

# This Land is Your Land, Larry's Key + Liz' Finale

Music and lyrics by Woodie Guthrie, 1940 and recorded in 1945.

According to Wikipedia, he wrote this song because he got tired of hearing Kate Smith sing *God Bless America* on the radio in the 1930s!

Intro: G C + C Strum: D DU D DU or Swing  
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## BEGIN WITH CHORUS:

**TACIT..... F** C  
This land is your land, this land is my land,  
From Cali--fornia, to the New York Island, **C7**  
From the Redwood Forest, to the Gulf Stream waters;  
**G** **G7** **C(4)**  
This land was made for you and me.

*This line is sung twice to end the song...*

**VERSE #1** Doug & Kathy **TACIT.....F** C  
As I was walking a ribbon of highway,  
I saw above me that endless skyway, **G** C **C7**  
I saw below me a golden valley;  
**G** **G7** **C(4)**  
This land was made for you and me.

## CHORUS:

**VERSE #2** Larry & Jean **TACIT.....F** C  
I've roamed and rambled and followed my footsteps  
To the sparkling sands of her diamond deserts, **G** C **C7**  
And all a--round me a voice was sounding. **F** C  
**G** **G7** **C(4)**  
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## CHORUS:

**VERSE #3** Steven & Judy **TACIT.....F** C  
When the sun came shining, and I was strolling,  
And the wheatfields waving and the dust clouds rolling, **G** C **C7**  
As the fog was lifting, a voice was chanting: **F** C  
**G** **G7** **C(4)**  
This land was made for you and me.

## SING CHORUS ONE MORE TIME

**ACAPELLA FINALE:** America, America, God shed his grace on thee and  
crowned thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

