



Hotel California

Eagles

(Optional: Capo on 2nd fret for original key)

[Intro]

(Plucking/Fingering) Pluck each note before playing the strings the second time around.

Am E7 G D F C Dm E7

[Verse 1]

Am E7
On a dark desert highway, cool wind in my hair
G D
Warm smell of colitas rising up through the air
F C
Up ahead in the distance, I saw a shimmering light
Dm
My head grew heavy and my sight grew dim
E7
I had to stop for the night

Am E7
There she stood in the doorway, I heard the mission bell
G D
Then I was thinking to myself this could be Heaven or this could be Hell
F C
Then she lit up a candle and she showed me the way
Dm
There were voices down the corridor,
E7
I thought I heard them say

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[Verse 2]

F **C**
Welcome to the Hotel California
E7
Such a lovely place
E7
(Such a lovely place)
Am
Such a lovely face
F **C**
Plenty of room at the Hotel California
Dm
Any time of year
Dm
(Any time of year)
E7
You can find it here

[Verse 3]

Am **E7**
Her mind is Tiffany twisted, she got the Mercedes Benz
G **D**
She got a lot of pretty, pretty boys that she calls friends
F **C**
How they dance in the courtyard, sweet summer sweat
Dm **E7**
Some dance to remember, some dance to forget
Am **E7**
So I called up the captain, "Please bring me my wine"
G **D**
He said, "We haven't had that spirit here since 1969"

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F **C**
And still those voices are calling from far away
Dm **E7**
Wake you up in the middle of the night just to hear them say

[Chorus]

F **C**
Welcome to the Hotel California
E7
Such a lovely place
E7
(Such a lovely place)
Am
Such a lovely face
F **C**
They livin' it up at the Hotel California
Dm
What a nice surprise
Dm
(what a nice surprise)
E7
Bring your alibis

[Verse 4]

Am **E7**
Mirrors on the ceiling, the pink champagne on ice
G **D**
And she said, "We are all just prisoners here of our own device"
F **C**
And in the master's chambers they gathered for the feast
Dm **E7**
They stab it with their steely knives but they just can't kill the beast



Am

E7

Last thing I remember, I was running for the door

G

D

I had to find the passage back to the place I was before

F

C

"Relax," said the night man, "We are programmed to receive

Dm

E7

You can check out any time you like, but you can never leave"

Am

E7

G

D

F

C

Dm

E7