

# Seven Spanish Angels

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## Verse:

He looked [G] down into her brown eyes and said  
Say a prayer for [D7] me  
She [D7] threw her arms around him whispered  
God will keep us [G] free [G]

They could [G] hear the riders coming  
He said "This is my last [C] fight  
If they take me back to [G] Texas  
They won't [D7] take me back a-[G]live" [G]

## Chorus:

There were [G] seven Spanish angels  
At the altar of the [D7] sun [D7]  
They were [D7] praying for the lovers  
In the valley of the [G] gun [G]

When the [G] battle stopped and the smoke cleared  
There was thunder from the [C] throne [C]  
And seven Spanish [G] angels  
Took a-[D7]nother angel [G] home [G]

## Verse:

She reached [G] down and picked the gun up  
That lay [G] smoking in his [D7] hand  
She said [D7] "Father please forgive me  
I can't make it without my [G] man" [G]

And she [G] knew the gun was empty  
And she knew she could not [C] win  
But her final prayer was [G] answered  
When the [D7] rifles fired a-[G]gain [G]

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