

Country Roads

John Denver

Text und Musik: Bill Danoff, Taffy Nivert, John Denver
Bearbeitung: Heinrich Theisen;

Bluegrass $\text{♩} = 83$

1. Almost heaven, West Virginia,
Blue Ridge Mountains, Shenandoah River.
Life is old there, older than the trees,
younger than the mountains growin' like a breeze.

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West Virginia, mountain momma, take me home, Country Roads.

2. All my mem'ries gather 'round her,
miner's lady, stranger to blue water.
Dark and dusty, painted on the sky,
misty taste of moonshine, teardrop in my eye.

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radio reminds me of my home far away,
and drivin' down the road I get a feelin'
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Hermes House Band

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(A) Verse

mf *8^{vb}*

Nur 1. mal! 1. Al-most heav-en, 2. All my mem-ries

Dm *C* *B \flat* *F*

West Vir-gin-ia, Blue Ridge Moun-tains, Shen-an-do-ah Riv-er,
 gath-er 'round her, min-er's la-dy, stran-ger to blue wa-ter.

Melodie ist Unterstimme

Dm *C*

Life is old there, old-er than the trees, young-er than the
 Dark and dust-y, pain-ted on the sky, mist-y taste of

(B) Refrain

B \flat *F* *mf* *C*

moun-tains grow-in' like a breeze. Coun-try Roads, take me home

Dm *B \flat* *F*

to the place I be-long, West Vir-gin-ia,

C *B \flat* *F* *to Coda* *1.* *F*

moun-tain mom-ma, take me home, Coun-try Roads.

(C)

2. *F* *Dm* *C* *F* *mf*

Roads. I hear her voice, in the morn-in' hours she

Mel. ist Unterst.

calls me, ra-di-o re-minds me of my home far a-way, and

Mel. ist Oberst.

driv-in' down the road I get a feel-in' that I should have been home yes-ter-day,

Mel. ist Unterst.

yes-ter-day. Coun-try

D.S.al Coda

Coda

Roads. Coun-try Roads,

Mel. ist Oberst.

take me home to the place I be-long,

Mel. ist Unterst.

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Drums $E\flat 7$ $D 7$ $E\flat 7$ $E\flat$

(B) Verse $E\flat$ Cm $B\flat$

mf 1. Al - most heav - en, West Vir - gin - ia, Blue Ridge
 2. All my mem - 'ries gath - er 'round her, min - er's

$A\flat$ $A\flat$ 2 $E\flat$ Cm

Moun - tains, Shen - an - do - ah Riv - er. Life is old there, old - er than the
 la - dy, stran - ger to blue wa - ter. Dark and dust - y, pain - ted on the

$B\flat$ $A\flat$ $E\flat$

trees, young - er than the moun - tains grow - in' like a breeze. Coun - try
 sky, mist - y taste of moon - shine, tear - drop in my eye.

$E\flat$ **(C) Refrain** $B\flat$ Cm

mf Roads, take me home to the place I be -
 Bei D.S. accel. bis Tempo 130

$A\flat$ $E\flat$ $B\flat$

long, West Vir - gin - ia, moun - tain mom - ma, take me

$A\flat$ *to Coda* ⊕ 1. $E\flat$ 2. $E\flat$

home, Coun - try Roads. Roads.

(D) Cm $B\flat$ $E\flat$ $A\flat$

mf I hear her voice, in the morn - in' hours she calls me, ra - di - o re - minds

E \flat B \flat Cm D \flat A \flat

me of my home far a-way, and driv-in' down the road I get a feel -

E \flat B \flat B \flat 7

in' that I should have been home yes-ter-day, yes-ter - day. Coun-try

rit. -----

(E) E \flat B \flat Cm A \flat

Roads, take me home to the place I be - long,

mf langsam beginnen und accel. bis a tempo

E \flat B \flat A \flat

West Vir-gin - ia, moun - tain mom-ma, take me home,

E \flat Coda E \flat C7sus4 (F) F

Coun-try Roads. Coun-try Roads. La la la, la la

f

D.S.al Coda

C Dm B \flat F

la, la la la, la la la. West Vir-gin - ia,

C B \flat 1. F

moun - tain mom-ma, take me home, Coun-try Roads. La la

2. F C C7sus4 F

Roads. Take me home, Coun - try Roads.

rit. -----

C C7sus4 F

Take me home, Coun - try Roads.
