FLAMING UKULELE IN THE SKY

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D D7
1. I WAS A BANKER, CASH WAS MY NEED
G D
I WORSHIPPED MAMMON, I BATHED IN GREED
G D7 Bm
AND THEN A VISION FLASHED 'FORE MY EYES
D A7 D
OF A FLAMIN' UKULELE IN THE SKY

2. I WAS A PREACHER, I FELL FROM GRACE
(HE GOT CAUGHT NEKKID AT "MABEL'S PLACE")
I ASKED FORGIVENESS AND GODS REPLY
WAS THAT FLAMIN' UKULELE IN THE SKY

3. I WAS A LAWYER, HAD ALL THE LUCK
I BENT THE TRUTH TO MAKE A BUCK
BUT NOW IT'S MY TURN TO TESTIFY
'BOUT THAT FLAMIN' UKULELE IN THE SKY

(There is a modulation to Eb before the second solo and stays in that key to the end.
After you play the last D in the 3rd verse you play Bb7 and then Eb.
The Bb7 is the passing chord for the modulation. You are now in Eb.)

Eb Eb7
4. SO WHEN YOU FALTER ALONG LIFES ROAD
Ab7 Eb
AND START TO STUMBLE BENEATH THE LOAD
Ab Eb Cm
YOUR SWEAT AND TOIL WILL SANCTIFY
Eb Bb7 Ab Eb
THAT FLAMIN' UKULELE IN THE SKY

D
(CHORUS) THAT FLAMIN' UKULELE IN THE SKY
LORD, LORD
G D
THAT FLAMIN' UKULELE IN THE SKY
Bm
IT HAS FOUR SWEET GOLDEN STRINGS
D Bm
AND THE SOUND OF ANGEL WINGS
D A7 D
THAT FLAMIN' UKULELE IN THE SKY