

# South of the Border

Key of Bb

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[Bb]Ay ay ay [F7]ay  
Ay ay ay [Bb]ay  
Ay ay ay [F7]ay  
Ay ay ay [Bb]ay[F7][Bb]

[Bb]South of the border  
[F7]Down Mexico [Bb]way  
That's where I fell in love  
When [Dm7]stars a[Ddim]bove  
Came [Cm7]out to play[F7]

And now as I [Bb]wander[Fm7]  
My thoughts ever [Eb]stray[Edim]  
South of the [Bb]border  
[F7]Down Mexico [Bb]way

She was a [Bb]picture  
[F7]In old Spanish [Bb]lace  
Just for a tender while  
I [Dm7]kissed the [Ddim]smile  
U [Cm7]pon her face[F7]

For it was [Bb]Fiesta [Fm7]  
And we were so [Eb]gay[Edim]  
South of the [Bb]border[F7]  
Down Mexico [Bb]way

Then she sighed as she whispered, "Man[F7]ana"  
Never dreaming that we were [Bb]parting  
And I lied as I [G7]whispered, "Man[Cm ]ana"

For our **[Bb]**tomorrow **[F7]**never **[Bb]**came

**[Bb]**South of the border**[F7]**

I rode back one **[Bb]**day

There in a veil of white

By **[Dm7]**candle **[Ddim]**light she **[Cm7]**knelt to **[F7]**pray

The mission bells **[Bb]**told me**[Fm7]**

That I mustn't **[Eb]**stay**[Edim]**

South of the **[Bb]**border**[F7]**

Down Mexico **[Bb]**way

**[Bb]**Ay ay ay **[F7]**ay

ay ay ay **[Bb]**ay

ay ay ay **[F7]**ay

ay ay ay **[Bb]**ay**[F7]****[Bb]**

