

Mansion Over The Hilltop by Ira Staphill, 1949

Guitar starts 2nd string



G **C** **G**
I'm satisfied with just a cottage below
G **D** **G**
A little silver, and a little gold
G **C** **G**
But in that city, where the ransomed will shine
G **D** **G**
I want a gold one, that's silver lined

G7 **C** **G**
I've got a mansion just over the hilltop
D7 **G**
In that bright land where we'll never grow old
G7 **C** **G**
And someday yonder, we'll never more wander
D7 **G**
But walk on streets that are purest gold

Though often tempted, tormented and tempted
And like the prophet, my pillow a stone
And though I find here, no permanent dwelling
I know he'll give me a mansion my own

Don't think me poor or, deserted or lonely
I'm not discouraged, I'm heaven bound
I'm just a pilgrim in search of that city
I want a mansion, a harp, and a crown

