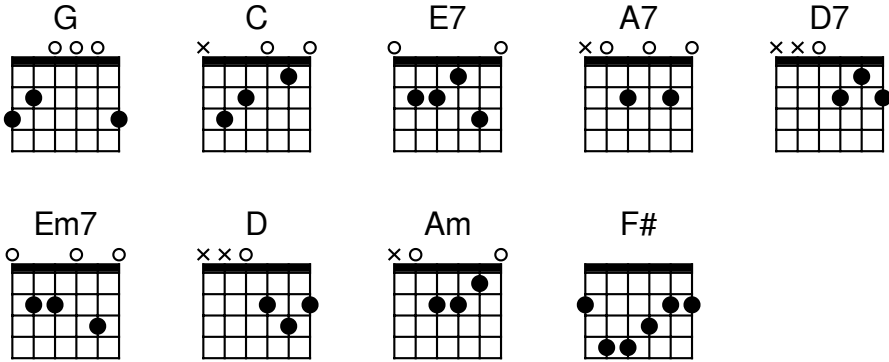


# Swinging on a Star



Bing Crosby

(Intro:)

[G] [C] [G] [C] [G] [C] **G(Stop)**

(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(Stop)** or would you rather be a **G(Resume)** mule

A [G] mule is an [C] animal with [G] long funny [C] ears  
 He [G] kicks up at [C] anything he [G] hears [Em7]  
 His [A7] back is brawny but his [D] brain is weak  
 He's [Em7] 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(Stop)** mule

(NC) 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(Stop)** or would you rather be a **G(Resume)** 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 [Em7]  
 He [A7] has no manners when he [D] eats his food

He's [Em7] 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(Stop)** pig

(NC) 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(Stop)** or would you rather be a **G(Resume)**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 [Em7]  
To [A7] fool the people is his [D] only thought  
And [Em7] 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

And all the [E7] monkeys aren't in the [A7] zoo  
Every [D7] day you meet quite a [G] few  
So you [E7] see it's all up to [A7] you  
**D7(Hold)** you can be better than you **E7(Hold)** are  
**Am(Resume)** You could be [D7] swingin' on a [G] star [F#] [G]