

HOTEL CALIFORNIA (capo 2nd) [\(MIDI\)](#)Intro: Am-E-G-D-F-C-Dm-E / Am-E-G-D-F-C-Dm-E

Am E
1. 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,
E
I had to stay for the night.

Am E
2. There she stood in the doorway, I heard the mission bell,
G
and I was thinking to myself
D
this could be heaven this could be hell
F C
then she lit up a candle, and she showed me the way,
Dm E
there were voices down the corridor, I thought I heard them say.
F C E
"Welcome to the hotel California, such a lovely place,
Am
(such a lovely place) such a lovely place.
F C Dm
Plenty of room at the hotel California, any time of year
E
(any time of year) you can find it here."

Am E
3. Her mind is Tiffany twisted, she got the Mercedes Benz,
G D
she got a lot of pretty, pretty boys, she calls friends.
F C
How they dance in the courtyard, sweet summer sweat,
Dm E
some dance to remember, some dance to forget.

Am
4. So I called up the captain, E "Please bring me some wine!"
G He said, "we haven't had this spirit here since nineteen sixty-nine."
F

And still those voices are calling from far away, C
Dm wake you up in the middle of the night, E just to hear them say.
F

"Welcome to the Hotel California, such a lovely place, C E

(such a lovely place) Am such a lovely place.

F They livin' it up at the Hotel California, what a nice surprise, C Dm

(what a nice surprise) E bring your alibis."

Am
5. Mirrors on the ceiling, E the pink champagne on ice.
G

And she said, "We are all just prisoners here D of our own device."
F

And in the master's chambers, C they gathered for the feast.
Dm

They stab it with their steely knives but they just can't kill the beast. E

Am
6. Last thing I remember, E I was running for the door,
G

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

F "Relax", said the night man, C "we are programmed to receive,
Dm

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

Instr.: Am-E-G-D-F-C-Dm-E / Am-E-G-D-F-C-Dm-E

- Am-E-G-D-F-C-Dm-E / Am-E-G-D-F-C-Dm-E /

- Am-E-G-D-F-C-Dm-E - Am

(The Eagles)