

# Space Oddity [C] David Bowie Writer: David Bowie 1969

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iYYRH4apXDo> BPM: 135 GARRY (10 – Lift off)  
STRUM: D D du du d d [Am/G] - open strings

INTRO: [Fmaj7] | [Em] | [Fmaj7] | [Em] |

GALS: [C] Ground control to Major [Em] Tom.

GUYS: [C] Ground control to Major [Em] Tom

ALL : [Am] Take your [Am/G] protein pills and [D7] put your helmet on

[C] (ten) Ground control to (nine) Major [Em] (eight) Tom (seven) 2 3 4

[C] (six) Commencing count (five) down, engines [Em] (four) on (three) 2 3 4

[Am] (two) Check ig-[Am/G]-nition (one) and may

[D7] God's love (lift off) be with you

[A] | [C]\* | [D]\* | [E]\* | \*Could use Bar chords (Bb shape)

GALS: [C] This is ground control to Major [E7] Tom

You've really made the [F] grade

GUYS: And the [Fm] papers want to [C] know whose shirts you [F] wear,

Now it's [Fm] time to leave the [C] capsule if you [F] dare

SOLO TOM: [C] This is Major Tom to ground con[E7]trol,

+ ALL Ooohs I'm stepping through the [F] door

And I'm [Fm] floating in the [C] most peculiar [F] way

And the [Fm] stars look very [C] different to[F]day

For [Fmaj7] here am I [Em] sitting in a tin can,

[Fmaj7] far above the [Em] world

[Bb] Planet Earth is [Am] blue and there's [G] nothing I can [F] do

[C]↓ [F]↓ [G]↓ [A]↓ ↓ | [C]↓ [F]↓ [G]↓ [A]↓ ↓ |

[Fmaj7] | [Em7] | [A] | [C]\* | [D]\* | [E]\* | [E]\*↓ \* Bar chords ?

SOLO TOM: [C] Though I'm passed one hundred thousand [E7] miles,

I'm feeling very [F] still

And I [Fm] think my spaceship [C] knows which way to [F] go,

Tell my [Fm] wife I love her [C] very much... She [F] knows.

SOLO CONTROL: [G] Ground control to [E7] Major Tom:

GUYS: Your [Am] circuit's dead, there's [C] something wrong.

CHOIR: Can you [D7] hear me Major Tom?

CHOIR+GALS: Can you [C] hear me Major Tom?

CHOIR+GALS+GUYS: Can you [G] hear me Major Tom? Can you

SOLO TOM: [Fmaj7] Here am I [Em] floating round my tin can,

[Fmaj7] far above the [Em] moon

ALL: [Bb] Planet Earth is [Am] blue and there's [G] nothing we can [F] do

[C]↓ [F]↓ [G]↓ [A]↓ ↓ | [C]↓ [F]↓ [G]↓ [A]↓ ↓ |

[Fmaj7] | [Em7] | [A] | [C]\* | [D]\* | [E]\* | [E]\*↓

