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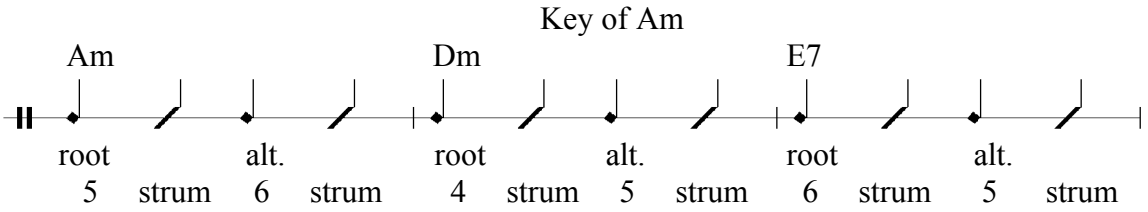

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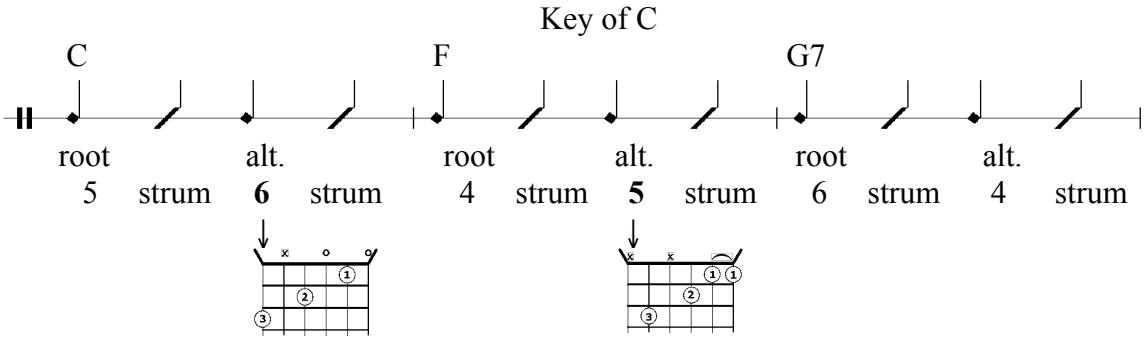

Each chord uses the same root and alternating bass notes regardless if it is a major, minor or 7th chord. The chart below will help you to memorize the strings played on the bass notes.

STRINGS PLAYED ON THE ROOT
AND ALTERNATE BASS NOTES

Major Chord	Minor Chord	7th Chord	Root Bass String	Alternate Bass String
A	Am	A7	6	5
		B7	5	**6***
C			5	**6***
D	Dm	D7	4	5
E	Em	E7	6	5
F			4	**5***
G		G7	6	4

* This alternate bass note requires a chord fingering change.