

Just Across The Rio Grande
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C **Cm7**
The lights of Laredo dance on the water
 F **C**
And shine in a young man s eyes.
 C
He stands on the border
 Cm7 **Em** **F**
And dreams of paradise.
 C **Cm7**
He s heard crazy stories of how people live
 F **Cm7** **Dm**
Over in the promise land.
 C **Cm7** **F** **C**
He heard they eat three meals a day
Am7 **G** **C**
Just across the Rio Grande.

He s got a wife name Maria, a baby named Rose.
And another one to feed on the way.
Two willing hands
That couldn t find work today.

He stares at the river and curses the future
That he can t understand.
He knows the child would have a chance
Just across the Rio Grande.

Refrão -----

C **G** **C**
It s on - ly a river
 F **C**
That s not so deep or wide.
 C **Am7**
A boy can throw a stone across
 F **G**
And reach the other side.
 C **G** **C**
It s just some muddy water
 F **Dm**
Cutting through the land,
 C **Cm7** **F** **C**
But a man can make a dream come true
(Sometimes it seems like God must live)

Am7 G C
Just across the Rio Grande.

The lights of Laredo dance on the water
And shine in a young man s eyes.
He stands on the border
And dreams of paradise.

He s heard crazy stories of how good life is
Over in the promise land.
And sometimes it seems like God must live
Just across the Rio Grande.

Chorus