

BASIC UKULELE FINGER PICKING PATTERNS

Use patterns 1, 2 and 3 to build up to pattern 4.

T = Thumb
F = First finger

Pattern 1: Finger and thumb basic

	Beat 1	Beat 2	Beat 3	Beat 4
String 1 (G)	T		T	
String 2 (C)				
String 3 (E)				
String 4 (A)		F		F

Pattern 2: Alternating thumb

	Beat 1	Beat 2	Beat 3	Beat 4
String 1 (G)	T		T	
String 2 (C)		T		T
String 3 (E)				
String 4 (A)				

Pattern 3: Alternating finger

	Beat 1	Beat 2	Beat 3	Beat 4
String 1 (G)		T		F
String 2 (C)				
String 3 (E)	F		F	
String 4 (A)		F		F

Pattern 4: Alternating thumb and finger

	Beat 1	Beat 2	Beat 3	Beat 4
String 1 (G)	T			
String 2 (C)			T	
String 3 (E)		F		
String 4 (A)				F