Blue Skies

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Verse 1:

G D7 G
I was blue, just as blue as I could be
D7 G
Ev'ry day was a cloudy day for me
Bm F#7 D7
Then good luck came a-knocking at my door
G D7 G B7
Skies were gray but they're not gray anymore

Chorus:

Em B7 G Em7 A7
Blue skies smiling at me
G D7 G B7
Nothing but blue skies do I see
Em B7 G Em7 A7
Bluebirds singing a song
G D7 G
Nothing but bluebirds all day long
Cm G
Never saw the sun shining so bright
D D7 D G D D7 D G
Never saw things going so right
Cm G
Noticing the days hurrying by
D D7 D G B7 Em B7
When you're in love, my how they fly
Em B7 G Em7 A7
Blue days all of them gone
G D7 G
Nothing but blue skies from now on

Verse 2:

G D7 G
I should care if the wind blows east or west
D7 G
I should fret if the worst looks like the best
Bm F#7 D7
I should mind if they say it can't be true
G D7 G B7
I should smile, that's exactly what I do