

California Sage¹

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Chord Guide (in order of appearance):

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C ²	A7 ³	9 10 11 C#m6	A _{us} 4 5 6 7

Intro: D Dmaj7 Dsus4 6th D6

Verse 1:

A7 Cali-	Ddim7/ fornia	D6 sage.	E lemonade berry,
A7 c-c-coy-	Ddim7/ ote	D6 bush,	Abar Aadd9 Abar laural su- mac.
A7 blue blue	Ddim7/ blue unto	D6 blue,	E pelican fly-by,
A7 c-c-crum-	Ddim7/ bling	D6 bluffs,	A7 Ddim7/ D6 c-c-crum- bling bluffs,
A7 c-c-crum-	Ddim7/ bling	D6 bluffs,	D6 Dsus4 6th D a dirt track.

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² So-called because each note in the triad sounds twice.

³ So-called because the 7th sounds twice.

Refrain:

D	Dmaj7
Dsus4 6th	D7
E	C C=
D	Dmaj7
Come with me	through golden fields.
Dsus4 6th	D7
Listen to	the ocean's calling.
E	A7 A77
Run 'cross the sand!	Fall in falling.
D	Dmaj7
Glide into	the glassy sea.
Dsus4 6th	D7
Reach for the sky's	horizon's rising.
E	C C=
Whip it around!	Fly in flying,
D	Dmaj7
Dsus4 6th	D7
E	G
Whip it around!	Fly in flying,
G7	D
ripping, riding	Done.

Verse 2:

I know what I feel, like a "whish!" in my ear.
As to everything else, I can but guess.
So I search for the words that we've cast in the air.
California sage? California sage? California sage? I'd say, "yes."

Refrain

Bridge (begin picking; build to strumming):

C#m h C#m6 Abar C#m h C#m6 Bbar
C#m h C#m6 Abar C#m h C#m6 Bbar
G E G Abar h
G E G G7
D

Refrain: Play same as above except coda.

E G
Whip it around! Fly in flying.

E G
Whip it around, ripping, riding!

E G
Whip it around, twisting, turning,

G7
diving, rising

D
One.