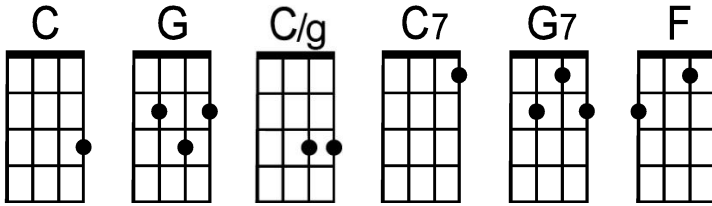


Red River Valley

by Traditional (1870's)



(sing g c e)

From this val-ley they say you are leaving—

We shall miss your bright eyes and sweet smile—

For you take with you all of the sunshine—

That has bright-ened our path- ways a-while—

Chorus: Come sit by my side if you love me—

Do not hast-en to bid me a-dieu—

Just re-mem-ber the Red River Val-ley—

And the cow-boy that loved you so true—

For a long time my dar-ling I've wait-ed—

For the sweet words you ne-ver would say—

Now at last all my fond hopes have vanished—

For they say that you're go-ing a-way—

Instr: . | C . G . | C . . . | . . C/g . | G . .

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C— 0 2 2 2 0 0 0 2
Low G— 0 0

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A—
E— 3 1 0 0 0 3 1 0
C— 2 0 2 0 2 2 0
Low G— 2 2 0 4

As you go to your home on the prairie—

May you ne—ver for—get those sweet hours—

That we spent in the Red River Val-ley—

And the love we ex-changed 'mid the flowers—

Chorus: Come sit by my side if you love me—

Do not hast-en to bid me a—dieu—

Just re-mem-ber the Red River Val-ley—

And the cow-boy that loved you so true—

San Jose Ukulele Club
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