

# I Will Survive

Performed by Gloria Gaynor (1978) - Written by Freddie Perren and Dino Fekaris

Soprano

Baritone

Dm Gm7 C F Bb Eb A A7

Dm Gm7  
At first I was afraid... I was petrified.  
C F  
Kept thinking I could never live without you by my side.  
Bb Eb  
But then I spent so many nights... thinking how you did me wrong.  
A A7  
I grew strong.... I learned how to carry on...

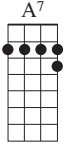
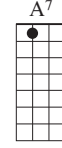
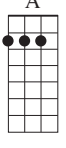
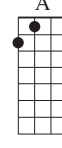
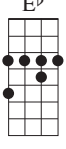
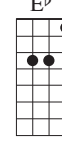
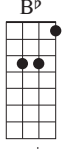
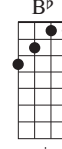
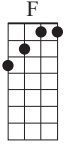
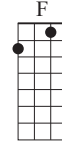
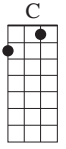
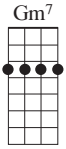
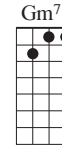
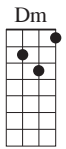
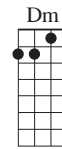
Dm Gm7  
And so you're back.... from outer space  
C F  
I just walked in to find you here, with that sad look upon your face  
Bb  
I should have changed my stupid lock,  
Eb  
I should have made you leave your key,  
A A7  
If I had known for just one second, you'd be back to bother me.

## (Chorus)

Dm Gm7  
Go on now go, walk out the door  
C F  
just turn around now..... 'cause you're not welcome anymore  
Bb Eb  
weren't you the one.... who tried to hurt me with goodbye  
A A7  
you think I'd crumble..... you think I'd lay down and die

Dm Gm7  
Oh no, not I..... I will sur-vive  
C F  
Oh.. as long as i know how to love, I know I will stay alive  
Bb Eb  
I've got all my life to live.... I've got all my love to give  
A A7  
and I'll sur-vive..... I will sur-vive

(Cont)



<sup>Dm</sup> It took all the strength I had.... <sup>Gm7</sup> not to fall apart  
<sup>C</sup> Kept trying hard to mend the pieces of my broken heart,  
<sup>Bb</sup> and I spent oh so many nights just feeling sorry for myself.  
<sup>A</sup> I used to cry..... <sup>A7</sup> But now I hold my head up high

<sup>Dm</sup> And you see me.... <sup>Gm7</sup> somebody new  
<sup>C</sup> I'm not that chained up little person.... <sup>F</sup> still in love with you  
<sup>Bb</sup> and so you felt like dropping in, and just expect me to be free  
<sup>A</sup> now I'm saving all my loving..... <sup>A7</sup> for some-one who's loving me

**(Chorus)**

<sup>Dm</sup> Go on now go, <sup>Gm7</sup> walk out the door  
<sup>C</sup> just turn around now..... <sup>F</sup> 'cause you're not welcome anymore  
<sup>Bb</sup> weren't you the one.... <sup>Eb</sup> who tried to break me with goodbye  
<sup>A</sup> you think I'd crumble..... <sup>A7</sup> you think I'd lay down and die

<sup>Dm</sup> Oh no, not I..... <sup>Gm7</sup> I will survive  
<sup>C</sup> Oh, as long as i know how to love, <sup>F</sup> I know I will stay alive  
<sup>Bb</sup> I've got all my life to live.... <sup>Eb</sup> I've got all my love to give  
<sup>A</sup> and I'll sur-vive..... <sup>A7</sup> I will sur-vive.....

<sup>Dm</sup> Oh, Ohhhhhhh <sup>Gm7</sup> I will sur-vive..... <sup>C</sup> <sup>F</sup> <sup>Bb</sup> <sup>Eb</sup> <sup>A</sup> <sup>A7</sup>.... <sup>DM</sup>