

Rocky Mountain High

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4/4 time	Intro: [D] [D] [G] [A] [D] [D] [G] [A]
Chords	<p>He was [D] born in the [D] summer of this [Em] 27th [C]// year [A]// Comin' [D] home to a [D] place he'd never [Em] been before [G]// [A]// He left [D] yesterday [D] behind him, you might [Em] say he was born [C]// again [A]// You might [D] say he found a [D] key to every [Em] door [G]// [A]//</p>
A..... 2100	When he [D] first came to the [D] mountains, his [Em] life was far [C]// away [A]//
C..... 0003	On the [D] road and [D] hanging by a [Em] song [G]// [A]//
D..... 2220	But the [D] string's already [D] broken and he [Em] doesn't really [C]// care [A]// It keep [D] changin' fast and [D] it don't last for [Em] long [G]// [A]//
Em..... 0432	But the [G] Colorado [A] Rocky Mountain [D] high [D] I've [G] seen it rainin' [A] fire in the [D] sky [D] The [G] shadow from the [A] starlight is [D] softer than a [G] lullaby [G] [G] [G]!
G..... 0232	Rocky Mountain [D] high [D] [G] Colorado [A] Rocky Mountain [D] high [D] [G] Colorado [A]
	<p>He [D] climbed cathedral [D] mountains, he saw [Em] silver clouds [C]// below [A]// He saw [D] everything as [D] far as you can [Em] see [G]// [A]// And they [D] say that he got [D] crazy once and [Em] tried to touch the [C]// sun [A]// And he [D] lost a friend but [D] kept the [Em] memory [G]// [A]//</p>
	<p>Now he [D] walks in quiet [D] solitude, the [Em] forests and the [C]// streams [A]// Seeking [D] grace in [D] every step he [Em] takes [G]// [A]// His [D] sight has turned [D] inside himself to [Em] try and [C]// understand [A]// The [D] serenity of a [D] clear blue mountain [Em] lake [G]// [A]//</p>
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	<p>Now his [D] life is full of [D] wonder but his [Em] heart still knows some [C]// fear [A]// Of a [D] simple thing he [D] cannot [Em] comprehend [G]// [A]// Why they [D] try to tear the [D] mountains down to [Em] bring in a couple [C]// more [A]// More [D] people, more [D] scars upon the [Em] land [G]// [A]//</p>
	<p>But the [G] Colorado [A] Rocky Mountain [D] high [D] I've [G] seen it rainin' [A] fire in the [D] sky [D] [G] Friends around the [A] campfire and [D] everybody's [G] high [G] [G] [G]! Rocky Mountain [D] high [D] [G] Colorado [G] Rocky Mountain [D] high [D] [G] Colorado [A] [D]!</p>
	<i>State song of Colorado.</i>

