

They Call the Wind Maria

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C Am C Am C Am C Am
Away out here they got a name for rain and wind and fire
C Am Em Em F C Am C Am
The rain is Tess, the fire's Jo and they call the wind Maria
C Am C Am C Am C Am
Maria blows the stars around, and sends the clouds a' flyin'
C Am Em Em F G C Am C Am
Maria makes the mountains sound like folks was up there dyin'

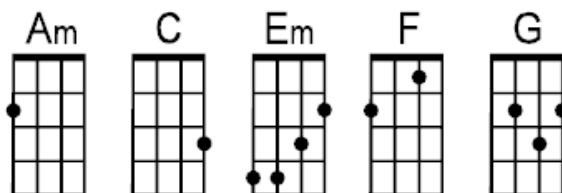
Am Am Em Em F G C// Am// C// Am//
Maria. Maria. They call the wind Maria

C Am C Am C Am C Am
Before I knew Maria's name and heard her wail and whinin'
C Am Em Em F G C Am C Am
I had a girl and she had me and the sun was always shinin'
C Am C Am C Am C Am
But then one day I left my girl, I left her far behind me
C Am Em Em F G C Am C Am
And now I'm lost, so goldarn lost, not even God can find me.

<Chorus>

C Am C Am C Am C Am
Out here they got a name for rain, for wind and fire only
C Am Em Em F G C Am C Am
But when you're lost, and all alone there ain't no word but lonely
C Am C Am C Am C Am
And I'm a lost and lonely man without a star to guide me
C Am Em Em F G C Am C Am
Maria blow my love to me I need my girl beside me.

<Chorus>



Verses: 2 beats/chord
Chorus: 4 beats/chord