

# Brown Mountain Light - Tony Rice

Bluegrass Classic, Key of **D** My Key: \_\_\_\_

**INTRO:** **1** , **1** , **6m** , **1**  
**6m** **4** , **1** , **1** **4** , **1** , **1** (*extra 2 beats*)

In the **1** days, of the old, covered wagon  
When they **6m** camped, on the flats, for the **1** night  
With the **6m** moon, shining **4** dim, o'er the **1** old, canyon rim  
They **1** watched, for that **4** brown, mountain **1** light

**CHORUS:** **1** High\*, on the mountain \* *Hold for 3 beats*  
And **1** deep, in the canyon, below  
It **1** shines, like the crown, of an angel  
And **1** fades, as the mist, comes and **5** goes  
**1** Way\*, over yonder  
**7<sup>b</sup>** Night, after night, until **1** dawn  
A **1** lone,ly old slave, comes back from the grave  
**1** Searchin', searchin', **7<sup>b</sup>** searchin',  
For his **1** master, who's **5** long gone **1** home

## INSTRUMENTAL: Same as INTRO

**1** Many years ago, a southern planter  
Came **6m** huntin' in this wide, world a- **1** lone  
It was **6m** then, so they **4** say, that the **1** planter lost his way  
And **1** never, re- **4** turned, to his **1** home  
His **1** trust,ing ol' slave, brought a lantern  
And **6m** searched, day and night, but in **1** vain  
Now the **6m** old slave is **4** gone, but his **1** spirit lingers on  
And the **1** lan,tern **4** still, casts it's **1** light

## CHORUS / INSTRUMENTAL

## CHORUS

1 = D
4 = G
5 = A
6 = B
7 <sup>b</sup> = C