King Of The Road

Roger Miller 1964

Pattern (play fingers 2 and 3 at the same time)

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Intro [C] [C] [C] [C] (play 1 pattern for each [C])

[C] Trailer for [F] sale or rent, [G7] Rooms to let [C] fifty cents No phone, no [F] pool, no pets
[G7↓] I ain't got no cigarettes Ah, but [C] two hours of [F] pushin' broom Buys an [G7] eight by twelve [C] four-bit room I'm a man of [F] means by no means
[G7↓] [G7↓] King of the [C] road

[C] Third boxcar. [F] midnight train [G7] Destination [C] Bangor Maine Old worn out [F] suits and shoes [G7↓] I don't pay no union dues I smoke [C] old stogies [F] I have found [G7] Short, but not too [C] big around I'm a man of [F] means by no means [G7↓] [G7↓] King of the [C] road

Bridge

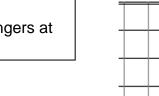
I know [C] every engineer on [F] every train [G7] All of their children, and [C] all of their names And every handout in [F] every town [G7↓] And every lock that [G7↓] ain't locked when [G7↓] no one's a[G7↓]round

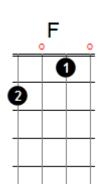
I sing...

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[G7↓] play T/1/2/3

i.e. Play Thumb and all 3 fingers at the same time





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