California Dreamin’
(by John Phillips, Mamas and the Papas, 1965)

Intro (arpeggio): Dm . . . | . . . . | A7 . . . | A7\ ---

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(all the leaves are brown) (and the sky is grey)

(I’ve been for a walk) (on a winter’s day)

(l’d be safe and warm) (if I was in L. A.)

(Cali-forn-ia dream-in’ on such a winter’s day)


(got down on my knees)

. . . | A7 . . . | Dm . C . | And I pre-tend to pray
(l pre-tend to pray)

(knows I’m gon-na stay)

(Cali-forn-ia dream-in’, on such a winter’s day)

Instrumental:

Dm . . . | . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | . . . . Doo——— do-do Doo do-do Doo——— do-do
Dm    C    | Bb    C    | Asus4    .    .    .    | A7    .    .    .    
Da   da   daa---- Da   da   daa---- Da-Da   da   da-da da-da da    Daa---- da-da da

Dm    C    | Bb    C    | Asus4    .    .    .    | A7    .    .    .    
Da---- da   Da---- da   Da---- da   Da---- da   Daa----------------- Da----

.    .    .    | Dm    C    | Bb    C    | Asus4    .    .    .    | A7    .    .    .    
All the leaves are brown--------------------- and the sky is grey-----------------
(all the leaves are brown) (and the sky is grey)

.    .    .    | F    A7    | Dm    Bb    | Asus4    .    .    .    | A7    .    .    .    
I've been for a walk----------------------- on a winter's day------------------
(I've been for a walk) (on a winter's day)

.    .    .    | Dm    C    | Bb    C    | Asus4    .    .    .    | A7    .    .    .    
If I didn't tell her----------------------- I could leave to--day------
(If I didn't tell her) (I could leave)

.    .    .    | Dm    C    | Bb    C    | Asus4    .    .    .    | Dm    C    | Bb    
Cali-fornia dream------------------------ in’— on such a winter’s day-----------------
(Cali-fornia dream) (Cali-fornia dream)

C    .    .    | Dm    C    | Bb    
On such a winter’s day-------------------
(on such a winter’s day)

C    .    .    | Bbmaj7    .    .    .    .    .    .    .    .    | Dm\ 
On such a winter’s day-------------------
(on such a winter's day)

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