

**My Life**  
**Billy Joel**

Intro: **D-Bm-Am-C9-Ebmaj7-Bb**

**D** **G**  
Got a call from an old friend we d used to be real close  
**A** **D**  
Said he couldn t go on the American way  
**G**  
Closed the shop, sold the house, bought a ticket to the west coast  
**A** **D** **D-Bm-Am-C9-Ebmaj7-Bb**  
Now he gives them a stand-up routine in L.A.  
**D** **G**  
I don t need you to worry for me cause I m allright  
**A** **D**  
I don t want you to tell me it s time to come home  
**G**  
I don t care what you say anymore this is my life  
**A** **Bm**  
Go ahead with your own life leave me alone  
**F#**  
I never said you had to offer me a second chance  
**D7** **E9**  
I never said I was a victim of circumstance  
**G** **D**  
I still belong  
**F#** **Bm**  
Don t get me wrong  
**E9**  
And you can speak your mind  
**G A G A**  
But not on my time  
**D** **G**  
They will tell you you can t sleep alone in a strange place  
**A** **D**  
Then they ll tell you can t sleep with somebody else  
**G**  
Ah but sooner or later you sleep in your own space  
**A** **D**  
Either way it s O.K. you wake up with yourself