

Do Re Mi-crd  
 Words and Music Woody Guthrie  
 Released on Dust Bowl Ballads (1964),  
 Capo 4th fret

Intro:

(Start Strumming)

C	G	C.
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(G)	C	G	C	G C.
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C F  
 Lots of folks back East, they say, is leavin' home every day,  
 G C  
 Beatin' the hot old dusty way to the California line.  
 C F  
 'Cross the desert sands they roll, gettin' out of that old dust bowl,  
 G C  
 They think they're goin' to a sugar bowl, but here's what they find  
 G  
 Now, the police at the port of entry say,  
 G  
 "You're number fourteen thousand for today."

C G  
 Oh, if you ain't got the do re mi, folks, you ain't got the do re mi,  
 C  
 Why, you better go back to beautiful Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Georgia,  
 Tennessee.  
 C F  
 California is a garden of Eden, a paradise to live in or see;  
 C  
 But believe it or not, you won't find it so hot  
 G C  
 If you ain't got the do re mi.

{repeat intro}

You want to buy you a home or a farm, that can't deal nobody harm,  
 Or take your vacation by the mountains or sea.  
 Don't swap your old cow for a car, you better stay right where you are,  
 Better take this little tip from me.  
 'Cause I look through the want ads every day  
 But the headlines on the papers always say:

If you ain't got the do re mi, boys, you ain't got the do re mi,  
 Why, you better go back to beautiful Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Georgia,  
 Tennessee.  
 California is a garden of Eden, a paradise to live in or see;  
 But believe it or not, you won't find it so hot  
 If you ain't got the do re mi.