RANK STRANGERS

3/4 time, key of D

<mark>**verse 1**</mark>: *I wandered a-*

| **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / |

-gain   to my home in the mountains   where in youth's early

| **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **A** | / | / |

dawn   I was happy and free   I looked for my

| **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / |

friends,   but I never could find them   I found they were

| **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **G** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / |

all   rank strangers to me   Everybody I

<mark>**chorus**</mark>:

| **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / |

met   seemed to be a rank stranger   no Mother or

| **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **A** | / | / |

Dad   Not a friend could I see   They knew not my

| **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / |

name   and I knew not their faces   I found they were

| **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **A** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **G** | / | / | **D** | / | / | **D** | / | / |

all   rank strangers to me

Verse 2   I searched every face   for the sign of a loved one
           I asked everyone   where the old folks could be
           I walked down the road   to inquire of the neighbors
           And I found that they too   were rank strangers to me
Chorus

Verse 3   "They've all moved away," said the voice of a stranger
           "To a beautiful home by the bright crystal sea"
           I know that some day I will go there to join them
           Where no one will be a stranger to me
   Chorus