

PEOPLE GET READY – CURTIS MAYFIELD:

Capo : 1st fret (NB: The original is in C# so the capo is on the 1st fret, to make the C into a C#).

[Intro]

2x: C C | Am || Am | Am–Am–Am || F F | C || C | C–C–C

[Verse 1]

C Am F C
People get ready, there's a train a coming;
C Am F C
you don't need no baggage, you just get on board
C Am F C
All you need is faith to hear the diesel's humming;
C Am F C
You don't need no ticket, you just thank the Lord

[Bridge 1]

2x: C C | Am || Am | Am–Am–Am || F F | C || C | C–C–C *

* Any lead played over this can be based on the minor pentatonic scale.

[Verse 2]

C Am F C
So people get ready for the train to Jordan;
C Am F C
picking up passengers, coast to coast
C Am F C
Faith is the key, open the doors and board 'em;
C Am F C
there's... hope for all among those loved the most.

[Bridge 2]

2x: C C | Am || Am | Am–Am–Am || F F | C || C | C–C–C *

* Any lead played over this can be based on the minor pentatonic scale.

[Verse 3]

C Am F C
There ain't no room for the hopeless sinner;
C Am F C
who would hurt all mankind just to save his own
C Am F C
Have pity on those whose chances grow thinner;
C Am F C
for there's no hiding place against the Kingdom's throne

[Verse 4]

C Am F C
So people get ready, there's a train a coming;
C Am F C
you don't need no baggage, you just get on board
C Am F C
All you need is faith to hear the diesel's humming;
C Am F C
You don't need no ticket, you just thank the Lord

C Am F C
You don't need no ticket, you just thank the Lord