

HALLELUJAH (LEONARD COHEN, 1984)

(Intro) C G C G

C Am C Am
Now I heard there was a secret chord, that David played and it pleased the Lord
Your faith was strong but you needed proof You saw her bathing on the roof
You say I took the name in vain, I don't even know the name
Well, maybe there's a God above; as for me all I've ever learned from love
There was a time you let me know what's really going on below
I did my best, it wasn't much, I couldn't feel, so I tried to touch

F C F G
But you don't really care for music do ya? It goes like this the fourth the fifth
Her beauty and the moonlight overthrew ya She tied you to a kitchen chair
But if I did, well really, what's it to ya? There's a blaze of light in every word
Is how to shoot somebody who outdrew you. But it's not a crime you're here tonight
But now you never show it to me, do you? And I remember when I moved in you
I've told the truth, I didn't come to fool ya, And even though it all went wrong

Am F G E Am
the minor fall and the major lift, the baffled king composing hallelujah
She broke your throne, & she cut your hair & from your lips she drew the hallelujah
It doesn't matter which you heard, The holy or the broken Hallelujah
It's not some pilgrim who claims to have seen the Light;
No, it's a cold and it's a very broken Hallelujah
& the holy dove she was moving too & every single breath we drew was Hallelujah
I'll stand before the Lord of Song, With nothing on my tongue but Hallelujah

Chorus:

F Am F C G C G
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah

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