

## Hallelujah

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[Intro]

**C Am**

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[Verse 1]

**C Am**  
Iâ€™ve heard there was a secret chord  
**C Am**  
That David played and it pleased the Lord  
**F G C G**  
But you donâ€™t really care for music do you?  
**C F G**  
It goes like this, the fourth, the fifth  
**Am F**  
The minor fall, the major lift  
**G Em Am**  
The baffled King composing Hallelujah

[Chorus]

**F Am**  
Hallelujah, hallelujah  
**F C G C C**  
Hallelujah, hallelujah

[Verse 2]

**C Am**  
Your faith was strong but you needed proof  
**C Am**  
You saw her bathing on the roof  
**F G C G**  
Her beauty in the moonlight overthrew you  
**C F G**  
She tied you to a kitchen chair  
**Am F**  
She broke your throne, and she cut your hair  
**G Em Am**  
And from your lips she drew the hallelujah

[Chorus]

**F Am**  
Hallelujah, hallelujah  
**F C G C C**  
Hallelujah, hallelujah

[Verse 3]

**C** **Am**  
Maybe Iâ€™ve been here before  
**C** **Am**  
I know this room, Iâ€™ve walked this floor  
**F** **G** **C** **G**  
I used to live alone before I knew you  
**C** **F** **G**  
Iâ€™ve seen your flag on the marble arch  
**Am** **F**  
Love is not a victory march  
**G** **Em** **Am**  
Itâ€™s a cold and itâ€™s a broken hallelujah

[Chorus]

**F** **Am**  
Hallelujah, hallelujah  
**F** **C G C C**  
Hallelujah, hallelujah

[Verse 4]

**C** **Am**  
There was a time when you let me know  
**C** **Am**  
Whatâ€™s real and going on below  
**F** **G** **C** **G**  
But now you never show it to me, do you?  
**C** **F** **G**  
And remember when I moved in you  
**Am** **F**  
The Holy Dark was moving too  
**G** **Em** **Am**  
And every breath we drew was hallelujah

[Chorus]

**F** **Am**  
Hallelujah, hallelujah  
**F** **C G C C**  
Hallelujah, hallelujah

[Verse 5]

**C** **Am**  
Maybe thereâ€™s a God above  
**C** **Am**  
And all I ever learned from love  
**F** **G** **C** **G**  
Was how to shoot at someone who outdrew you  
**C** **F** **G**  
And itâ€™s not a cry you can hear at night

**Am**

**F**

Itâ€™s not somebody whoâ€™s seen the light

**G**

**Em**

**Am**

Itâ€™s a cold and itâ€™s a broken hallelujah

[Chorus]

**F**

**Am**

Hallelujah, hallelujah

**F**

**C G**

Hallelujah, hallelujah

**F**

**Am**

Hallelujah, hallelujah

**F**

**C G C**

Hallelujah, hallelujah