

# Hallelujah

By Leonard Cohen

## INTRO

C \_ \_ C \_ \_ Am \_ \_ Am \_ \_ C \_ \_ C \_ \_ Am \_ \_ Am \_ \_ |

STRUM: Only on  
downbeat and  
continue

## VERSE #1

C \_ \_ C \_ \_ Am \_ \_ Am \_ \_  
heard there was a secret chord that  
C C Am Am  
David played and it pleased the Lord but  
F F G G C C G G  
you don't really care for music, do you? Well it  
C C F G  
goes like this the fourth, the fifth  
Am Amin F F  
The minor fall and the major lift the  
G G E7 E7 Am Am Am Am  
baffled king composing hallelujah Halle-

## CHORUS:

F F F F Am Am Am Am F F F F  
lujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, halle-  
C C G G C C Am Am C C Am Am  
lu-u-u-u- jah .... Well your

## VERSE #2

C C Am Am  
faith was strong but you needed proof You  
C C Am Am  
saw her bathing on the roof Her  
F F G G C C G G  
beauty and the moonlight overthrew you She  
C C F G  
tied you to her kitchen chair She  
Am Am F F  
broke your throne and she cut your hair And  
G G E7 E7 Am Am Am Am  
from your lips she drew the hallelujah Halle-

### CHORUS:

F F F F    Am Am Am Am    F F F F  
lujah, hallelujah,            hallelujah, halle-  
C C G G **C // C // Am // Am // C // C // Am // Am //**  
lu-u-u-u-            **jah ....**

STRUM: Start  
strumming all  
beats on "red"  
and continue

### VERSE #3

C C Am            Am  
Baby, I've been here before I've  
C C            Am Am  
seen this room and I've walked this floor I  
F F G            G C C G G  
used to live alone before I knew you I've  
C C F G  
seen your flag on the marble arch But  
Am Am F F  
love is not a victory march It's a  
G G E7 E7 Am Am Am Am  
cold and it's a broken hallelujah Halle-

### CHORUS:

F F F F    Am Am Am Am    F F F F  
lujah, hallelujah,            hallelujah, halle-  
C C G G **C C Am Am C C Am Am**  
lu-u-u-u-            **jah .... Well there**

STRUM: Start  
strumming  
D DU D at "red"  
and continue

### VERSE #4

C C            Am Am  
was a time when you let me know what's  
C C Am Am  
really going on below But  
F F G            G C C G G  
now you never show that to me do you But re-  
C C F G  
member when I moved in you and the  
Am Am F F  
holy dove was moving too and  
G G E7 E7 Am Am Am Am  
every breath we drew was hallelujah

### CHORUS:

F F F F    Am Am Am Am    F F F F  
lujah, halle - lujah,            halle - lujah, halle-

C C G G C\_\_ C\_\_ Am\_\_ Am\_\_  
 lu - u - u - u - jah ....  
 C\_\_ C\_\_ Am\_\_ Am\_\_  
 Well

STRUM: Only on  
 downbeat at red  
 - continue until  
 chorus

## VERSE #5

C C Am Am  
 maybe there's a God above but  
 C C Am Am  
 all I've ever learned from love was  
 F F G G C C G G  
 how to shoot somebody who outdrew you It's  
 C C F G  
 not a cry that you hear at night it's  
 Am Am F F  
 not somebody who's seen the light it's a  
 G G E7 E7 Am Am Am Am  
 cold and it's a broken hallelujah Halle-

[Outro]

## CHORUS:

F F F F Am Am Am Am F F F F  
 lujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, halle-  
 C C G G C C  
 lu-u-u-u- jah Halle-  
 F F F F Am Am Am Am F F F F  
 lujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, halle-  
 C C G G C C  
 lu-u-u-u- jah Halle-  
 F F F F Am Am Am Am F F F F  
 lujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, halle-  
 C C G G C C  
 lu-u-u-u- jah

STRUM: D DU D  
 at "red" and  
 continue to end