HOTEL CALI FORNIA

INTRO: (Am) - (E7) - (G) - (D) - (F) - (C) - (Dm) - (E7)
(two beats, all join in)

[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 LI'T UP A CANDLE [C] AND SHE 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] MIRRORS ON THE CEILING,
[E7] PINK CHAMPAGNE ON ICE, AND SHE SAID
[G] WE ARE ALL JUST PRISONERS HERE [D] OF OUR OWN DEVICE
[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.

[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
THEY [F] LI'Vin' IT UP AT THE HOTEL CALI-[C]-FORNIA
WHAT A [Dm] NI CE SURPRISE (WHAT A NICE SURPRISE)
BRING YOUR [E7] ALIBIS.

[F] WELCOME TO THE HOTEL CALI-[C]-FORNIA
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