RIPTIDE
by Vance Joy
Ukulele arrangement by Cynthia Lin, http://cynthialin.com/ukulele

island strum:    d- du -u du
island strum variation:   d- D- -u du
chucking island strum:  d- Xu -u Xu  (X = chuck)

INTRO (island strum variation)    Am  G  C  C

VERSE (variation)  Am  G  C  C
I was scared of dentists and the dark
I was scared of pretty girls and starting conversations
green
All my friends are turning green
You're the magician's assistant in their dreams

PRECHORUS (variation)  Am  G  C  C
ah ooh ooh ooh
Am  G  C/ (hold single strum)
ah ooh ooh and they come unstuck

CHORUS (chucking)  Am  G  C  C
Lady, running down to the riptide, taken away to the dark side, I wanna be your left hand man
I love you when you're singing that song and I got a lump in my throat cuz you're gonna sing the words wrong

VERSE (variation)  Am  G  C  C
There's this movie that I think you'll like
This guy decides to quit his job and heads to New York City
This cowboy's running from him-self
and she's been living on the highest shelf

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Am  G  C/ (hold single strum)
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BRIDGE (island strum)  
Am        Am        G        G  
I just wanna, I just wanna know  
C        C        F        F  
If you're gonna, if you're gonna stay  
Am        Am        G        G  
I just gotta, I just gotta know  
C        C        F/  
I can't have it, I can't have it any other way  

BRIDGE 2 (single strum)  
Am/        G/        C/  
I swear she's destined for the screen  
Am/        G/        C/  
Closest thing to Michelle Pfeiffer that you've ever seen, oh  

CHORUS (chucking)  
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END CHORUS (chucking)  
Am        G        C       C  
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I love you when you're singing that song and I got a lump in my throat cuz you're gonna sing the words wrong & I got a lump in my throat cuz you're gonna sing the words wrong