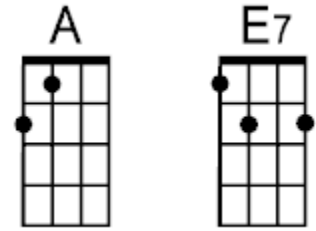


# The Yellow Rose of Texas

Traditional

There's a Yellow Rose in Texas, that I am going to see  
No other soldier knows her, no soldier only me  
She cried so when I left her, it like to broke my heart  
And if I ever find her, we nevermore will part



She's the sweetest rose of color this soldier ever knew  
Her eyes are bright as diamonds, they sparkle like the dew  
You may talk about your dearest May and sing of Rosa Lee  
But the Yellow Rose of Texas beats the belles of Tennessee

When the Rio Grande is flowing and the starry skies are bright  
She walks along the river in the quiet summer night  
She thinks if I remember, when we parted long ago  
I promised to come back again and not to leave her so

Oh now I'm going to find her for my heart is full of woe  
And we'll sing the song together, that we sung so long ago  
We'll play the banjo gaily, and we'll sing the songs of yore  
And the Yellow Rose of Texas shall be mine forevermore

