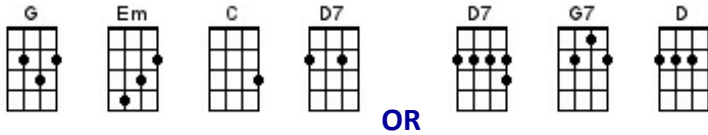


# COUNTRY ROADS (by John Denver, Taffy Nivert & Bill Banoff 1971)



**INTRO:** G///, Em///, C///, D7///, G/ into V1.....

**V1.** [G] Almost heaven, [Em] West Virginia,  
[D7] Blue Ridge Mountains, [C] Shenandoah [G] River.  
[G] Life is old there, [Em] older than the trees,  
[D7] Younger than the mountains, [C] blowing like a [G] breeze.

**Chorus:-** Country [G] roads, take me [D7] home,  
To the [Em] place I be-[C] long,  
West Vir-[G] ginia, mountain [D7] mamma,  
Take me [C] home, country [G] roads.

**V2.** [G] All my memories, [Em] gather 'round her,  
[D7] Miner's lady, [C] stranger to blue [G] water.  
[G] Dark and dusty, [Em] painted on the sky,  
[D7] Misty taste of moonshine, [C] teardrops in my [G] eye

**Chorus:-** Country [G] roads, take me [D7] home.....

**V3.** [Em] I hear her [D7] voice, in the [G] mornin' hour she [G7] calls me,  
The [C] radio re-[G]-minds me of my [D7] home far away.  
And [Em] drivin' down the [F] road, I get a [C] feelin' that I  
[G] should have been home [D] yesterday, yester-[D7///] day. [D7]

**Chorus:- (x2)** Country [G] roads, take me [D7] home.....

**Ending:-** Take me [D7] home, down country [G] roads  
Take me [D7] home, down country [G///] roads [G] [C] [G]