

## IN MY HOUR OF DARKNESS (by Emmylou Harris & Gram Parsons)

**CHORUS:** **G**  
In my hour of darkness, in my time of need  
**D** **C** **G**  
Oh, Lord, grant me vision, oh, Lord, grant me speed

**VERSE 1:** **G**  
Once I knew a young man went driving through the night  
**D** **C** **G**  
Miles and miles without a word with just his high-beam lights  
**C** **G** **C** **G**  
Who'd have ever thought they'd build such a deadly Denver bend  
**D** **C** **G**  
To be so strong, to take as long as it would till the end

### CHORUS

**VERSE 2:** **G**  
Another young man safely strummed his silver string guitar  
**D** **C** **G**  
And he played to people everywhere, some say he was a star  
**C** **G** **C** **G**  
But he was just a country boy, his simple songs confess  
**D** **C** **G**  
And the music he had in him, so very few possess

### CHORUS

**VERSE 3:** **G**  
Then there was an old man, kind and wise with age  
**D** **C** **G**  
And he read me just like a book and he never missed a page  
**C** **G** **C** **G**  
And I loved him like my father, and I loved him like my friend  
**D** **C** **G**  
And I knew his time would shortly come, but I did not know just when

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