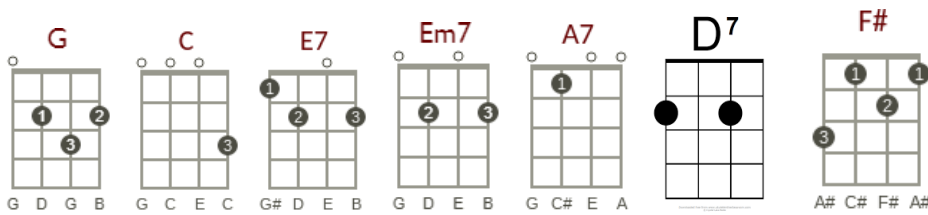


# Would You Like to Swing on a Star?

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Key G: 4/4 Strum D Du Du Du

Intro: **[G] [C] [G] [C] [G] [C] [G]** (pause)

**[NC]** Would you **[E7]** like to swing on a **[A7]** star  
Carry **[D7]** moonbeams home in a **[G]** jar  
And be **[E7]** better off than you **[A7]** are  
**[D7]** or would you rather be a **[G]** mule

A **[G]** mule is an **[C]** animal with **[G]** long funny **[C]** ears  
He **[G]** kicks up at **[C]** anything he **[G]** hears  
His **[A7]** back is brawny but his **[D]** brain is weak  
He's **[Em]** just plain **[A7]** stupid with a **[D]** stubborn **[D7]** streak  
And by the **[G]** way if you **[C]** hate to go to **[G]** school **[E7]**  
**[Am]** You may grow **[D7]** up to be a **[G]** mule

Or would you **[E7]** like to swing on a **[A7]** star  
Carry **[D7]** moonbeams home in a **[G]** jar  
And be **[E7]** better off than you **[A7]** are  
**[D7]** or would you rather be a **[G]** pig

A **[G]** pig is an **[C]** animal with **[G]** dirt on his **[C]** face  
His **[G]** shoes are a **[C]** terrible dis**[G]**grace  
He **[A7]** has no manners when he **[D]** eats his food  
He's **[Em]** fat and **[A7]** lazy and ex**[D]**tremely **[D7]** rude  
But if you **[G]** don't care a **[C]** feather or a **[G]** fig **[E7]**  
**[Am]** You may grow **[D7]** up to be a **[G]** pig

Or would you **[E7]** like to swing on a **[A7]** star  
Carry **[D7]** moonbeams home in a **[G]** jar  
And be **[E7]** better off than you **[A7]** are  
**[D7]** or would you rather be a **[G]** fish

A [G] fish won't do [C] anything but [G] swim in a [C] brook  
He [G] can't write his [C] name or read a [G] book  
To [A7] fool the people is his [D] only thought  
And [Em] though he's [A7] slippery he [D] still gets [D7] caught  
But then if [G] that sort of [C] life is what you [G] wish [E7]  
[Am] You may grow [D7] up to be a [G] fish

Or would you [E7] like to swing on a [A7] star  
Carry [D7] moonbeams home in a [G] jar  
So you [E7] see it's all up to [A7] you  
[D7] you can be better than you [E7] are  
[Am] You could be [D7] swingin' on a [G] star [G] [F#] [G]