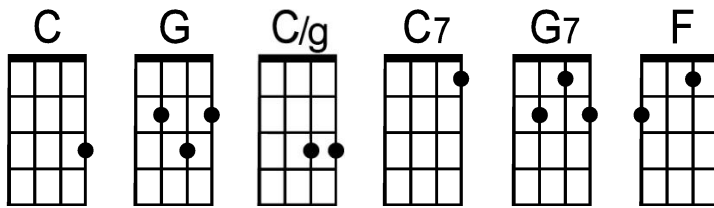


# Red River Valley - Duet version

by Traditional (1870's, plus modern lyrics)



**Intro:** . | C . G . | C . . . | . . C/g . | G . .  
 . | C . C7 . | F . . . | G . G7 . | C . .

(sing g c e)

**(She)** . | C . G . | C . .  
 From this val-ley they say you are leaving——  
 . | . . C/g . | G . .  
 I shall miss your bright eyes and sweet smile——  
 . | C . C7 . | F . .  
 For you take with you all of the sunshine——  
 . | G . G7 . | C . .  
 That has bright-ened my path-way a-while——

**Chorus:** . | C . G . | C . .  
 Come and sit by my side if you love me——  
 . | . . C/g . | G7 . .  
 Do not hast-en to bid me a-dieu——  
 . | C . C7 . | F . .  
 Just re-mem-ber the Red River Val-ley——  
 . | G . G7 . | C . .  
 And the wo-man that loved you so true——

**(He)** . | C . G . | C . .  
 For a long time my dar-ling I've wait-ed——  
 . | . . C/g . | G . .  
 For the sweet words you ne—ver would say——  
 . | C . C7 . | F . .  
 Now at last all my fond hopes have vanished——  
 . | G . G7 . | C . .  
 For I must be go—ing a-way——

**Chorus:** . | C . G . | C . .  
 So come sit by my side if you love me——  
 . | . . C/g . | G7 . .  
 Do not hast-en to bid me a-dieu——  
 . | C . C7 . | F . .  
 Just re-mem-ber the Red River Val-ley——  
 . | G . G7 . | C . .  
 And the cow-boy that loved you so true——

**Instr:**

. | **C** . **G** . | **C** . . . | . . **C/g** . | **G** . .  
 A —————  
 E — 0 — 0 — 0 — 0 — 0 — 0 — 3 — 1 — 0 —  
 C — 0 — 2 — 2 — 2 — 0 — 0 — 0 — 2 —  
 G — 0 — 0 —  
 . | **C** . **C7** . | **F** . . . | **G** . **G7** . | **C** . .  
 A —————  
 E — 3 — 1 — 0 — 0 — 0 — 3 — 1 — 0 —  
 C — 2 — 0 — 2 — 0 — 2 — 2 — 0 — 2 — 0 —  
 G — 2 — 2 — 0 — 4 —

. | **C** . **G** . | **C** . .  
**(She)** As you go to your home on the prai-rie——  
 . | . . **C/g** . | **G** . .  
 May you ne—ver for—get those sweet hours——  
 . | **C** . **C7** . | **F** . .  
 That we spent in the Red River Val-ley——  
 . | **G** . **G7** . | **C** . .  
 And the love we ex-changed 'mid the flowers——

. | **C** . **G** . | **C** . .  
**(Both:** Please come sit by my side if you love me——  
 sing in  
 harmony) . | . . **C/g** . | **G7** . .  
 Do not hast-en to bid me a—dieu——  
 . | **C** . **C7** . | **F** . .  
 Just re-mem-ber the Red River Val-ley——  
 . | **G** . **G7** . | **C** . **C\**  
 And the sweet-heart that loved you so true——

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