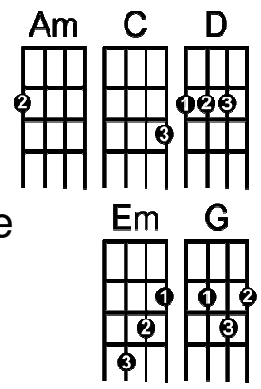


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1. Let me [G] ride on the wall of [C] death one more [G] time
Let me [Em] ride on the wall of [C] death one more [D] time
You can [C] waste your time on the other rides
But [D] this is the nearest to being alive
Let me [G] take my [C] chances on the [D] Wall of Death [G]

2. You can [G] go with the crazy [C] people in the crooked [G] house
You can [Em] fly away on the [C] rocket or spin in the [D] mouse
The [C] tunnel of love might amuse you
And [D] Noah's Ark might confuse you but
Let me [G] take my [C] chances on the [D] Wall of Death [G]

*On the [Em] Wall of Death, all the world is far from [Am] me
On the [Em] Wall of Death, it's the nearest to being [C] free [D]*

3. Well you're [G] going nowhere when you [C] ride on the carou[G]sel
And [Em] maybe you're strong, but [C] what's the good of ringing a [D] bell
The switch [C] back will make you crazy
Be[D]ware of the bearded lady
Oh let me [G] take my [C] chances on the [D] Wall of Death [G]

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