D А He looked down into her brown eyes and said "say a prayer for me" D She threw her arms around him, whispered, "God will keep us free" G They could hear the riders coming. He said, "this is my last fight D If they take me back to Texas, they won't take me back alive" D Α There were seven Spanish angels at the altar of the sun D They were prayin' for the lovers in the valley of the gun G When the battle stopped and the smoke cleared, there was thunder from the throne D Α D And seven Spanish angels took another angel home D Α She reached down and picked the gun that lay smokin' in his hand D She said, "Father, please forgive me, I can't make it without my man" G She knew the gun was empty, and she knew she could not win D Α D But her final prayer was answered when the rifles fired again