

Just A Story From America
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Intro:

Bb - F - Gm - Eb (barred chords) or
Bb - Dm - Gm - Eb (open chords)

Lead (with harmonist pedal (+octave)):

e)---8-7--7-----9-----8-7--7-----|
B)--8---8---10--8-10-----8---8---10--8-10|
G)-9-----9-----|
D)-----|
A)-----|
E)-----|

Verse:

Bb **Dm** **Gm** **Eb**
Just a story from America
Bb **Dm** **Gm** **Eb**
He left his job and he looked at her
Bb **Dm** **Gm** **Eb**
I ve had enough he put down his cup
Bb **Dm** **Gm** **Eb**
And every time she would fill it up

Chorus:

Bb
When she d say
F **Gm** **Eb**
Get up when they put you down
 Bb **F**
But like a boxer
 Gm **Eb**
You just spin around
 Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
Your kind of guy is so very few
 Bb **Eb** **Gm** **Eb**
Don t ever let them get the best of you

Verse:

Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
And so he s working like a dog each day

Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
And every week there d be more overtime pay
Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
And pretty soon he s got a Cadillac car
Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
And on the weekends he would drive so far

Bridge:

Gm **Eb**
And they don t slow down
F **Gm**
America s such a speedy town
Gm **Eb**
Hot clothes high society
F
He said it never get the best of me

Verse:

Bb **Dm** **Gm** **Eb**
And then he met a girl with hair like the sun
Bb **Dm** **Gm**
With social status she was number one
Bb **Dm** **Gm**
He left it all and he left downtown
Bb **Dm** **Gm**
A little voice follows him around

Chorus:

Bb
And it d say
F **Gm** **Eb**
Get up when they put you down
Bb **F**
And like a boxer
Gm **Eb**
You just spin around
Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
Your kind of guy was so very few
Bb **Eb** **Gm** **Eb**
I thought they d never get the best of you

End:

Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
Just a story of America
Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
Just a story fro in America
Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**
Just a story of America
Bb **F** **Gm** **Eb**

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