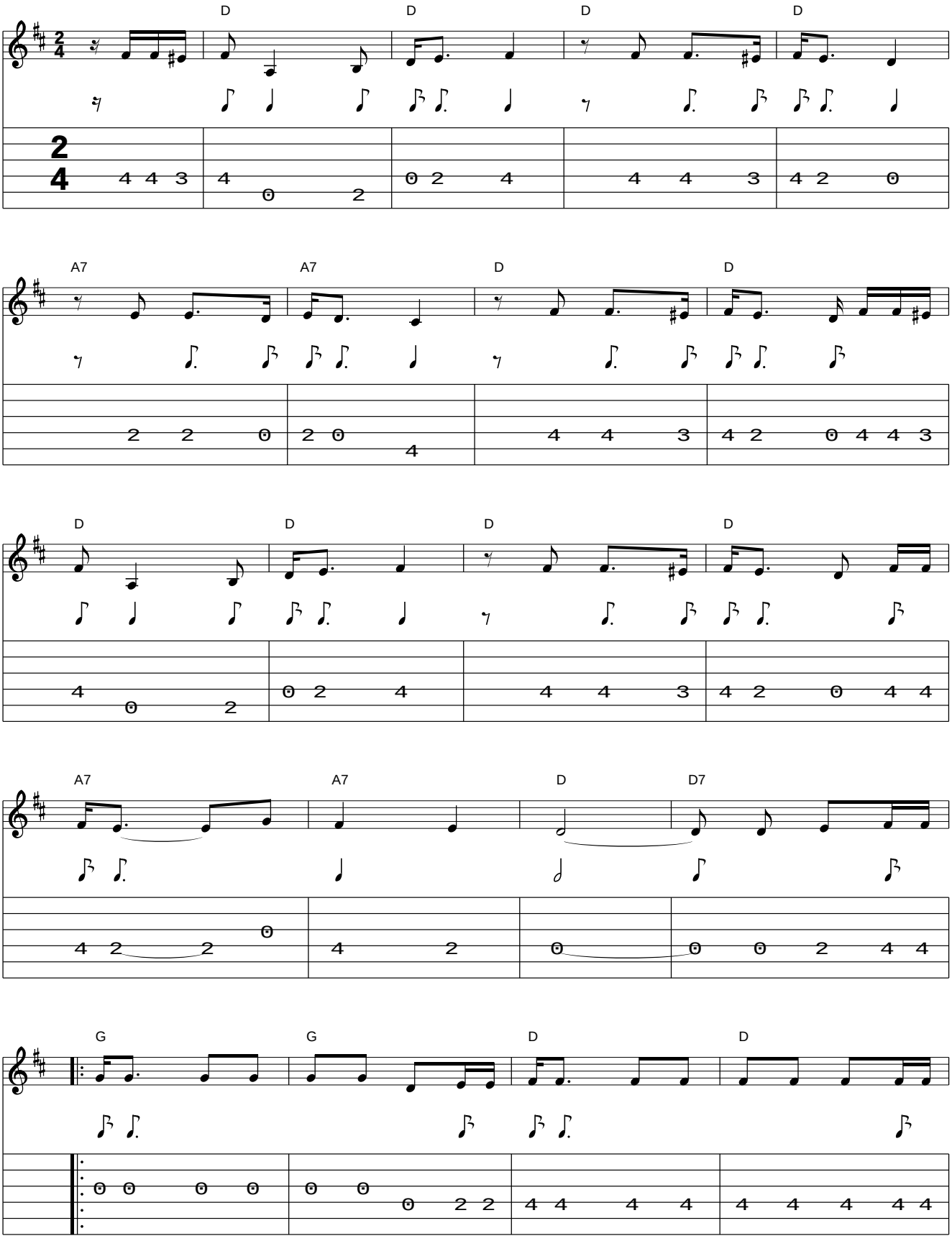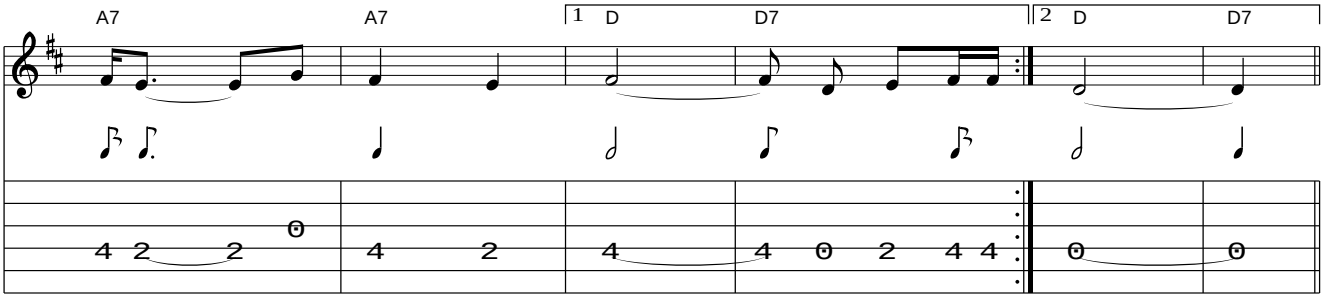
Down by the riverside

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I’m gon− na lay down my sword and shield down by the riv− er− side,
down by the riv− er− side, down by the riv− er− side. I’m gon− na
lay down my sword and shield down by the riv− er− side, gonna
stu− dy** war no more.* I ain’t gon−na
stu−dy war no more, I ain’t gon−na stu−dy war no more, I ain’t gon−na
stu− dy** war no more.* I ain’t gon−na more.

I’m gonna lay down my sword and shield
down by the riverside,
down by the riverside,
down by the riverside.
I’m gonna lay down my sword and shield
down by the riverside,
gonna study war no more.
I ain’t gonna study war no more,
I ain’t gonna study war no more,
I ain’t gonna study war no more.

I’m gonna walk with the Prince of Peace,
down by the riverside
And study war no more.

I’m gonna shake hands around the world,
down by the riverside
And study war no more.