

# California Dreaming [Am]

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[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aQ53\\_yJ7tKw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aQ53_yJ7tKw) (in A)

*Instrumental added by Tony Austin*

All the leaves are [Am] brown [G] [F]  
And the [G] sky is [E7sus4] grey [E7]  
I've been for a [C] walk [E7] [Am]  
On a [F] winter's [E7sus4] day [E7]  
I'd be safe and [Am] warm [G] [F]  
If I [G] was in [E7sus4] L.A. [E7]  
California [Am] dreamin' [G] [F]  
On [G] such a winter's [E7sus4] day [E7]

California [Am] dreamin' [G] [F]  
On [G] such a winter's [E7sus4] day [E7]

Stopped into a [Am] church [G] [F]  
I passed [G] along the [E7sus4] way [E7]  
Well I got down on my [C] knees [E7] [Am]  
And I pre-[F]-tend to [E7sus4] pray [E7]  
You know the preacher likes the [Am] cold [G] [F]  
He knows I'm [G] gonna [E7sus4] stay [E7]  
California [Am] dreamin' [G] [F]  
On [G] such a winter's [E7sus4] day [E7]

[Am]/// [Am]/// [Am]/// [Am]/ [F]/  
[C]/ [E7]/ [Am]/ [F]/ [E7sus4]/// [E7sus4]/ [Em]  
[Am]/ [G]/ [F]/ [Dm]/ [E7sus4]/// [E7sus4]///  
[Am]/ [G]/ [F]/ [G]/ [E7sus4]/// [E7]///

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And the [G] sky is [E7sus4] grey [E7]  
I've been for a [C] walk [E7] [Am]  
On a [F] winter's [E7sus4] day [E7]  
If I didn't [Am] tell her [G] [F]  
I could [G] leave to- [E7sus4]-day [E7]

California [Am] dreamin' [G] [F]  
On [G] such a winter's [Am] day

Cali[G]ifornia [F] dreamin'  
On [G] such a winter's [Am] day

Cali[G]ifornia [F] Dreaming  
On [G] such a winter's [E] day [Am]\* (single strum)

