



Hotel California - The Eagles

A ukulele interpretation by Kevin Presbrey

Easy Strum: D-D-U-U-D-U | Intermediate strum: M-D-U-M-D

| 4/4 Time | 74bpm | Key of D

INTRO: (Play 2x) (1 and 2 and 3 and 4 and)

(D/UUUD/UDU) (D/UUUD) (D/UUUD/UDU) (D/UUUD)

Bm **F#7** **A** **E**

(D/UUUD/UDU) (D/UUUD) (D/UUUD/UDU) (D/UUUD)

G **D** **Em** **F#7**

VERSE I: DDUUDU Island or M-D-U-M-D (1, 2 &, & 4)

Bm (2x) **F#7 (2x)**

On a dark desert highway, cool wind in my hair

A (2x) **E (2x)**

Warm smell of colitas rising up through the air

G (2x) **D (2x)**

Up ahead in the distance, I saw a shimmering light

Em (2x) **F#7 (2x)**

My head grew heavy and my sight grew dim, I had to stop for the night

VERSE II

Bm (2x) **F#7 (2x)**

There she stood in the doorway, I heard a mission bell

A (2x) **E (2x)**

And I was thinking to myself, this could be heaven or this could be hell

G (2x) **D (2x)**

Then she lit up a candle, and she showed me the way

Em (2x) **F#7 (2x)**

There were voices down the corridor, I thought I heard them say

CHORUS: DDUUDU

G (2x) **D (2x)** **F#7 (2x)** **Bm (2x)**

Welcome to the Hotel California, such a lovely place, such a lovely face

G (2x) **D (2x)** **Em (2x)** **F#7 (2x)**

Plenty of room at the Hotel California, any time of year, you can find it here.

VERSE III

Bm (2x)

F#7 (2x)

Her mind is Tiffany-twisted, she got a Mercedes Bends

A (2x)

E (2x)

She got a lot of pretty pretty boys she calls friends

G (2x)

D (2x)

How they danced in the courtyard, sweet summer sweat

Em (2x)

F#7 (2x)

Some dance to remember, some dance to forget

VERSE IV

Bm (2x)

F#7 (2x)

So I called up the captain, please bring me my wine

A (2x)

E (2x)

We haven't had that spirit here since 1969

G (2x)

D (2x)

And still those voices are calling from far away

Em (2x)

F#7 (2x)

Wake you up in the middle of the night, just to hear them say

CHORUS

G (2x)

D (2x)

F#7 (2x)

Bm (2x)

Welcome to the Hotel California, such a lovely place, such a lovely face

G (2x)

D (2x)

Em (2x)

F#7 (2x)

Plenty of room at the Hotel California, what a nice surprise, bring your alibis

VERSE V

Bm (2x)

F#7 (2x)

Mirrors on the ceiling, the pink champaign on ice

A (2x)

E (2x)

And she said , we are all just prisoners here, of our own device

G (2x)

D (2x)

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

Em (2x)

F#7 (2x)

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

VERSE VI

Bm (2x)

F#7 (2x)

Last thing I remember, I was running for the door

A (2x)

E (2x)

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

G (2x)

D (2x)

Relax said the night man, we are programmed to receive

Em (2x)

F#7 (2x)

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

SOLO:

Bm (2x) - F#7 (2x) - A (2x) - E (2x) - G (2x) - D (2x) - Em (2x) - F#7 (2x)