HAVANA by CAMILA CABELLO

YouTube Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gQkI4hvqPCs

Same, but easy to type-in or email: https://tinyurl.com/ybuv3gnh

NOTE: Entire song is only two alternating chords: Gm7 Dm7

Each of those two guitar chords are presented in three different shapes on Page 2. Every so often (mostly for variety), change one or both of the minor 7th chords to a plain minor (e.g., change Gm7 to a $\frac{Gm}{m}$ and/or Dm7 to a $\frac{Dm}{m}$).

Havana is an easy tune to make a rap (i.e., a "lead" or improvisation) out of several Gm "boxes" on the guitar fret board. A "box is just a playing position based on a spread of 4 to 6 consecutive frets built around the notes of the song's different chords. You will find ideas on how to do this on Page 3.

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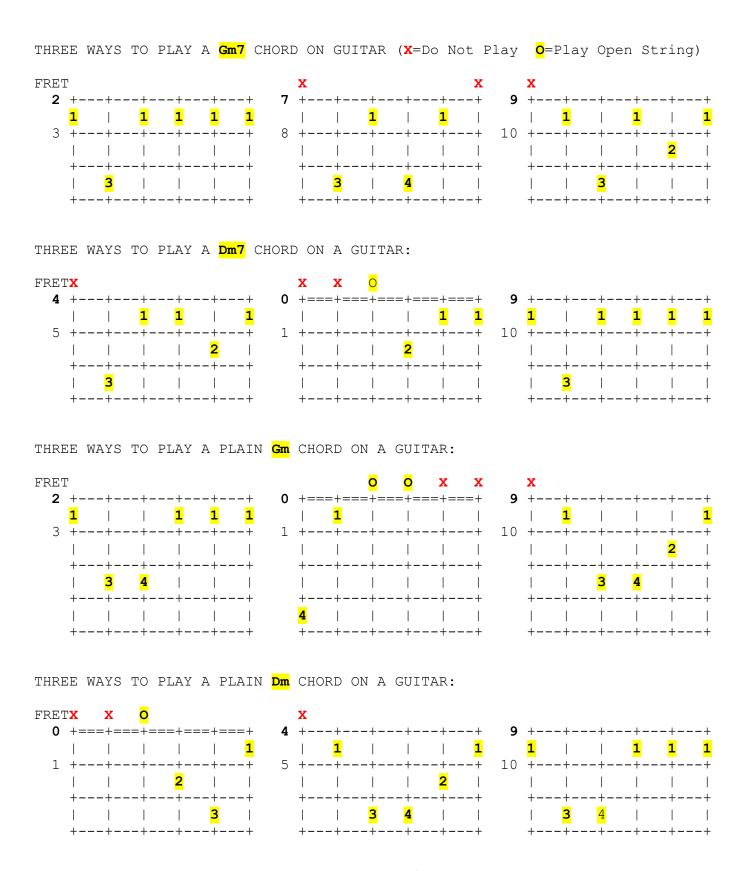
Havana, ooh na-na (ay)
Half of my heart is in Havana, ooh-na-na (ay, ay)
He took me back to East Atlanta, na-na-na
Oh, but my heart is in Havana (ay)
There's somethin' 'bout his manners (uh huh)
Havana, ooh na-na

He didn't walk up with that "how you doin'?"
(When he came in the room)
He said there's a lot of girls I can do with
(But I can't without you)
I knew him forever in a minute
(That summer night in June)
And papa says he got malo in him
He got me feelin' like

Ooh... I knew it when I met him I loved him when I left him Got me feelin' like Ooh... and then I had to tell him I had to go, oh na-na-na-na

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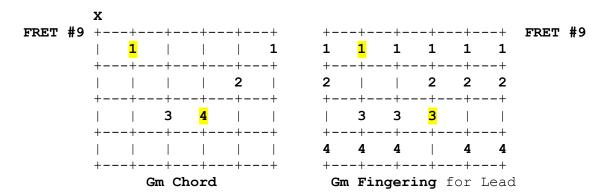
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A good Gm "lead" position for HAVANA begins between Frets #9 & #10 and the next four consecutive fret spaces, one for each of your four fingers. This forms one of the "Gm Boxes" (there are several). Experiment to find pleasing runs as the song moves between the two chords, Gm7 and Dm7.



Here is a larger Gm Box layout (many frets, still using 4 fingers) for lead practice: You will need to develop a comfortable sliding style between certain frets and adjacent strings using your $1^{\rm st}$ $3^{\rm rd}$ and $4^{\rm th}$ fingers.

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