Distant Drums Jim Reeves/written by Cindy Walker

(E) B7 E
I hear the sound of distant drums
B7 E
Far away far away

B7 E
And if they call for me to come
A E B7 E

A E B7 E Then I must go, and you must stay

E E7 A
So Mary marry me, let's not wait
B7

Let's share all the time we can before it's too late E E7 A Love me now for now is all the time there may be

B7 E If you love me Mary, Mary marry me

B7 E
I hear the sound, of bugles blow
B7 E
Far away, far away

Far away, far away

B7

And if they call, then I must go

A

E

B7

E

Across the sea, so wild and grey

So Mary marry me, let's not wait B7 E For the distant drums might change our wedding date E F7 A And love me now for now is all the time there may be

B7 E If you love me Mary, Mary marry me