

# (Sittin' On) The Dock of the Bay

Otis Redding – *The Dock of the Bay* (1968)

Intro		G   %
A1	Sittin' in the mornin' sun I'll be sittin' when the evenin' come Watching the ships roll in And then I watch 'em roll away again, yeah	G   H     C – H – Bb   A     G   H     C – H – Bb   A
B1	I'm sittin' on the dock of the bay Watching the tide roll away Ooh, I'm just sittin' on the dock of the bay Wastin' time	G   Esus2 – E     G   Esus2 – E     G   A     G   E
A2	I left my home in Georgia Headed for the 'Frisco bay 'Cause I've had nothing to live for And look like nothing's gonna come my way	G   H     C – H – Bb   A     G   H     C – H – Bb   A
B2	So I'm just gonna sit on the dock of the bay Watching the tide roll away Ooh, I'm sittin' on the dock of the bay Wastin' time	G   Esus2 – E     G   Esus2 – E     G   A     G   E
C	Look like nothing's gonna change Everything still remains the same I can't do what ten people tell me to do So, I guess I'll remain the same, yes	G – D   C     G – D   C     G – D   C     F   D
A3	Sittin' here resting my bones And this loneliness won't leave me alone It's two thousand miles I roamed Just to make this dock my home	G   H     C – H – Bb   A     G   H     C – H – Bb   A
B3	Now, I'm just gonna sit at the dock of the bay Watching the tide roll away Oooo-wee, sittin' on the dock of the bay Wastin' time	G   Esus2 – E     G   Esus2 – E     G   A     G   E
Coda	(ad lib)	G   %   %   E