

Oh Brother
Ben Taylor

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Verse1:

Bm

No man is a hero every day

G

and even a champion loses the day before the race

Em

try not to be sleeping in your wide awake

Bm

A6

and when your chance comes have fun don't be afraid

Chorus:

D

Oh brother all you got to know is who you are and it will be

Bm

all right, all right

D

oh brother, once you realize that you're a star you're gonna

Bm

shine so bright

Verse2:

Bm

And you don't always have to want to play

G

and you won't always have to be willing to pay

Em

try to make sure to make more love than hate

Bm

A6

and when your chance comes stand up do what you say

Verse3: This one's different. It can be played like any other verse and it'll sound fine. If anyone wants to tab this bit for me, do so. In the meantime, I've provided a very playable version here based off live performances. The first chord seems to differ depending on the mood of the song so I've provided a few suggestions for you to

play around
with for your cover.

(**Bm7** or **Bm** or **D**) **G**
It won't always be easy along the way
D **G** **Bm** **D**
and you won't always believe me when I say
G **Em**
you don't need anything but life and faith
 Bm **Bm7**
and you can always call out my name

Chorus:

D
Just got to shine on, shine on, shine on, shine on, shine on
Bm
little brother,
 D
Just got to shine on, shine on, shine on, shine on
Bm
my little brother

Bridge:

E **G** **D**
Can we just get some of that good old time JT right here now baby well
Em **E** **A7**
you know some old time JT old time you know, you know, you know

One last thing, when playing the intro/verses the bass line is something like
this for
the first change.

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| E | --- | 2 | ----- | 3 | ----- | | ETC | ETC |
| B | --- | 3 | ----- | 3 | ----- | | | |
| G | --- | 4 | ----- | 0 | ----- | | | |
| D | --- | 4 | ----- | | ----- | | | |
| A | -2 | --- | 4-5-4-2-0 | ----- | | | | |
| E | ----- | | | 3 | ----- | | | |

Leave any improvements down below and I'll amend it.