Yesterday

Beatles

Guitar akkorder

Tuning: Standard EADGBe

The song is actually played in F major (capo 5) but it sounds fine without a capo

Chords:
C : x32010
Bm7 : x20202
E7 : 020130
Am : x02210
G : 320033
F : 133211
D7 : xx0212
E : 022100
D6m : xx0201
G7 : 320001

Riff 1:
Played in the verses

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  1  2  3  4   1  2  3  4
| C          | Bm7   E7   |
| Am       G | F     G*   | *See below
| C          | Am    D7   |
| F     C    |
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Riff 2:
Played in the chorus

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  1  2  3  4   1  2  3  4
| E     E7   | Am G  F  Am|
| D6m   G7   | C          |
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*You may find the G chord after the F chord in the 4th measure in Riff 1 easier as
a barre chord (355433)
as it only requires you to slide up 2 frets from the F barre chord

Here shows how the riffs fit in with the words:

Intro:

C (for 2 measures)

Verse 1:

[Play Riff 1 twice]
C Bm7 E7 Am G F
Yesterday, All my troubles seemed so far away,
G* C
Now it looks as though they're here to stay,
Am D7 F C
Oh, I believe in yesterday.
C Bm7 E7 Am G F
Suddenly, I'm not half the man I used to be
G* C
There's a shadow hanging over me,
Am D7 F C
Oh, yesterday came suddenly.

Chorus:
[Play Riff 2 twice]
E E7 Am G F
Why she had to go,
Am Dm6 G7 C
I don't know, she wouldn't say.
E E7 Am G F
I said something wrong,
Am Dm6 G7 C
Now I long for yesterday.

Verse 2:
[Play Riff 1 once]
C Bm7 E7 Am G F
Yesterday, Love was such an easy game to play,
G* C
Now I need a place to hide away,
Am D7 F C
Oh, I believe in yesterday.

Chorus:
[Play Riff 2 twice]
E E7 Am G F
Why she had to go,
Am Dm6 G7 C
I don't know, she wouldn't say.
E E7 Am G F
I said something wrong,
Am Dm6 G7 C
Now I long for yesterday.

Verse 3:
[Play Riff 1 once + last two measures repeated]

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C          Bm7         E7           Am           G F
Yesterday, Love was such an easy game to play,
      G*               C
Now I need a place to hide away,
    Am   D7        F     C
Oh, I believe in yesterday.
        Am       D7      F     C (let ring)
Humm Hum-mm Humm Humm Humm-mm Humm
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