

Mile High

approaching Mile High
excitement swelling our hearts
to witness Barack

happy faces glowed
hope and change seemed within reach
in rainbow skin tones

sixty thousand friends
congratulated ourselves
trust was in the air

my spine tingled as
his family walked on stage
folks like us, they seemed

but dreams have been crushed
enemies of the people
have won the race war*

* so it seems in April 2022



Obama's acceptance speech, Denver's Mile High stadium, 28 August 2008

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