

## MAN OF CONSTANT SORROW

**G** **C**  
I am a man of constant sorrow

**D** **G**  
I've seen trouble all my days.

**C**  
I bid farewell to old Kentucky

**D** **G**  
The place where I was born and raised.

**D** **G**  
*[The place where he was born and raised.]*

**G** **C**  
For six long years I've been in trouble

**D** **G**  
No pleasures here on earth I found

**C**  
For in this world I'm bound to ramble

**D** **G**  
I have no friends to help me now.

**D** **G**  
*[He has no friends to help him now.]*

**G** **C**  
It's fare thee well my old lover

**D** **G**  
I never expect to see you again

**C**  
For I'm bound to ride that northern railroad

**D** **G**  
Perhaps I'll die upon this train.

**D** **G**  
*[Perhaps he'll die upon this train.]*

**G** **C**  
You can bury me in some deep valley

**D** **G**  
For many years where I may lay

**C**  
Then you may learn to love another

**D** **G**  
While I am sleeping in my grave.

**D** **G**  
*[While he is sleeping in his grave.]*

**G** **C**  
Maybe your friends think I'm just a stranger

**D** **G**  
My face you'll never see no more.

**C**  
But there is one promise that is given

**D** **G**  
I'll meet you on God's golden shore.

**D** **G**  
*[He'll meet you on God's golden shore.]*