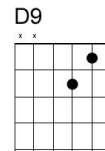


Sidewalks of New York

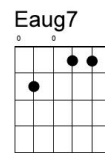
by James W. Blake and Charles E. Lawlor (1894)

G D7 G G C C G G7
 Down in front of Casey's old brown wooden stoop,
C C G G A9 A9 D D7
 On a summer's evening we formed a merry group;
G D7 G G C C G G7
 Boys and girls together we would sing and waltz
C C G Eaug7(2 hold) E7(1) A7 D9 G G
 While Giuseppe played the organ on the sidewalks of New York.

G G D7 G C6 D9 G G7
 East side, west side, all around the town,
C C G Eaug7 A9 A9 D(1)Am(1)F7(1) D7
 The tots sang "ring-a-rosie," "London Bridge is falling down."
G D7 G G C C G G7
 Boys and girls together, me and Mamie O'Rourke
C C G Eaug7(2 hold) E7(1)
 Tripped the light fantastic on the
A7 D9 G G
 sidewalks of New York.



That's where Johnny Casey, little Jimmy Crowe
 Jakey Krause, the baker, who always had the dough,
 Pretty Nellie Shannon with a dude as light as cork
 She first picked up the waltz step on the sidewalks of New York.



Things have changed since those times, some are up in "G"
 Others they are on the hog (wand'rers) but they all feel just like me
 They'd part with all they've got, could they once more walk
 With their best girl and have a twirl on the sidewalks of New York.

