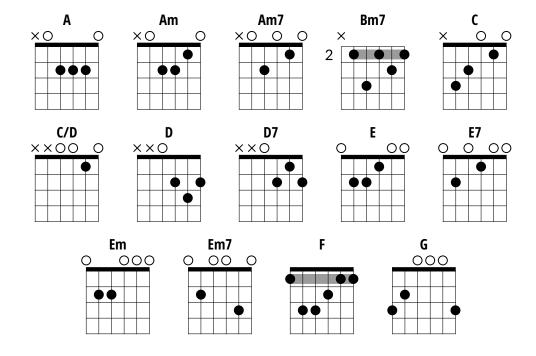


## **Big Sleeping House**

Microdisney | Crooked Mile (1987)



**INTRO** 

D G Em7 A

Bm7 E Bm7 E (x2)

VERSE 1

Bm7 E Bm7 E We went to a cheap hotel

**Bm7 E Bm7 E** A no-soap, no-sleep hotel

C F C F It did for us and for public scorn

**Bm7 E Bm7 E** In the dying town where we were born

Am D7 E7
How I hoped she wouldn't change her mind

Am D7 E7 Up until it was time to find Am D7 C She was even crazier than I

**CHORUS 1** 

G Am
In the big sleeping house
C G
Painted white, facing south
G Am
With the ghost to grin at you
C F C Am
Afternoon, now please get out

Bm7 E Bm7 E (x2)

VERSE 2

**Bm7 E Bm7 E** This is the night before

Bm7 E Bm7 E We've had a little and we want some more	Am D7 C And I will bet she can't remember how
C F C F It shakes the world and it makes us sweat	CHORUS 2
Bm7 E Bm7 E We make no promises we make no threats	<b>G Am</b> In the big sleeping house
Am D7 E7 And I gave her what she did demand	C G Painted white, facing south
Am D7 E7 It was weak and it was built on sand Am D7 C	G Am She held my hands up to her face
And she clawed through it with both her hands	C G And said damn this place, this haunted place
CHORUS 1	CHORUS 1
G Am In the big sleeping house	<b>G</b> Am In the big sleeping house
C G Painted white, facing south	<b>C</b> Painted white, facing south
G Am With the ghost to grin at you C F C Am F C Am	<b>G</b> Am With the ghost to grin at you
Afternoon, now please get out	C F C Am F C Am Afternoon, now please get out
INTERLUDE	
G Em Am7 C/D Ghosts	
G Em Am7 C/D (x2)	
G Em F C	
VERSE 3	
Am D7 E7 I heard she went off to America	
Am D7 E7 She has position and possessions now	