

Swinging On A Star Chords by Bing Crosby/Jimmy Van Heusen and Johnny Burke



 A7 D7
Would you like to swing on a star,
 G C
Carry moonbeams home in a jar,
 A7 D7 - G7
And be better off than you are?
 C
Or would you rather be a mule?

 C F C F
A mule is an animal with long funny ears.
 C F C Am7
He kicks up at anything he hears.
 D7 G
His back is brawny but his brain is weak.
 Am7 D7 G G7
He's just plain stupid with a stubborn streak.
 C F C A7 Dm7
And by the way, if you hate to go to school,
 G7 C
You may grow up to be a mule.

 A7 D7
Or would you like to swing on a star,
 G C
Carry moonbeams home in a jar,
 A7 D7 - G7
And be better off than you are?
 C
Or would you rather be a pig?

 C F C F
A pig is an animal with dirt on his face.
 C F C Am7
His shoes are a terrible disgrace.
 D7 G
He has no manners when he eats his food.
 Am7 D7 G G7
He's fat and lazy and extremely rude.
 C F C A7 Dm7
But if you don't care a feather or a fig,
 G7 C
You may grow up to be a pig.

 A7 D7
Or would you like to swing on a star,

G **C**
Carry moonbeams home in a jar,
A7 **D7 - G7**
And be better off than you are?
C
Or would you rather be a fish?

C **F** **C** **F**
A fish won't do anything but swim in a brook.
C **F** **C** **Am7**
He can't write his name or read a book.
D7 **G**
To fool the people is his only thought,
Am7 **D7** **G** **G7**
and though he's slippery, he still gets caught.
C **F** **C** **A7 Dm7**
But then if that sort of life is what you wish,
G7 **C**
You may grow up to be a fish.

A7 **D7**
And all the monkeys aren't in the zoo;
G **C**
Every day you meet quite a few.
A7 **D7 - G7**
So, you see, it's all up to you.
E7 - Dm7
You can be better than you are.
G7 **C**
You could be swingin' on a star!