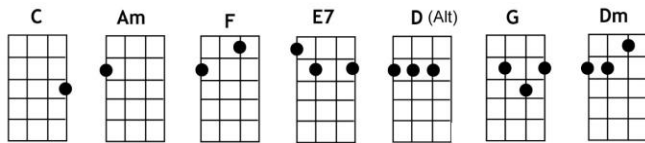


Light One Candle ~ written by Peter Yarrow, sung by Peter Paul and Mary



C **C** **Am**
Light one candle for the Maccabee children, With thanks that their light didn't die.
F **F** **E7**
Light one candle for the pain they endured, When their right to exist was denied.
Am **F** **D**
Light one candle for the terrible sacrifice, Justice and freedom demand.
C **Am** **C** **Am** **F** **G** **C** **E7**
Light one candle for the wisdom to know, when the peace-makers time is at hand.

CHORUS:

A **Dm** **G** **C** **E7**
Don't let the light go out. It's lasted for so many years.
A **Dm** **G** **C** **E7** **Am**
Don't let the light go out. Let it shine through our love and our tears.
Am **Am** **Am** **Am**

C **C** **Am**
Light one candle for the strength that we need, To never become our own foe.
F **E7**
And light one candle for those who are suffering, Pain we learned so long ago.
Am **F** **D**
Light one candle for all we believe in. Let anger not tear us apart.
C **Am** **C** **Am** **F** **G** **C** **E7**
And light one candle to bind us together, With peace as the song in our hearts.

CHORUS: X 2

C **Am**
And what is the memory that's valued so highly, That we keep it alive in that flame?
F **E7**
What's the commitment to those who have died, That we cry out they've not died in vain?
Am **F** **D**
We have come this far, always believing, That justice will somehow prevail.
C **Am** **C** **Am** **F** **G** **C** **E7**
This is the burden! This is the promise! And this is why we will not fail!

CHORUS: X 2