

# This Ole House

(Shakin' Stevens)

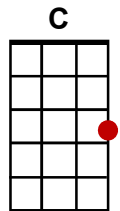
Intro: **G7 G F / G7 / C↓**

**n/c C C7 F**  
This ole house once knew its children, this ole house once knew a wife,

**G7 G C F C**  
This ole house was home and comfort, as we fought the storms of life,

**C7 F**  
This ole house once rang with laughter, this ole house heard many shouts,

**G7 G G7 C**  
Now she trembles in the darkness, when the lightning walks about.



**C7 F**  
**Chorus:** Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer,

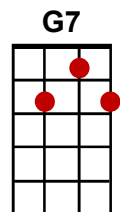
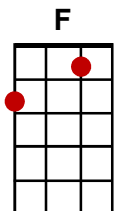
**C**  
Ain't a-gonna need this house no more,

**G7 G C C7**  
Ain't got time to fix the shingles, ain't got time to fix the floor,

**F C**  
Ain't got time to oil the hinges, nor to mend no window pane,

**G7 G**  
Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer,

**G7 C G7 G F / G7 / C↓**  
She's a-getting ready to meet the saints.

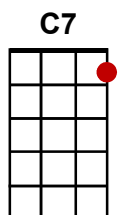


**n/c C C7 F**  
This ole house is a-getting shaky, this ole house is a-getting old,

**G7 G C F C**  
This ole house lets in the rain, this ole house lets in the cold,

**C C7 F**  
On my knees I'm getting chilly, but I feel no fear nor pain,

**G7 G G7 C**  
Cause I see an angel peeking through a broken window pane.



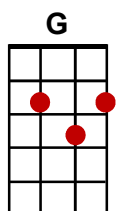
**Chorus:**

**n/c C C7 F**  
This ole house is afraid of thunder, this ole house is afraid of storms,

**G7 G C F C**  
This ole house just groans and trembles when the night wind flings its arms,

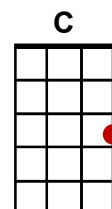
**C C7 F**  
This old house is a-getting feeble, this ole house is a-needing paint,

**G7 G G7 C**  
Just like me its tuckered out but I'm a-getting ready to meet the saints.



# This Ole House (Cont'd)

**Chorus:** <sup>C7</sup> Ain't a-gonna <sup>F</sup> need this house no longer,  
<sup>C</sup> Ain't a-gonna need this house no more,  
<sup>G7</sup> Ain't got time to fix the shingles, <sup>G</sup> ain't got time to fix the floor, <sup>C7</sup>  
<sup>F</sup> Ain't got time to oil the hinges, <sup>C</sup> nor to mend no window pane,  
<sup>G7</sup> Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer, <sup>G</sup>  
<sup>G7</sup> She's a-getting ready to meet the saints. <sup>C</sup>



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<sup>G7</sup> She's a-getting ready to meet the saints, <sup>C</sup>  
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<sup>G7</sup> She's a-getting ready to meet the saints, <sup>C</sup>↓ <sup>G7</sup>↓ <sup>C</sup>↓

