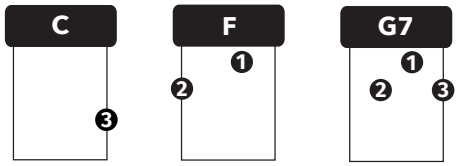
ISLAND STYLE

by John Cruz, 1996

Ukulele arrangement by Cynthia Lin, http://cynthialin.com/ukulele



island strum: 1 per chord; on split measure play [d du - d du]

INTRO **C G7 // C C**

CHORUS X 2

F F C C
On the island, we do it island style
C G7 C C
From the mountain to the ocean, from the windward to the leeward side

VERSE 1

C **[F - C]**
Mama's in the kitchen cooking dinner real nice
C **[G7 - C]**
Beef stew on the stove, lomi salmon with the ice
C **[F - C]**
We eat and drink and we sing all day
C **[G7 - C]**
Kanikapila in the old Hawaiian way (On the …)

(Kanikapila is a Hawaiian term meaning an impromptu jam session)

CHORUS **x 1**

VERSE 2

C **[F - C]**
We go grandma's house on the weekend clean yard
C **[G7 - C]**
If we no go, grandma gotta work hard
C **[F - C]**
You know my grandma, she like the poi real sour
C **[G7 - C]**
I love my grandma every minute, every hour (On the …)

CHORUS **x 1**

ENDING **C G7 C C**
From the mountain to the ocean, from the windward to the leeward side
C G7 C [tag C/ G7/ C/]
From the mountain to the ocean, from the windward to the leeward side