Bringing Mary Home - - Bluegrass

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D                                     C                G
I was driving down a lonely road on a dark and stormy night,
        D                                   C           D
When a little girl by the road side showed up in my headlights,
      G                                              D
I stopped and she got in the back and in a shaky tone,
     C                A              D                  G
She said, "My name is Mary and please won't you take me home".

     D                                  C                  G
She must have been so frightened all alone there in the night.,
            D                                       C                 D
There was something strange about her 'cause her face was deathly white,
     G                                             D
She sat so pale and quiet in the back seat all alone,
   C           A                    D            G
I never will forget the night that I took Mary home.

   D                                C             G
I pulled into the drive way where she told me to go,
     D                                  C            D
Got out to help her from the car and opened up the door,
       G                                                 D
But I just could not believe my eyes, the back seat was bare,
   C           A                 D            G
I looked all around the car but Mary wasn't there.

   D                               C                  G
A light shone from the porch, a lady opened up the door,
    D                                C              D
I asked about the little girl that I was looking for,
     G                                             D
The lady gently smiled at me and brushed a tear away,
     C                  A             D               G
She said, "It sure was nice of you to go out of your way".

         D                                  C                  G
"But thirteen years ago tonight in a wreck just down the road,
        D                         C              D
Our darling Mary lost her life and we miss her so,
     G                                                      D
Oh thank you for your trouble and the kindness you have shown
              C                     A            D           G
You're the thirteenth one that's been here, Bringing Mary Home".
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