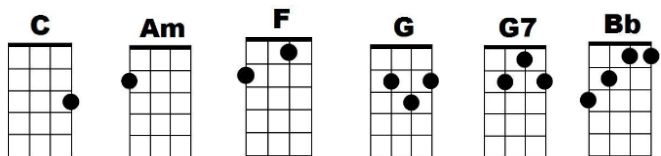


Country Roads John Denver

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INTRO: Neil plays chorus
Style: slow soft dreamy

Intro then chorus

[C] Country roads take me [G] home
to the [Am] place I be[F]long
West Vir[C]ginia mountain [G] momma
Take me [F] home country [C] roads *(count 2,3,4,1) then into verse/bridge)*

VERSE 1

[C] Almost heaven [Am] West Virginia
[G] Blue Ridge mountains [F] Shenandoah [C] River *(count 2,3,4,1)¹*
[C] Life is old there [Am] older than the trees
[G] Younger than the mountains [F] growing like a [C] breeze *(Straight into chorus)*

CHORUS

VERSE 2

[C] All my memories [Am] gather round her
[G] miner's lady [F] Stranger to blue [C] water *(count 2,3,4,1)*
[C] Dark and dusty [Am] painted on the sky
[G] Misty taste of moonshine [F] tear drops in my [C] eyes *(straight into chorus)*

CHORUS

BRIDGE (with strumming)

[Am] I hear her [G] voice In the [C] mornin' hours she [C] calls me
The [F] radio re[C]minds me of my [G] home far a[G]way
And [Am] drivin' down the [Bb] road I get the [F] feelin'
That I [C] should have been home [G] yesterday yester[G7]day *(2,3,4,1 then into chorus)*

CHORUS: TWICE :

REPEAT LAST LINE normal speed

AGAIN REPEAT last line SLOWING DOWN

Take me [F] home country [C] roads