Learning To Fly – Tom Petty

Key: C   Capo: Notes: Almost all down strokes
Use Am or Am7

Fadd9   C   Am7   G*

[Intro]
Fadd9 C Am G   [4x]

[Verse 1]
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
Well it started out,
     Fadd9 C   Am   G
Down a dirty road
Fadd9   C   Am   G
Started out,
Fadd9 C   Am   G
All   alone

[Verse 2]
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
And the sun went down,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
as I crossed the hill
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
And the town lit up,
     Fadd9 C   Am   G
the world got   still

[Chorus]
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
I'm learning to fly,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
but I ain't got wings
Fadd9   C   Am   G
coming down,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
is the hardest thing

[Verse 3]
     Fadd9   C Am   G
Well the "Good old days"
     Fadd9 C   Am   G
May not   return
     Fadd9   C Am   G
And the rocks might melt,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
and the sea may burn

[Chorus]
Fadd9   C Am   G
I'm learning to fly,
     Fadd9 C   Am   G
but I ain't got wings
Fadd9   C   Am   G
coming down,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
is the hardest thing

[Solo]
G   [for 2 bars]

Fadd9 C   Am   G [4x]

[Verse 4]
     Fadd9   C Am   G
Well some say life,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
will beat you down
Fadd9   C   Am   G
Break your heart,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
steal your crown

[Verse 5]
     Fadd9 C   Am   G
So start it out,
     Fadd9   C Am   G
for God knows where
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
I guess I'll know,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
when I get there

[Chorus]
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
I'm learning to fly,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
Around the clouds,
Fadd9   C   Am   G
What goes up,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
Must come down

[Instrumental]
G   [for 2 bars]
Fadd9 C Am G   [2x]

[Chorus]
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
I'm learning to fly,   (learning to fly)
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
but I ain't got wings
Fadd9   C   Am   G
coming down,
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
is the hardest thing
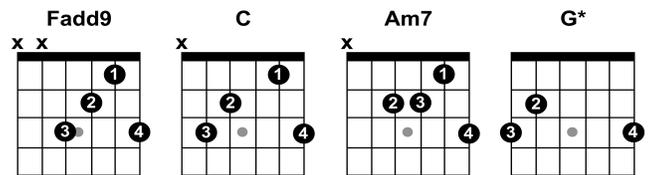
[Verse 6]
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
I'm learning to fly, (learning to fly)
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
Around the clouds,
Fadd9   C   Am   G
What goes up, (learning to fly)
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
Must come down

[Outro]
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
I'm learning to fly, (learning to fly)
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
        (learning to fly)
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
I'm learning to fly, (learning to fly)
     Fadd9   C   Am   G
        (learning to fly)

[end in C]