

THE LION SLEEPS TONIGHT

Verse 1: (Single Strum)

C / F /
In the jungle the mighty jungle
 C / G7 /
The lion sleeps tonight
C / F /
In the jungle the quiet jungle
 C / G7 /
The lion sleeps tonight

Chorus: (DUSUDUSU)

 C F
A-wim-o-weh A-wim-o-weh, A-wim-o-weh A-wim-o-weh,
 C G7
A-wim-o-weh A-wim-o-weh, A-wim-o-weh A-wim-o-weh, (2x's)

Verse 2: (Knock)

C / F /
Near the village, the peaceful village
 C / G7 /
The lion sleeps tonight
C / F /
Near the village, the quiet village
 C / G7 /
The lion sleeps tonight

Chorus: (DUSUDUSU)

C F C G7
A-weee -e -e -e - e-e-um-o-weh (2x's)

Verse 3: (Mute - D DU UDU)

C F
Hush my darling, don't fear my darling

C G7
The lion sleeps tonight

C F
Hush my darling, don't cry my darling

C G7
The lion sleeps tonight

Chorus: (DUSUDUSU)

C F C G7
A-weee -e -e -e - e-e-um-o-weh (2x's)

Outro: (Single Strum)

C / F /
Dee dee dee dee dee, dee dee dee dee,

C / G7 / C (roll) C /
the lion sleeps tonight