The First Cut Is The Deepest – Cat Stevens

Strumming Pattern: DDD, DU (to mimic the mutes just use your palm on the strings. Try to cover all strings and allow the bass notes of each chord to ring through a bit. I only did this because the overall song is rather repetitive and a bit boring.)

Chords Used:

Intro: G – D – C – D (x2)

Verse 1

I would have given you all of my heart
but there’s someone who’s torn it a - part
and she’s taken almost all that I’ve got
but if you want, I'll try to love a - gain
baby I'll try to love a - gain but I know

The first cut is the deepest,

but when it comes to being in love she's first

that's how I know

The first cut is the deepest,
G D C D
I still want you by my side
G C D C
just to help me dry the tears that I've cried
G D C
cause I'm sure gonna give you a try
D G D C
and if you want, I'll try to love a - gain
D G C D D (hold D)
baby, I'll try to love again, but I know
G D C
The first cut is the deepest,
D G
baby I know
D C D
The first cut is the deepest
G D C D
'cause when it comes to being lucky she's cursed
G C D C
when it comes to lovin' me she's worse
G D C
but when it comes to being in love she's first
D
that's how I know
G D C
The first cut is the deepest,
D G
baby I know
D C
The first cut is the deepest
D G
baby I know
D C
The first cut is the deepest
D G
baby I know
D C D (hold D) end on G
The first cut is the deepest