Potential Energy

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C                                   C
The booking agent said to me,
F                                     C                 G7          C
“Babe, ya got potential – energy!
C                                                  C
Ya got zero KE, but that’s gonna change,
F                           C                   G7         C
‘Cause energy’s allowed to rearrange!

F                                             C
“You’re goin’ nowhere now, but that won’t last
F                                      C      G7            C
I think that you’ll go someplace fast!
C                                                                  C
Hey, I know where ya are, and I know where you’ll go –
F                                      C      G7            C
For potential E, that’s ya gotta know!

F                                      C
“Hey U = mgh, ya see –
F                                      C      G7            C
You can trade it for kinetic energy.
C                                                               C
You can make it into heat, you can let it be,
F                                      C      G7          C
But only Work external changes energy!
F                                      C      D7 G7    C
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F                                      C      D7 G7    C
But only Work external changes en-er-gy!”