

**Just A Story From America**  
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Intro:

**B - F# - G#m - E** (barred chords) or  
**B - Ebm - G#m - E** (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:

**B Ebm G#m E**  
Just a story from America  
**B Ebm G#m E**  
He left his job and he looked at her  
**B Ebm G#m E**  
I ve had enough he put down his cup  
**B Ebm G#m E**  
And every time she would fill it up

Chorus:

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

Verse:

**B F# G#m E**  
And so he s working like a dog each day

**B** **F#** **G#m** **E**  
And every week there d be more overtime pay  
**B** **F#** **G#m** **E**  
And pretty soon he s got a Cadillac car  
**B** **F#** **G#m** **E**  
And on the weekends he would drive so far

Bridge:

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

Verse:

**B** **Ebm** **G#m** **E**  
And then he met a girl with hair like the sun  
**B** **Ebm** **G#m**  
With social status she was number one  
**B** **Ebm** **G#m**  
He left it all and he left downtown  
**B** **Ebm** **G#m**  
A little voice follows him around

Chorus:

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

End:

**B** **F#** **G#m** **E**  
Just a story of America  
**B** **F#** **G#m** **E**  
Just a story fro in America  
**B** **F#** **G#m** **E**  
Just a story of America  
**B** **F#** **G#m** **E**

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