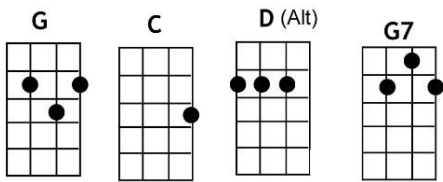


Cotton Fields ~ written by Huddie Ledbetter (Leadbelly)

(chord) = one strum



Tempo: Peppy and Snappy! 😊

INTRO: Kathi B. will strum and sing acapella. . . everyone else joins in at **[C]** chord

(G)

When I was a little bitty baby, my mama would **[C]** rock me in the **[G]** cradle,
In them old cotton fields back **[D]** home.

It was **[G]** down in Louisi-**[G7]**-ana, just about a **[C]** mile from Texar-**[G]**-kana,
In them old **[D]** cotton fields back **[G]** home.

Oh, when them **[C]** cotton bolls get rotten, you can't **[G]** pick very much cotton,
In them old cotton fields back **[D]** home.

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INSTRUMENTAL: Doug (over the above)

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