Hotel California

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Bm F#

On a dark desert highway, cool wind in my hair

A E

Warm smell of colitas, rising up in the air

G D

Up ahead in the distance, I saw a shimmering light

Em F#

My head grew heavy and my sight grew dim, I had to stop for the night

Bm F[‡]

There she stood in the doorway, I heard the mission bell

And I was thinking to myself, this could be heaven or this could be hell

Then she lit up a candle, and she showed me the way

Em F#

There were voices down the corridor, I thought I heard them say

F#

Welcome to the Hotel California D-----/7-5-4-

Em Bm7

Such a lovely place, such a lovely face

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- (1) Plenty of room at the Hotel California,
- (2) They livin' it up at the Hotel California

(1) Any time of year (any time of year) you can find it here

(2) What a nice surprise (what a nice surprise) bring your alibis

Em

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Bm Her mind is Tiffany twisted, she got the Mercedes Benz She got a lot of pretty, pretty boys, she calls friends How they dance in the courtyard, sweet summer sweat Some dance to remember, some dance to forget Bm So I called up the captain, "Please bring me my wine' "We haven't had that spirit here since nineteen sixty-nine" And still those voices are calling from far away Wake you up in the middle of the night, just to hear them say Chorus Bm F# Mirrors on the ceiling, the pink champagne on ice And she said, "We are all just prisoners here, of our own device" And in the masters chambers, they gathered for the feast They stab it with their steely knives, but they just can't kill the beast Bm Last thing I remember, I was running for the door I had to find the passage back to the place I was before "Relax" said the night man, "We are programmed to receive" "You can check out anytime you like, but you can never leave"