

Sweet Caroline

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Key/Chords

Key: **B / G#m** Chords: **I B II C#m III D#m IV E V F# VI G#m VII A#m7(b5) No. # or b 5**
 [This is the original key]

Intro

| 2m | 2m | 4 | 4 | 2m | 4... 3m... 5... 4... | 1 | 1 | (starting note is a C# on low E string)

Verse #1

1 4
 Where it began... I can't begin to know it
 1 5
 But then I know it's going strong
 1 4
 Was in the spring... and spring became a summer
 1 5
 Who'd have believed you'd come along
 1 1⁶
 Hands touching hands
 5 4 5 | 5 |
 Reaching out... touching me... touching you...

Chorus 1

1 4 4 - 3m - 2m 4 5
 Sweet Caroline... Good times never seemed so good
 1 4 4 - 3m - 2m 4 5 4 3m 2m
 I've been inclined... to be - lieve they never would but now I'm

Verse #2

1 4
 Look at the night... and it don't seem so lonely
 1 5
 We fill it up... with only two
 1 4
 And when I hurt... hurtin' runs off my shoulders
 1 5
 How can I hurt when holding you
 1 1⁶
 Warm touching warm
 5 4 5
 Reaching out... touching me... touching you...

Chorus 2

1 4 4 - 3m - 2m 4 5
 Sweet Caroline... Good times never seemed so good
 1 4 4 - 3m - 2m 4 5 4 3m 2m
 I've been inclined... to be - lieve they never would Oh no no

INTRO: | 2m | 2m | 4 | 4 | 2m | 4... 3m... 5... 4... | 1 | 1 |

Chorus 3

1 4 4 - 3m - 2m 4 5
 Sweet Caroline... Good times never seemed so good
 1 4 4 - 3m - 2m 4 5
 Sweet Caroline... I be - lieved they never could

[repeat, fade, and end with...] 4... 3m... 2m...