

South Of The Border

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C G7 C
South of the border, down Mexico way.

G7
That's where I fell in love when the stars above came out to play.

C CM7 C7 F
And now as I wander, my thoughts ever stray,

C G7 C
South of the border, down Mexico way.

G7 C
She was a vision in old Spanish lace.

G7
And for a tender while, I kissed the smile upon her face.

C CM7 C7 F
For it was fiesta and we were so gay,

C G7 C
South of the border, down Mexico way.

G7 C
Then she smiled as she whispered manana,

G7 C
Never dreaming that we were parting,

C7 F
And I lied as I whispered manana,

C G7 C
For our tomorrow never came.

G7 C
South of the border, I rode back one day,

G7
There in a veil of white, by candle light, she knelt to pray.

C CM7 C7 F
The mission bells told me, that I musn't stay,

C G7 C
South of the border, down Mexico way.