Pearly Shells

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A⁷  D⁷  G      A⁷  D⁷  G
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A^7 D^7 G A^7 D^7 G
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      G
Pearly Shells, *(pearly shells)*, from the ocean, *(from the ocean)*,

          C   **D⁷**
Shining in the sun, *(shining in the sun)*, covering the shore, *(covering the shore)*,

       G   **C**
When I see them, *(when I see them)*,   my heart tells me that I love you

           G   **D⁷**   **G**
More than all the little pearly shells.

          D⁷
For every grain of sand upon the beach

       G
I've got a kiss for you

           D⁷
And I've got more left over

                A⁷   **D⁷**
For each star that twinkles in the blue.

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Instead of strumming the ending vamp, why not pick it:

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           A7              D7           G
a ------------------|----------------|----------
e ------------------|---------2--|----3-----
c ----1---2----1---2-|-----0---2-----|--------------
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