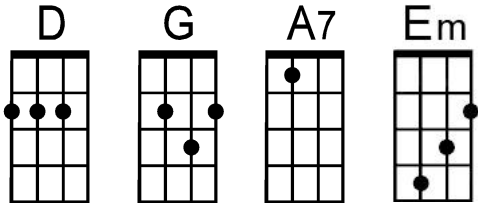


Jamaica Farewell

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Intro:

D . . . | Em . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . | . . . | Em . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |

(sing a)

D . . . | G . . . |
Down a-way where the nights are— gay and the

D . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |
Sun-shine's daily on the moun-tain— top—

D . . . | G . . . |
I took a trip on a sail-ing— ship. When I

D . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |
reached Ja—maica I made a— stop, but I'm...

Chorus:

D . . . | Em . . . |
Sad to say— I'm on my— way—

A7 . . . | D . . . |
Won't be back— for many a day—

D . . . | Em . . . |
My heart is— down my head is turning a— round. I had to

D . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |
Leave a little girl in Kings-ton— town—

D . . . | Em . . . | D . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |

D . . . | G . . . |
Sounds of laughter— ever- y— where and the

D . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |
Dancing— girls swaying to and— fro—

D . . . | G . . . |
I must de-clare my heart is— there, though I've

D . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |
been from Maine to Mex-i— co, but I'm...

Chorus:

D . . . | Em . . . |
Sad to say— I'm on my— way—

A7 . . . | D . . . |
Won't be back— for many a day—

D . . . | Em . . . |
My heart is— down my head is turning a— round. I had to

D . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |
Leave a little girl in Kings-ton— town—

D . . . | Em . . . | D . . . | A7 . . . | D . . . |

D . . . | G . . . |
 Down at the mar-ket you can— hear, ladies
 D . . . A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Cry out while on their heads they— bare—
 D . . . | G . . . |
 Akee, rice, salt— fish are— nice, and the
 D . . . A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Rum is fine any— time of— year, but I'm...

Chorus: D . . . | Em . . . |
 Sad to say— I'm on my— way—
 A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Won't be back— for many a day—
 | D . . . | Em . . . |
 My heart is— down my head is turning a— round. I had to
 D . . . A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Leave a little girl in Kings-ton— town—

Interlude: D . . . | Em . . . | D . . . A7 . . . | D . . . |

D . . . | G . . . |
 Down a-way where the nights are— gay and the -
 D . . . A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Sun-shine's daily on the moun-tain— top—
 D . . . | G . . . |
 I took a trip on a sail-ing— ship, and when I
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 Reached Ja—maica I made a— stop, but I'm...

Chorus: D . . . | Em . . . |
 Sad to say— I'm on my— way—
 A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Won't be back— for many a day—
 | D . . . | Em . . . |
 My heart is— down my head is turning a— round. I had to
 D . . . A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Leave a little girl in Kings-ton— town
 . . . | D . . . | Em . . . |
 I'm Sad to say— I'm on my— way—
 A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Won't be back— for many a day—
 | D . . . | Em . . . |
 My heart is— down my head is turning a— round. I had to
 D . . . A7 . . . | D . . . |
 Leave a little girl in Kings-ton— town—

Outro: D . . . | Em . . . | D\ --- A7\ --- | D\