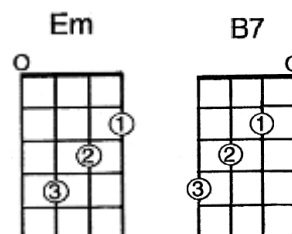


ISTANBUL NOT CONSTANTINOPE

Jimmy Kennedy & Nat Simon 1953

Intro/riff:

Em↓ Em↓ Em↓ Em↓ B7



Em

Istanbul was Constantinople, now it's Istanbul, not Constantinople

B7

Been a long time gone, Constantinople

Em B7 Em B7

Now it's Turkish delight on a moonlit night

Em

Every gal in Constantinople lives in Istanbul, not Constantinople

B7 Em B7 Em↓

So if you've a date in Constantinople, she'll be waiting in Istanbul

Em ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓

Even old New York was once New Amsterdam

B7 Em B7

Why they changed it I can't say, people just liked it better that way

Em

Take me back to Constantinople, no you can't go back to Constantinople

B7 Em B7 Em↓

Now it's Istanbul, not Constantinople, why did Constantinople get the works?

First time: (2nd time straight to last line)

B7 Em

That's nobody's business but the Turks

Em B7 Em B7↓

Aah, ah ah ah aah, ah ah ah aah, Istanbul

Em B7 Em

Aah, ah ah ah aah, ah ah ah aah, Istanbul

REPEAT from top (Including intro/riff)

Second time:

B7 Em Em↓

That's nobody's business but the Turks....

ISTANBUL !