Lily Marlene-Hank Snow
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G                          C
Would you like to hear the story
    D7                      G
Of a girl that many soldiers know
                             C
It's a tale of love and all its glory
    A7                     D7
They tell when the lights are soft and low

G                        D7
Underneath the lamp post by the barracks gate
                                    G
Standing all alone every night you see her wait
C                        G
She waits for the boy who marched away
   D7                             G
And though he's gone she hears him say

   D7                G
Oh promise you'll be true
          D7           G
Fare thee well Lily Marlene
     D7          G
Till I return to you
          D7           G
Fare thee well Lily Marlene

                           C
With the kiss she gave her promise
  D7                         G
To be constant as the stars up above
                              C
Every soldier knows she kept her promise
   A7                     D7
And she has been faithful to her love

G                        D7
Underneath the lamp post by the barracks gate
                                    G
Standing all alone every night you see her wait
C                        G
For this is the place a vow was made
   D7                    G
And breezes sing her serenade

repeat #3
                             C
Though each tale must have an ending
  D7                               G
No one knows just what the end will be
                            C
But tonight when twilight is descending
  A7                              D7
If you'll come along here's what you'll see

G                        D7
Underneath the lamp post by the barracks gate
                                    G
Standing all alone every night you see her wait
C                        G
And as they go marching to the prey
   D7                    G
The soldiers all salute and say

repeat #3
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