

Philadelphia Freedom
Elton John

Intro: Bb Eb Bb/D Cm Bb Eb Bb/D Cm Bb

Bb

I used to be a rolling stone

Bb

You know if the cause was right

C7 Eb C7 Bb F

I'd leave to find the answer on the road

Bb

I used to be a heart beating for someone

Bb

But the times have changed

C7 Eb C7 Bb

The less I say the more my work gets done

Eb Ab/Eb Eb Bb

'Cause I live and breathe this Philadelphia freedom

Eb Ab/Eb Eb Bb

From the day that I was born I've waved the flag

Ab G7 Cm

Philadelphia freedom took me knee-high to a man.

Ab7 G7 G7 Gb Eb

Yeah gave me peace of mind my daddy never had

Bb Eb Bb/D

Oh Philadelphia freedom shine on me, I love you

Cm Dm7 E7 Am7 D7

Shine a light through the eyes of the ones left behind

Gm Cm

Shine a light shine a light

Dm Ab/Eb Eb

Shine a light won't you shine a light

Cm Dm Eb Em F Eb Dm Cm F Bb

Phila- delphia freedom I love you, yes I do

Eb Bb/D Cm Bb Eb Bb/D Cm Bb

Bb

If you choose to you can live your life alone

Bb

Some people choose the city

C7 Eb C7 Bb F

Some others choose the good old family home

Bb

I like living easy without family ties

Bb C7

Till the whippoorwill of freedom zapped me

Eb C7 Bb

Right between the eyes

(CHORUS)

Bb **Eb** **Bb/D**
Oh Philadelphia freedom shine on me, I love you
Cm **Dm7** **E7** **Am7** **D7**
Shine a light through the eyes of the ones left behind
Gm **Cm**
Shine a light shine a light
Dm **Ab/Eb** **Eb**
Shine a light won't you shine a light
Cm **Dm** **Eb** **Em** **F** **Eb** **Dm** **Cm** **F**
Phila- delphia freedom I lo_____ve you, yes I do

Bb **Eb** **Dm** **Cm** **F** **Bb**
Philadelphia freedom I lo_____ve you, yes I do
(REPEAT, FADE)