

**Cowboy Song**

**Joe Purdy**

capo 3rd fret its just c f and g the whole song listen to it to get the timing

intro c hammer middle finger

**C**  
Pick me up softly, I don t know the shape that I m in

**F**  
I dropped through the windows and down through the buildings  
**G**

And up to the front door again

**C**  
There was a gunfight out in the moonlight

To settle the matters at hand

**F**  
So pick me up stranger, pick me up softly

**G** **C**  
I don t know the shape that I m in

Chorus:

**C**  
And I did my best with my time in the West

**F**  
And I tried not to leave anyone in distress

**G** **C**  
And I have stood tall yeah and I never lied

**F**  
That s a lie

**G**  
But I surely tried

**C** **F** **G**  
To do everything I could do right

**C**  
Pick me up softly, I don t know how much I ve been hurt

**F**  
One bullet missed me, the other one kissed me

**G**  
And left me to die in the dirt

**C**  
They killed every last man and shot down my Suzanne

**F**  
It s over whatever it s worth

**G**  
So pick me up stranger, pick me up softly

**C** **F G**

I don't know how much I've been hurt

Repeat chorus

**C**

Pick me up softly, I don't know long I have left

**F**

Oh I am not hurtin', but death is a-certain

**G**

There's a bullet that lays in my chest

**C**

I'm flooded with memories and people and sweet dreams

**F**

And words to my favourite songs

And I'll buy the last round if you lay my head down

**G**

And sing one for me when I'm gone

Repeat chorus