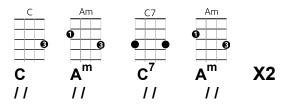
## Memphis

Johnny Rivers 1964 (Chuck Berry Memphis, Tennessee 1959)

Intro: (optional) (works best with a "low G")

Intro chord "Riff" (also played at end of each verse)



 $G^7$ 

Long distance information, give me Memphis Tennessee

Help me find a party that tried to get in touch with me

С

She could not leave a number but I know who placed the call

 $G^7 \qquad \qquad (C A^m C^7 A^m) X^2$ 

'Cause my uncle took the message and he wrote it on the wall

 $G^7$ 

Help me, information; get in touch with my Marie

She's the only one who'd call me here from Memphis Tennessee

C

Her home is on the south side, high upon a ridge

 $G^7$  (C  $A^m$   $C^7$   $A^m$ ) X2 Just a half a mile from the Mississippi Bridge

 $G^7$ 

Last time I saw Marie she was wavin' me goodbye

With "hurry-home" drops on her cheek that trickled from her eye

C

But we were pulled apart because her mom did not agree

 $G^7$ 

(C A<sup>m</sup> C<sup>7</sup> A<sup>m</sup>) X2And tore apart our happy home in Memphis Tennessee

 $G^7$ 

Help me, information, more than that I cannot add

Only that I miss her and all the fun we had

C

Marie is only six years old, information please

 $G^7$ (C  $A^m$   $C^7$   $A^m$ ) X3 C

Try to put me through to her in Memphis Tennessee



