



# Hallelujah

Lyricist, Composer : Leonard Cohen (BMI)  
Artist : Rufus Wainwright

**Accompanying piano**

Level 3

Original version

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♩ = 72

## A Introduction

1<sup>st</sup> sung note = G

Use pedal...

## B Verses

C

- 1) heard there was a
- 2) faith was strong but you
- 3) maybe I've been here
- 4) was a time you'd let me know
- 5) maybe there's a

Am

sec - ret chord  
nee - ded proof  
here be - fore  
let me know  
God above

C

that you  
I know  
what's  
and

Da - vid played and it pleased  
saw her bath - ing on  
this room I've walked  
real and going on  
all I ever learned

Am

the Lord but  
the roof her  
this floor I  
be - low but  
from love was

1) heard there was a

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## **Solo piano**

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### *Original version*

you don't real - ly care for mu - sic do you ?  
beau ty and the moon- light o - ver - threw you  
used to live alone be - fore I knew you  
now you never show it to me do you ?  
how to shoot at some - one who out - drew you  
it  
she  
I've  
and rem -  
and it's

F G C G

4 3 4 3 7

A musical score for the first section of 'The Star-Spangled Banner' in bass clef. The score consists of two measures. The first measure starts with a bass clef, a '2' over a '5' (indicating a key signature of two sharps), and a common time signature. It contains a dotted half note, a quarter note, and a half note. The second measure starts with a bass clef, a '2' over a '5', and a common time signature. It contains a dotted half note, a half note, and a quarter note. The notes are connected by vertical stems and horizontal beams.

**G** Em Am

baf - fled King com - po - sing Hal - le - lu - jah Hal - - le -  
 from your lips she - drew the Hal - le - lu - jah Hal - - le -  
 con and it's a bro - ken Hal - le - lu - jah Hal - - le -  
 every breath we drew was Hal - le - lu - jäh Hal - - le -  
 con - and it's a bro - ken Hal - le - lu - jah Hal - - le -

## C Chorus

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1. 2. 3. 4.

**F** lu - *jah* Hal - le - lu **G**

**C**

**G**

**D**

**C** **G** 1) your 3) there **C** **G** - *jah* Hal - le -

*jah* lu

The musical score consists of two staves of music. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom is in bass clef. The lyrics are integrated into the music. The vocal parts are labeled F, G, C, and D. The first section of the song is labeled 1. 2. 3. 4. The second section starts with a box labeled D, followed by 5. The lyrics include 'jah', 'lu', 'there', and 'Hal - le -'.

**F**

*lu - jah*      *Hal - le - lu - jah*      *Hal - le -*

lu - jah      Hal - le - lu      *Slow down...*

Musical score for 'Jah' and 'C'. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, with a 'C' and a 'j' above the staff, and a '1' below the staff. The bottom staff is in bass clef, with a 'C' and a 'j' above the staff, and a '1' below the staff. The music includes a dynamic instruction 'p' (piano) and a fermata over the last note of the first measure. The score concludes with a repeat sign and a section label '(C)'.



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[Lyrics](#)

*I've heard there was a secret chord  
That David played and it pleased the Lord  
But you don't really care for music, do you?  
It goes like this: the fourth, the fifth  
The minor fall, the major lift  
The baffled King composing Hallelujah*

**Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah**

*Your faith was strong but you needed proof  
You saw her bathing on the roof  
Her beauty and the moonlight overthrew you  
She tied you to a kitchen chair  
She broke your throne she cut your hair  
And from your lips she drew the Hallelujah*

**Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah**

*Maybe I have been here before  
I know this room, I've walked this floor  
I used to live alone before I knew you  
I've seen your flag on the marble arch  
Love is not a victory march  
It's a con and it's a broken Hallelujah*

**Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah**

*There was a time you'd let me know  
What's real and going on below  
But now you never show it to me, do you?  
And remember when I moved in you  
The holy dark was moving too  
And every breath we drew was Hallelujah*

**Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah**

*Maybe there's a God above  
And all I ever learned from love  
Was how to shoot at some one who outdrew you  
And it's not a cry you can hear at night  
It's not somebody who's seen the light  
It's a con and it's a broken Hallelujah*

**Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah**