

Leaves That Are Green
Simon & Garfunkel

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Standard Tuning
Capo 5th Fret

If you want to pick it like Paul does, try the following pattern for the intro and first line, then extrapolate down. Sorry for the lack of detail.

	C	Dm	G	C	
e	---	0-----	1-----	-----	
B	1-----	3-3---	0--0--	1--1--	
G	--0----	2-----	0-----	0----	
D	-2-----	-----	0-----	2-----	
A	3-----	-----	-----	3-----	
E	-----	0-----	3-----	-----	

[Intro]

C Dm G C
C F G C

C		Dm		G		C	
I	was	twenty-one	years	when	I	wrote	this
	C			F	G	C	<---
quarter	notes.						F and G on this line are

I m twenty-three now, but I won t be for long

F **G**
Time hurries on

	C	G	F	G	C
And	the	leaves	that	are	green
			turn	to	brown

Am
And they wither with the wind

Dm **G**
And they crumble in your hand.

Once my heart was filled with the love of a girl
I held her close, but she faded in the night
Like a poem I meant to write
And the leaves that are green turn to brown
And they wither with the wind
And they crumble in your hand.

I threw a pebble in a brook
And watched the ripples run away
And they never made a sound
And the leaves that are green turn to brown

And they wither with the wind
And they crumble in your hand.

C **Am** **G** **C**
Hello, hello, hello, hello

C **F** **G** **C**
Goodbye, goodbye, goodbye, goodbye

F **G**
That s all there is

C **G** **F** **G** **C**
And the leaves that are green turn to brown.