

Ballad Of Bilbo Baggins
Leonard Nimoy

...THE BALLAD OF BILBO BAGGINS... by Leonard Nimoy

from The Two Sides of Leonard Nimoy (1968)

Intro:

C C#, C B, C C#, C

Verse 1:

C **F**
 In the middle of the earth, in the land of The Shire;
G7 **C**
 Lives a brave little Hobbit, whom we all admire.
C **G#**
 With his long wooden pipe, fuzzy, woolly toes,
G7 (n.C) **C (n.C)**
 He lives in a Hobbit-hole and everybody knows him;

Chorus 1:

F **D#** **G#** **A#** **C**
 Bilbo! (Bilbo!) Bilbo Baggins; he s only three feet tall.
F **D#** **G7** **C**
 Bilbo! (Bilbo!) Bilbo Baggins; the bravest little Hobbit of them all.

Interlude:

C C#, C B, C C#, C

Verse 2:

C **F**
 Now, Hobbits are peace-lovin folks, you know,
G7 **C**
 They don t like to hurry, and they take things slow.
G#
 They don t like to travel a-way from home;
G7 **C**
 They just want to eat, and be left alone.

KEY CHANGE

Verse 3:

C# **F#**
But one day, Bilbo was asked to go,
G#7 **C#**
On a big adventure to the caves below.

A
To help some Dwarves get back their gold,
G#7 **C#**
That was stolen by a dragon in the days of old.

Chorus 2:

F# **E** **A** **B** **C#**
Bilbo! (Bilbo!) Bilbo Baggins; he s only three feet tall.
F# **E** **G#7** **C#**
Bilbo! (Bilbo!) Bilbo Baggins; the bravest little Hobbit of them all.

Break:

C# **D**
Well, he fought with the Goblins, he battled a troll,
D# **E**
He riddled with Gollum; a magic ring he stole.
F **F#**
He was chased by wolves, lost in the forest,
G **G#**
Es-caped in a barrel, from the Elf-King s Halls.

Chorus 3:

F# **E** **G#7** **C#**
Bilbo! (Bilbo!) Bilbo Baggins; the bravest little Hobbit of them all.

Solo:

C# F# G#7 C#, C# A G#7 C#

Verse 4:

C# **F#**
Now he s back in his hole, in the land of The Shire;
G#7 **C#**
That brave little Hobbit, whom we all admire.
A
Just a-sittin on a treasure of silver and gold;
G#7 (n.C) **C# (n.C)**
A-puffin on his pipe, in his Hobbit Hole.

Chorus 4:

F# **E** **A** **B** **C#**
Bilbo! (Bilbo!) Bilbo Baggins; he s only three feet tall.
F# **E** **G#7** **C#**
Bilbo! (Bilbo!) Bilbo Baggins; the bravest little Hobbit of them all.

(Repeat to Fade)

CHORD DIAGRAMS:

C	C#	B	F	G7	G#	D#
EADGBE x32010	EADGBE x46664	EADGBE x24442	EADGBE 133211	EADGBE 353433	EADGBE 466544	EADGBE x68886
A#	F#	G#7	A	E	D	G
EADGBE 688766	EADGBE 244322	EADGBE 464544	EADGBE 577655	EADGBE 022100	EADGBE x57775	EADGBE 355433

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