Way Back In The Mountains-Merle Haggard
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[3/4 time]

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C             G7            C
How far can a man stretch a dollar
               C7          F
I thought as I counted my pay
                          C
I told myself over and over
                           G7
There must be some other way

   C             G7          C
No light at the end of the tunnel
                    C7         F
The whole world is falling apart
                           C
And I need this load on my shoulders
               G7          C
Like I need a hole in my heart

                    F           C
I'm gonna move way back in the mountains
                           G7
Build a cabin nobody can find
          C         F           C
I'm gonna move way back in the mountains
F         C           G7        C
I'm gonna leave this old city behind

            G7          C
How does a man hold a woman
                        C7        F
When he's standing on unsteady ground
                                  C
She's wantin' things I can't give her
                                  G7
Things that make her world go round

    C             G7         C
I'm trading this microwave oven
                  C7           F
For a cast iron pot bellied stove
                          C
If all I can make is a living
F     C                           G7         C
Hey I should have moved back a long time ago

Repeat #3

                    F           C
I'm gonna move way back in the mountains
F        C     G7          F  C
Build a cabin nobody can find
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