

Hotel California

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

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

[F] Welcome to the Hotel Cali[C]fornia
Such a [E7] lovely place (such a lovely place). Such a [Am] lovely face.
[F] Plenty of room at the Hotel Cali[C]fornia
Any [Dm] time of year (any time of year) you can [E7] find it here

[Am] Her mind is Tiffany-twisted, [E7] she got the Mercedes Benz
[G] She got a lot of pretty, pretty boys, [D] that she calls friends
[F] How they dance in the courtyard, [C] sweet summer sweat
[Dm] Some dance to remember, [E7] some dance to forget

[Am] So I called up the Captain, [E7] "Please bring me my wine", (he said)
[G] "We haven't had that spirit here since [D] nineteen sixty-nine"
[F] And still those voices are calling from [C] far away,
[Dm] Wake you up in the middle of the night [E7] Just to hear them say"

[F] Welcome to the Hotel Cali[C]fornia
Such a [E7] lovely place (such a lovely place). Such a [Am] lovely face.
[F] They livin' it up at the Hotel Cali[C]fornia
What a [Dm] nice surprise (what a nice surprise), bring your [E7] alibis

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

[Am] Last thing I remember, I was [E7] running for the door
[G] I had to find the passage back to the [D] place I was before
[F] "Relax" said the night man, "We are [C] programmed to receive."
[Dm] You can check out any time you like, [E7] But you can never leave!"

Outro:

[Am]/// [E7]/// [G]/// [D]/// [F]/// [C]/// [Dm]/// [E7]/// <Am>

