

Cardboard Mansion - Lonesome River Band

Bluegrass Contemporary, $\frac{2}{4}$ Time, Key of **D** My Key: ____

INTRO: **1** , **1** , **1** , **4** , **4** , **4** , **1** , **5** , **1** , **1** , **1** , **1**

I **1** saved, up some money, to ramble a- **4** round,
To **4** travel the **1** country, and leave this little **5** town,
I'm **1** tellin' this story, for you ramblers all a- **4** round,
One **4** night in-a cardboard **1** mansion
you'll be **5** Blue Ridge Mountain **1** bound,

CHORUS:

I **5** built a cardboard mansion over **1** steam, from the ground
I **4** spent the night a **1** prayin', afraid to make a **5** sound,
I'm **1** buyin' a ticket on the first train leavin' **4** town
One **4** night in-a cardboard **1** mansion
you'll be **5** Blue Ridge Mountain **1** bound,

TURNAROUND: **1** , **1** , **1** , **4** , **4** , **4** , **1** , **5** , **1** , **1**

I **1** left the Blue Ridge Mountains, seven months a- **4** go,
To **4** see, the big **1** cities, a Rambler don't you **5** know,
I **1** didn't, find employment, my money was runnin' **4** low,
I **4** got to New York **1** City, **5** just in time for **1** snow,

CHORUS except for different last two lines:

I'm **4** leavin' New York **1** City
I'm **5** Blue Ridge Mountain **1** bound,

INSTRUMENTAL: **1** , **1** , **1** , **4** , **4** , **4** , **1** , **1** , **5** , **5**
1 , **1** , **1** , **4** , **4** , **4** , **1** , **5** , **1** , **1**

Well **CHORUS** except for different last two lines:

I'm **4** leavin' New York **1** City
I'm **5** Blue Ridge Mountain **1** bound,

TURNAROUND: **1** , **1** , **1** , **4** , **4**

One **4** night in-a cardboard **1** mansion
you'll be **5** Blue Ridge Mountain **1** bound,,,

1 = D
4 = G
5 = A