [Am] line, we'll sur- [F] -vive

Outro {bass only}: do-do- [C] -doo do-do-doo, la-la [Em] laa la-la-laa,

Hold the [Am] line, we'll sur- [F] -vive, we'll sur- [C] -vive