

I Guess He'd Rather Be in Colorado

by John Denver (1971)

A *G* *D* *D*
I guess he'd rather be in Colorado
A *G* *D* *A* *Bm* *Bm*
He'd rather spend his time out where the sky looks like a pearl after a rain
D *D* *A* *A*
Once again I see him walking once again I hear him talking
Bm7 *G* *D* *D*
To the stars he makes and asking them for bus fare

A *G* *D* *D*
I guess he'd rather be in Colorado
A *G* *D* *A* *Bm* *Bm*
He'd rather play his banjo in the morning when the moon is scarcely gone
D *D* *A* *A*
In the dawn the subway's coming in the dawn I hear him humming
Bm7 *G* *D* *D*
Some old song he wrote of love in Boulder Canyon

A *G* *D* *D*
I guess he'd rather be in Colorado
A *G* *D* *A* *Bm* *Bm*
I guess he'd rather work out where the only thing you earn is what you spend
D *D* *A* *A*
In the end up in his office in the end a quiet cough is
Bm7 *G* *D* *D*
All he has to show he lives in New York City