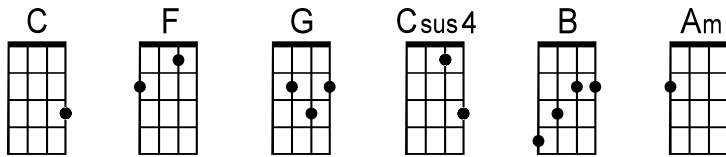


# Fannin Street

## Tom Waits



Intro: [C] [F] [G] [C] [Csus4] [C]

[C] There's a [F] crooked [G] street in Houston [C] town [Csus4] [C]  
It's a [F] well-worn [G] path I've traveled [C] down [Csus4] [C]  
Now there's [F] ruin in my [G] name, I wish I [C] never [C/B] got off the [Am] train  
[F] I wished I'd listened [G] to the words you [C] said

Don't go [C] down [Csus4] [C] to Fannin Street [Csus4] [C]  
Don't go [F] down to Fannin [C] Street [Csus4] [C]  
Don't go [F] down to Fannin [C] Street , [Csus4] [C] oh [Am] yeah  
You'll be [C] lost and never [F] found  
You can [C] never turn [F] around  
Don't go [C] down[G]  
[G] to Fannin [C] Street [Csus4] [C]

Once I [F] held you in my [G] arms, I was [C] sure [Csus4] [C]  
And I [F] took that silent [G] step through the gilded [C] door [Csus4] [C]  
The de [F] sire to have much [G] more, all the [C] glitter [C/B] and the [Am] roar  
Now I [F] know just [G] where the sidewalk [C] ends [Csus4] [C]

### Chorus

When I was [F] young I thought [G] only of getting [C] out  
I said good [F] bye to my [G] street, goodbye to my [C] house  
Give a man [F] gin, give a man [G] cards, give an[C] inch [C/B] he takes a [Am] yard  
And I [F] rue the day that I [G] stepped off this [C] train [Csus4] [C]

### Chorus (x2)

[C] [F] [G] [C] [Csus4] [C]

Don't go [C] down [G] to Fannin [C] Street [Csus4] [C] (x2)