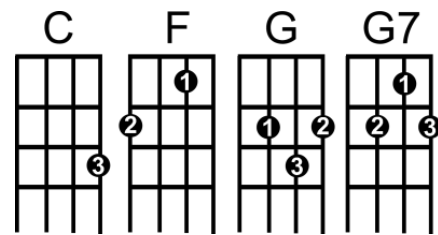


LILI MARLENE – Lyrics Hans Lieb 1915/ Music Norbert Schultze 1938

Intro: Hum 1st verse



1. [C] Underneath the lantern, [G7] by the barrack gate,
Darling, I remember the way you used to [C] wait
T'was [F] there that you whispered [C] tenderly,
That [G7] you loved me, you'd [C] always be,
My [G] Lili [G7] of the [C] lamplight, my [G] own [G7] Lili Marl[C] ene.

2. [C] Time would come for roll call, [G7] time for us to part,
Darling I'd caress you, and press you to my [C] heart
And [F] there 'neath that far-off [C] lantern light,
I'd [G7] hold you tight , we'd [C] kiss good night,
My [G] Lili [G7] of the [C] lamplight, my [G] own [G7] Lili Marl[C] ene.

3. [C] Orders came for sailing, [G7] somewhere over there
All confined to barracks was more than I could [C] bear
I [F] knew you were waiting [C] in the street,
I [G7] heard your feet, but [C] could not meet,
My [G] Lili [G7] of the [C] lamplight, my [G] own [G7] Lili Marl[C] ene.

4. *Instrumental – hummed verse*

5. [C] Diner Shritter kent zee, [G7] dyenen shurnen gung,
uller Ahbent brent zee, doch mich fairgus zee [C] lung
oont [F] zollter mere ine [C] Lite geshain,
vair [G7] veert buy dare [C] Latairner shtain,
mitt [G] dear [G7] Lili [C] Marleen, mitt [G] dear [G7] Lili [C] Marleen.

6. [C] Resting in our billets, [G7] just behind the lines,
Even tho' we're parted, your lips are close to [C] mine
You [F] wait where that lantern [C] softly gleams,
Your [G7] sweet face seems to [C] haunt my dreams,
My [G] Lili [G7] of the [C] lamplight, my [G] own [G7] Lili Marl[C] ene. X2