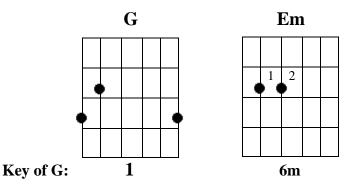
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Lesson 8 – An added basic chord to the key of G and the key of C.

• As we have seen, the basic chords for any key are 1,4,5. So for the key of G the basic chords used are G, C, D (1, 4, 5). A song sounds good and complete using only these basic chords, but to make it sound a little more interesting, sometimes a chord is replaced with another chord in accordance with musical rules.

According to the musical rules, the number 1 chord can sometimes be replaced by the number 6 chord in minor.

In the key of G, G is the number 1 chord and Em is the number 6 minor chord.



- Key of G: G (1) can be replaced by Em (6 minor). $G \rightarrow Em$
- Now the basic chords for the key of G are expanded to: G, C, D, Em (1, 4, 5, 6m)

Key of G:G A B C D Em F G A B C D Em F G A B C DEm F G A B

- It is a common rule that the number one chord (same as the key you are playing in) can sometimes be replaced with the number 6m chord for any key you play in.
- **Example:** Listen to the recording of the song 'You Reserve All Glory' and learn the song if you don't know it. The song is in the key of G and starts with the G chord.
- On the next page, the song is written twice. The first time without the Em (number 6m) and the second time with the replacement chord Em (number 6m). Play both, listen to the difference and see what you like better. That way you train your musical ear that you need when you start finding your own chords to the songs and you play worship from your heart where changing chords becomes second nature to you.

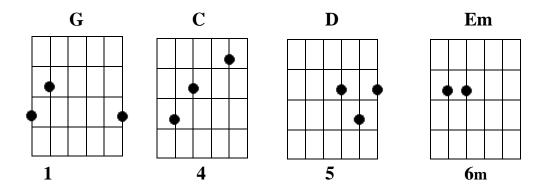
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THE KEY OF G

YOU RESERVE ALL GLORY

G You Reserve all Glory and all Honor С D Lord I lift my hands in worship as I lift You Holy Presence 2x - heart G For You are Great, You Do Miracles so Great D С there is no one else like You, there is no one else like You G For You are Great, You Do Miracles so Great G С D there is no one else like You, there is no one else like You

G Em You Reserve all Glory and all Honor D С Lord I lift my hands in worship as I lift You Holy Presence 2x - heart G Em For You are Great, You Do Miracles so Great С D there is no one else like You, there is no one else like You G Em For You are Great, You Do Miracles so Great G С D there is no one else like You, there is no one else like You



Next, play this song by heart, without the book!

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THE KEY OF C

- Basic chords in the key of C are C, F, G. Now we add the 6m chord which is Am. Key of C: C (1) can be replaced by Am (6 minor). C → Am
- Now the basic chords for the key of C are expanded to: C, F, G, Am (1, 4, 5, 6m)

Key of G:C D E F G Am B C D E F G Am B C D E F G Am etc.123456m7123456

• When you play the song, continue using the chord of C disregarding Am, then play the song again with the Am and listen to the difference. See what you like better.

