The First Cut Is The Deepest
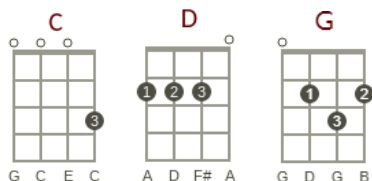
(Cat Stevens)

Key: G   Time: 4/4   Artist: P.P.Arnold
                                                   Rod Stewart & Others

Intro: *(Picked – 3 2 1 2)*   **[G]**   **[D]**   **[C]**   **[D]**   **[G]**   **[D]**   **[C]**   **[D]**

I would have **[G]** given you **[D]** all of my **[C]** heart   **[D]**
But there's **[G]** someone who's **[D]** torn it a-**[C]**part   **[D]**
And she's **[G]** taken almost **[D]** all that I've **[C]** got
But **[D]** if you want I'll **[G]** try to love a-**[D]**gain **[C]**   **[D]**
Baby I'll **[G]** try to love a-**[D]**gain, But I **[C]** know   **[D]**

[G] The first **[D]** cut is the **[C]** deepest. **[D]** Baby I **[G]** know
The first **[D]** cut is the **[C]** deepest **[D]**
'Cause when it **[G]** comes to being **[D]** lucky she's **[C]** cursed   **[D]**
When it **[G]** comes to loving **[D]** me she's **[C]** worst   **[D]**
But when it **[G]** comes to being **[D]** loved she's **[C]** first.
That's **[D]** how I know.
[G] The first **[D]** cut is the **[C]** deepest. **[D]** Baby I **[G]** know
The first **[D]** cut is the **[C]** deepest   **[D]** / / / *(Stop!)*

I still **[G]** want you **[D]** by my **[C]** side   **[D]**
Just to **[G]** help me dry the **[D]** tears that I've **[C]** cried   **[D]**
And I'm **[G]** sure gonna **[D]** give you a **[C]** try
And **[D]** if you want I'll **[G]** try to love a-**[D]**gain   **[C]**
[D] Baby, I'll **[G]** try to love a-**[D]**gain but I **[C]** know   **[D]**

[G] The first **[D]** cut is the **[C]** deepest. **[D]** Baby I **[G]** know
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'Cause when it **[G]** comes to being **[D]** lucky she's **[C]** cursed   **[D]**
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That's **[D]** how I know.
[G] The first **[D]** cut is the **[C]** deepest. **[D]** Baby I **[G]** know
The first **[D]** cut is the **[C]** deepest   **[D]** / / / *(Stop!)*

Bridge: *(picked until final D chord when strum starts)*
[G]   **[D]**   **[C]**   **[D]**   **[G]**   **[D]**   **[C]**   **[D]** / / / /

Outro:

[D] Baby, baby, baby I [G] know. The first [D] cut is the [C] deepest

[D] Yes it is! [G] The first [D] cut is the [C] deepest [D]

'Cause when it [G] comes to being [D] lucky she's [C] cursed   [D]

When it [G] comes to loving [D] me she's [C] worst   [D]

But when it [G] comes to being [D] loved she's [C] first. That's [D] how I know

[G] The first [D] cut is the [C] deepest. [D] Baby I know

[G] The first [D] cut is the [C] deepest [D] Baby I know

[G] The first [D] cut is the [C] deepest. [D] Baby I know

[G] The first [D] cut is the [C] deepest   [D]   [G!]