

Jamaica Farewell

Harry Belafonte

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Down the way where the nights are gay And the sun shines daily on the mountain top

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I took a trip on a sailing ship And when I reached Jamaica I made a stop

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Down the market you can hear Ladies cry out while on their heads they bear

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'Akey' rice, salt fish are nice And the rum is fine any time of year

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Sounds of laughter everywhere

And the dancing girls sway to and fro

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I must declare my heart is there

Though I've been from Maine to Mexico

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