**Hallelujah (Leonard Cohen) (C)**

**Version 2 – 4 Verses (12/8 Time)**

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**Lyrics from "**[**Cohen Live**](https://leonardcohenfiles.com/album11.html)**" (June 1994), a performance in Austin, 31 October 1988**

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| **Intro: C Am C Am**  **C Am**  Baby I have been here before  **C Am**  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**  I've seen your flag on the marble arch  **Am F**  Love is not a victory march  **G E7 Am**  It's a cold and it's a broken Halle – lujah. **Chorus**  **Chorus**  **F Am**  Halle - lujah, halle - lujah,  **F C G C G**  halle - lujah, halle lu--- --- jah.  **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**  May be there is a God above,  **C Am**  But all I ever learned from love,  **F G**  Was how to shoot at someone  **C G**  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** | | |  |
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**Note:** Some performers substitute Em for E7 in the last line of the verses.

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| **Intro: G Em G Em**  **G Em**  Baby I have been here before  **G Em**  I know this room, I've walked this floor  **C D G D**  I used to live a-lone before I knew you.  **G C D**  I've seen your flag on the marble arch  **Em C**  Love is not a victory march  **D B7 Em**  It's a cold and it's a broken Halle - lujah. **Chorus**.  **G Em**  There was a time when you let me know,  **G Em**  What's really going on below,  **C D G D**  But now you never show it to me do you.  **G C D**  Well re-member when I moved in with you,  **Em C**  And the holy dove was moving too,  **D B7 Em**  And every breath we drew was Halle - lujah. **Chorus**  **Chorus**  **C Em**  Halle - lujah, Halle - lujah,  **C G D G D**  Halle - lujah, Halle lu--- --- jah | | | **G Em**  May be there is a God above,  **G Em**  But all I ever learned from love,  **C D**  Was how to shoot at someone  **G D**  who out - drew you.  **G C D**  And it's not a cry you can hear at night,  **Em C**  It's not somebody who's seen the light,  **D B7 Em**  It's a cold and it's a broken Halle - lujah, **Chorus**  **G Em**  I did my best, it wasn't much,  **G Em**  I couldn't feel so I tried to touch,  **C D G D**  I've told the truth, I didn't come to fool you.  **G C D**  And even though it all went wrong,  **Em C**  I'll stand before the Lord of Song,  **D B7 Em**  With nothing on my tongue but Halle - lujah, **Chorus** | | |  |
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