

## Jamaica Farewell

C F  
Down the way, where the nights are gay  
G7 C  
And the sun shines daily on the mountain top.  
F  
I took a trip on a sailing ship  
G7 C  
And when I reached Jamaica, I made a stop.

C Dm  
But I'm sad to say, I'm on my way  
G7 C  
Won't be back for many a day  
Dm  
My heart is down, my head is turning round  
G7 C  
I had to leave a little girl in Kingston Town.

C F  
Sounds of laughter, everywhere  
G7 C  
And the dancing girls sway to and fro.  
F  
I must declare, my heart is there  
G7 C  
Though I've been from Maine to Mexico.

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G7 C  
Won't be back for many a day  
Dm  
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C F  
Down at the market, you can hear  
G7 C  
Ladies cry out while on their heads they bear  
F  
Ackee rice, salt fish are nice  
G7 C  
And the rum is fine any time of year.

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