

Rank Stranger

Stanley Brothers $\frac{3}{4}$ E

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Intro

Pickup.../E /E /E /B /
 /E /A /E /E /
 /E /E /E /E /

Verse:

 E B7 E
I wandered again ... to my home in the mountains
 E E B
Where in youth's early dawn... I was happy and free
 E B7 E
I looked for my friends... but I never could find them
 E B7 E A E
I found they were all... rank strangers to me

Chorus:

 E
Everybody I met (everybody I met)
 E E E
Seemed to be a rank stranger (seemed to be a rank stranger)

 E
No mother nor dad (no mother or dad)
 E B
Not a friend could I see (not a friend could I see)
 E
They knew not my name (they knew not my name)
 E
And I knew not their faces (and I knew not their faces)
 E
I found they were all (I found they were all)
 B7 E A E PAUSE
Rank strangers to me (rank strangers to me)

Intro

"They've all moved away, " said the voice of a stranger
"To a beautiful home by the bright crystal sea"
Some beautiful day I'll meet them in heaven
Where no one will be a stranger to me

Chorus