

**Come On Darkness**  
**Camper Van Beethoven**

Artist: Camper van Beethoven  
Song: Come on Darkness  
Album: Key Lime Pie  
Tuning: Standard

Note: Play G as a bar chord

INTRO:

**F F Em A**  
**Dm G7 C G Bb**

VERSE 1:

**F F Em A**  
Come on slowly, won't you rise and come  
**Dm G7 C G Bb**  
To the top of this hill, where the cool breeze spills  
**F F Em A**  
Now that it's dusk, someone drives them off the street  
**Dm G7 C G Bb**  
Let the pavements cool, come on now  
**F F Em A**  
So come on love, and lay your body down, next to mine  
**Dm G7 C G Bb**  
Cause what we're longing for, has withered in the light

CHORUS:

**Em Em F F**  
Come on darkness, Lay your body down on us  
**Dm Dm G Gsus2**  
We've been calling you for so long now, we're weary of your name  
**Em Em F F**  
Come on blackness, let me breathe you in  
**Dm Dm G Gsus4 G**  
Cause with this clattering and din, we are calling you

VERSE 2:

**F F Em A**  
Brother have you got a smoke, or baby have you got a dime  
**Dm G7 C G Bb**  
Seems like we're all, a little down on our luck  
**F F Em A**  
And baby if you're workin' now, out in Bakersfield  
**Dm G7 C G Bb**

At some honky-tonk, they call the Wagon Wheel

CHORUS:

**Em Em F F**  
I feel swept, and you feel rolled away  
**Dm Dm G7 A7sus2**  
So come on darkness, I need you today  
**Em Em F F**  
So come on blackness, let me breathe you in  
**Dm Dm G7**  
Cause with this clattering and din, I am calling you

FINALE:

**F Dm**  
Come on darkness  
**G7 F**  
Come on darkness

--crookedpath