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Duérmete, Niño Chiquito

Key: C

~58 BPM

Guitar & Piano

VERSE 1

C **F** **C**
Duérmete, niño chiquito,
F **C** **G7**
duérmete y no llores más.
(Sleep, little child - sleep, and cry no more.)
C **F** **C**
Sleep now, sleep now, little one, and cry no more tonight,
F **C** **G7**
mama's here beside you now, holding you so tight.

VERSE 2

C **F** **C**
Sleep now, sleep now, little one, the llanos wind is still,
F **C** **G7**
tomorrow's sun will rise for you, beyond the far-off hill.

C

Duérmete, Niño Chiquito is one of the best-loved lullabies in Venezuela, sung by generations of parents to soothe a restless child. Remarkably, its melody shares its roots with "Gloria al Bravo Pueblo," Venezuela's national anthem — a striking reminder of how deeply this simple bedtime tune is woven into the country's musical identity.

Traditional Venezuelan lullaby. The Spanish lines are the real, well-known traditional opening; the English lyrics are a singable adaptation, not a literal translation.

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