Balloon Man Robyn Hitchcock and the Egyptians

Hear this song at: <u>http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I7hxAZTTEVw</u> (play along in this key) From: Richard G's Ukulele Songbook <u>www.scorpex.net/Uke</u>

Intro: [G] [F] [G] [F] [G] [F] [G]... I was [G] walking up 6th Ave when balloon man came right up to [C] me He was [G] round and fat and spherical With the biggest grin I've [D7] ever [G] seen [G] He bounced on up towards me but before we could be intro[C]duced He [G] blew up very suddenly I guess his name was [D7] probably [G] Bruce And I [D] laughed like I [G] always [C] do And I [D] cried like I [G] cried for [C] you [C] And balloon [Cmaj7] man [Am7] blew [Cmaj7] up [Am] In [D] my [G] hand [G] He spattered me with tomatoes hummus chickpeas And some strips of [C] skin Cmaj7 D So I [G] made a right on 44th but I washed my hands When [D7] I got [G] in Am7 Am And it [D] rained like a [G] slow di[C]vorce And I [D] wished I could [G] ride a [C] horse [C] And balloon [Cmaj7] man [Am7] blew [Cmaj7] up [Am] In [D] my [G] hand [F] [G] [F] [G] [F] [G].... I was [G] walking up 6th Ave when balloon man blew up in my [C] face There were [G] loads of them on Bryant Park So I didn't feel [D7] out of [G] place There must have been a plague of them on the TV When I came home [C] late They were [G] guzz-a-ling marshmallows And then jumping off the [D7] Empire [G] State And I [D] laughed like I [G] always [C] do And I [D] cried like I [G] cried for [C] you [C] And balloon [Cmaj7] man [Am7] blew [Cmaj7] up [Am] In [D] my [G] hand [C] [C] And balloon [Cmaj7] man [Am7] blew [Cmaj7] up [Am] In [D] my [G] hand [F] [G] [F] [G] [F] [G]...[G]