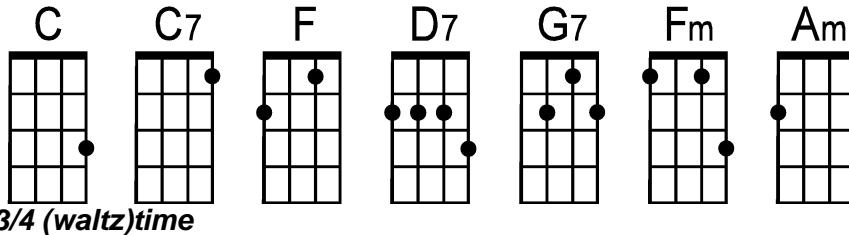


Home on the Range

by Brewster M. Higley (1873)



(sing g)

C . . | C7 . . | F . . |
Oh, give me a home— where the buff-a-lo roam—
. | C . . | D7 . . | G7 . . | . .
And the deer— and the ant-e-lope play—
. | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | Fm .
Where sel-dom is heard— a dis-cour-ag-ing word—
. | C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . . . |
and the skies— are not clou-dy all day—

C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . .
Chorus: Home— home on the range—

. | Am . . | D7 . . | G7 . . | . .
Where the deer— and the ant-e-lope play—
. | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | Fm .
Where sel-dom is heard— a dis-cour-ag-ing word—
. | C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . . . |
and the skies— are not clou-dy all day—

. | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | . .
Oh, give me a land— where the bright dia-mond sand—

. | C . . | D7 . . | G7 . . | . .
throws its light— from the glit-ter-ing streams—

. | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | Fm .
Where glid-eth a-long— the grace-ful white swan—

. | C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . . . |
like the maid in her hea-ven-ly dreams—

. | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | . . . |
How of-ten at night— when the hea-vens are bright—

. | C . . | D7 . . | G7 . . | . . . |
with the light— of the twink-el-ling stars—

. | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | Fm .
Have I stood there a-mazed— and asked as I gazed—

. | C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . . . |
if their glor-y ex-ceeds that of ours—

C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . .
Chorus: Home—— home on the range——
 . | Am . . | D7 . . | G7 . . | . .
 Where the deer—— and the ant—e—lope play——
 . | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | Fm . .
 Where sel-dom is heard—— a dis-cour-ag—ing word——
 . | C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . .
 and the skies—— are not clou-dy all day——

 . | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | . .
 The air is so pure—— and the bree-zes so fine——
 . | C . . | D7 . . | G7 . . | . .
 The ze-phyrs so balm-y and light——
 . | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | Fm . .
 That I would not ex—change— my home here to range——
 . | C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . . . |
 for-ev—er in az—ures so bright——

 C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . .
Chorus: Home—— home on the range——
 . | Am . . | D7 . . | G7 . . | . . .
 Where the deer—— and the ant—e—lope play——
 . | C . . | C7 . . | F . . | Fm . .
 Where sel-dom is heard—— a dis-cour-ag—ing word——
 . | C . . | G7 . . | C . . | . . . |
 and the skies—— are not clou-dy all day——
 . | C . . | G7 . . | C . . | C |
(slow) And the skies are not cloud—y all day——