**Hallelujah (Leonard Cohen) (G) (12/8 Time)**

**Version 4 – The 7 Verses from the YouTube “Official Audio” page**

[**Hallelujah**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ttEMYvpoR-k) **by Leonard Cohen (Official Audio)**

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| **Intro: C Am C Am**  **C Am C Am**  Well I've heard there was a secret chord, that David played and it pleased the Lord,  **F G C G**  But you don't really care for music, do you?  **C F G Am F**  It goes like this, the fourth, the fifth, the minor fall and the major lift,  **G E7 Am**  The baffled king com - posing Halle - lujah,  **Chorus**  **F Am**  Halle - lujah, Halle - lujah,  **F C G C G**  Halle - lujah, Halle-lu--- --- jah.  **C Am C Am**  Your faith was strong but you needed proof, you saw her bathing on the roof,  **F G C G**  Her beauty and the moonlight over-threw you,  **C F G Am F**  She tied you to her kitchen chair, she broke your throne and she cut your hair,  **G E7 Am**  And from your lips she drew the Halle – lujah, **Chorus**  **C Am C Am**  Baby I have been here before. I know this room, I've walked this floor.  **F G C G**  I used to live a-lone before I knew you.  **C F G Am F**  I've seen your flag on the marble arch. Love is not a victory march.  **G E7 Am**  It's a cold and it's a broken Halle – lujah. **Chorus** | | | | | |  |
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*Hallelujah (Version 4) (C) – Page 2*

**C Am**

There was a time when you let me know,

**C Am**

What's really going on below,

**F G C G**

But now you never show it to me do you.

**C F G**

Well re-member when I moved in with you,

**Am F**

And the holy dove was moving too,

**G E7 Am**

And every breath we drew was Halle - lujah. **Chorus**

**C Am**

You say I took the name in vain.

**C Am**

I don't even know the name.

**F G C G**

But if I did, well really, what's it to you?

**C F G**

There's a blaze of light in every word.

**Am F**

It doesn't matter which you heard.

**G E7 Am**

The holy or the broken Halle – lujah. **Chorus**

**C Am**

May-be there is a God above,

**C Am**

But all I ever learned from love,

**F G C G**

Was how to shoot at someone who out-drew you.

**C F G**

And it's not a cry you can hear at night,

**Am F**

It's not somebody who's seen the light,

**G E7 Am**

It's a cold and it's a broken Halle – lujah, **Chorus**

**C Am**

I did my best, it wasn't much,

**C Am**

I couldn't feel so I tried to touch,

**F G C G**

I've told the truth, I didn't come to fool you.

**C F G**

And even though it all went wrong,

**Am F**

I'll stand before the Lord of Song,

**G E7 Am**

With nothing on my tongue but Halle – lujah, **Chorus (2x)**

**Note:** Some performers substitute Em for E7 in the last line of the verses.

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**G Em**

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