Jimmy Van Huesen & Johnny Burke (1944) Intro: Chords for ending, 2x **D7** Would you like to swing on a star, carry moonbeams home in a jar? **STANDARD** D7 G7 And be better off than you are ~~ or would you rather be a mule? A mule is an animal with long funny ears, kicks up at anything he hears His back is brawny but his brain is weak, **D7** [°] G He's just plain stupid with a stubborn streak And by the way, if you hate to go to school **G7** You may grow up to be a mule **D7** Or would you like to swing on a star, carry moonbeams home in a jar? **D7** And be better off than you are ~~ or would you rather be a pig? A pig is an animal with dirt on his face, his shoes are a terrible disgrace **BARITONE** He has no manners when he eats his food G He's fat and lazy and extremely rude But if you don't care a feather or a fig G7 You may grow up to be a pig **D7 G7** Or would you like to swing on a star, carry moonbeams home in a jar? D7 G7 And be better off than you are ~~ or would you rather be a fish? С A fish won't do anything, but swim in a brook He can't write his name or read a book To fool the people is his only thought Am7 D7 G And though he's slippery, he still gets caught A7 Dm7 But then if that sort of life is what you wish **G7** You may grow up to be a fish Key of D **D7** And all the monkeys aren't in the zoo, every day you meet quite a few Key of G So you see it's all up to you ~~ you can be better than you are ~ You could be swingin' on a star ending: **D7** You could be swingin' on a star

Swinging On A Star

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ending:
A7 D7 G
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So you see it's all up to you ~~

You could be swingin' on a star

A7