



4. D G D  
 Every gambler knows, that the secret to sur-vivin'  
 D A7  
 Is knowin' what to throw away, and knowin' what to keep  
 D G D  
 'Cause every hand's a winner, and every hand's a loser  
 G D A D D  
 And the best that you can hope for is to die in your sleep

5. D G D  
 And when he'd finished speakin', he turned back toward the window  
 D A7  
 ...Crushed out his cigarette, and faded off to sleep  
 D↓ G↓ D↓  
 And somewhere in the darkness, the gambler he broke even  
 G↓ D↓ A↓ D↓  
 But in his final words I found an ace that I could keep

**CHORUS:**

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*You got to know when to hold 'em, know when to fold 'em*  
 G D A  
*Know when to walk away, and know when to run*  
 D G D  
*You never count your money, when you're sittin' at the table*  
 D G D A D  
*There'll be time e - nough for countin', when the dealin's done*

**CHORUS: (no ukes—just clapping on 2nd & 4<sup>th</sup> beats and singing)**

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**CHORUS – (REPEAT WITH UKULELES AND SINGING ending on D↓)**