

# Jamaica Farewell, Harry Belafonte

Me [C] heart is down, me head is [F] turning around I had to [G7]  
leave a little girl in [C] Kingston town

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

[C] But I'm sad to say, [F] I'm on my way  
[G7] Won't be back for [C] many a day  
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[C] Down at the market [F] you can hear  
Ladies [G7] cry out while on their [C] heads they bear  
[C] Akee, rice, salt [F] fish are nice  
And the [G7] rum is fine any [C] time of year

[C] But I'm sad to say, [F] I'm on my way  
[G7] Won't be back for [C] many a day  
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[C] Sounds of laughter [F] everywhere  
And the [G7] dancing girls sway [C] to and fro  
[C] I must declare my [F] heart is there  
Though I've [G7] been from Maine to [C] Mexico

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SLOWER: I had to [G7] leave a little girl in [C] Kings[G7]ton [C] town

