Darkness on the Delta

Rabbit Muse • *Muse Blues*

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F                          A7               D                D7
When it's darkness on the delta that's the time my heart is light,
          G7               C7             F               C7             F
When it's darkness on the delta we'll be nestled in the shelter of the night;
          F          A7               D               D7
Fields of cotton all around me, baby sing sweet and low,
         G7             C7
Lord I'm lucky that you found me
          F          C7            F
Where the muddy Mississippi waters flow.

F7
Lounging on the levee,
                         Bb
Listenin' to the nightingales way up above,
G7
Laughter on the levee, no one's heart is heavy,
C7                      G7         C7
All God's children got someone to love.

F                          A7
When it's darkness on the delta,
     D            D7
Only heaven is in sight,
          G7               C7
When it's darkness on the delta,
       F             C7             F
Let me linger in the shelter of the night.
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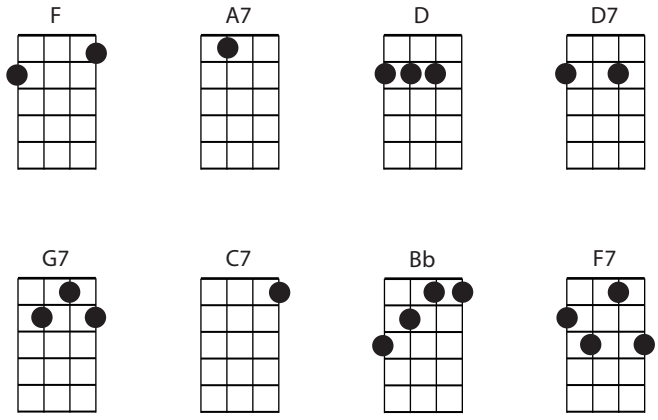
The original 1932 song is by Marty Symes & Al J. Neiburg, and the music by Jerry Levinson. Rabbit Muse seems to be playing this a note higher on the recording, so you could capo 2 to play along.