

**Just A Story From America**  
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Intro:

**D - A - Bm - G** (barred chords) or  
**D - F#m - Bm - G** (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:

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

Chorus:

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

Verse:

**D A Bm G**  
And so he s working like a dog each day

**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
And every week there d be more overtime pay  
**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
And pretty soon he s got a Cadillac car  
**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
And on the weekends he would drive so far

Bridge:

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

Verse:

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

Chorus:

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

End:

**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
Just a story of America  
**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
Just a story fro in America  
**D** **A** **Bm** **G**  
Just a story of America  
**D** **A** **Bm** **G**

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