

# Both Sides Now

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capo 2<sup>nd</sup> Fret

**G Am G D**

**G** Bows and **Am** flows of **C** angel **G** hair, and ice-cream **Bm** castles **C** in the **G** air,  
And feather **C** canyons **Am** everywhere; I've looked at clouds that **D** way.  
But **G** now they **Am** only **C** block the **G** sun, they rain and **Bm** snow on **C** every**G**one,  
So many th**C**ings I **Am** would have done, but clouds got in my **D** way.

I've **G** looked at **Am** clouds from **C** both sides **G** now, from **C** up and **G** down,  
And **C** still some**G**how it's **Bm** cloud ill**C**usions **G** I recall;  
I **C** really don't know **D**clo**D**susuds **D** at **G** all. **Am G D**

**G** Moons and **Am** Junes and **C** Ferris **G** wheels, the dizzy **Bm** dancing **C** way you **G** feel  
As every **C** fairy **Am** tale comes real; I've looked at love that **D** way.  
But **G** now it's **Am** just a**C**nother **G** show, you leave them **Bm** laughing **C** when you **G** go,  
And if you **C** care don't **Am** let them know, don't give yourself **D** away.

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**G** Tears and **Am** fears and **C** feeling **G** proud, to say "I **Bm** love you" **C** right out **G** loud;  
Dreams and **C** schemes and **Am** circus crowds; I've looked at life that **D** way.  
But **G** now old **Am** friends are **C** acting **G** strange, they shake their **Bm** heads, they **C** say I've  
**G** changed.  
Well something's **C** lost but **Am** something's gained in living every **D** day.

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