



Hotel California

The Eagles

Intro: [Em] //// //// [B7] //// /--- [D] //// //// [A] //// /---
 [C] //// //// [G] //// /--- [Am] //// //// [B7] //// /--- [tap tap]

[Em] On a dark desert highway... [B7] cool wind in my hair,
 [D] Warm smell of colitas .. [A] rising up through the air.
 [C] Up ahead in the distance... [G] I saw a shimmering light,
 [Am] My head grew heavy and my sight grew dim,
 [B7] I had to stop for the night.

[Em] There she stood in the doorway... [B7] I heard the mission bell
 [D] And I was thinking to myself .. this could be [A] heaven or this could be hell
 [C] Then she lit up a candle... [G] and she showed me the way.
 [Am] There were voices down the corridor... [B7] I thought I heard them say

[C] Welcome to the Hotel Cali-[G]-fornia .. such a [B7] lovely place
(such a lovely place), such a [Em] lovely face
 There's [C] plenty of room at the Hotel Cali-[G]-fornia,
 any-[Am]-time of year *(anytime of year)*, you can [B7] find it here.

[Em] Her mind is Tiffany-twisted... [B7] she got the Mercedes Benz,
 [D] She got a lot of pretty pretty boys... [A] that she calls friends,
 [C] How they dance in the courtyard... [G] sweet summer sweat,
 [Am] Some dance to remember... [B7] some dance to forget.

[Em] So I called up the captain... [B7] please bring me my wine (he said ...)
 [D] "We haven't had that spirit here since... [A] 1969",
 [C] And still those voices are calling from [G] far away,
 [Am] Wake you up in the middle of the night... [B7] just to hear them say ...

[C] Welcome to the Hotel Cali-[G]-fornia, Such a [B7] lovely place,
(such a lovely place), such a [Em] lovely face
 [C] Living it up at the Hotel Cali-[G]-fornia,
 What a [Am] nice surprise *(what a nice surprise)*...bring your [B7] alibis... [B7>]

[Em>] Mirrors on the [Em>] ceiling...
 [B7>] pink champagne on [B7>] ice (and she said ...)
 [D>] "We are all just [D>] prisoners here... [A>] of our own de-[A>]-vice",
 [C>] And in the [C>] master's chambers... they [G>] gathered for the [G>] feast,
 [Am>] They stab it with their [Am>] steely knives...
 but they [B7>] just can't kill the [B7] beast.

[Em] Last thing I remember.. I was [B7] running for the door,
 [D] I had to find the passage back .. to the [A] place I was before,
 [C] "Relax", said the night man, "We are [G] programmed to receive
 [Am] You can check out anytime you like, but..... [B7] you can never leave".

Outro: [Em] //// //// [B7] //// /--- [D] //// //// [A] //// /---
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