

Penny To My Name
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SONG: PENNY TO MY NAME

VERSE 1

C **F**
Bill and I got married following our first-born
Dm **Am** **G**
Daddy left this gas and convenience store just before he died
C **F**
And I was only nineteen when I had my third baby
Dm **G** **C**
Sometimes I think maybe I should have left here long ago

VERSE 2

C **F**
Travelers are stopping by check their oil and their P.S.I.
Dm **Am** **G**
Gas up and away they fly moving down the line
C
But this beat up truck and worn out shoes
F
Always giving me the blues
Dm **G**
Bill is sucking down the booze nearly every night

CHORUS:

F **G** **C** **F**
I ve never seen the city lights how they must shine so bright
C **F** **D** **G**
Not like this country night the sky s black as coal
F **G**
And this gas station mountain home
C **F**
Not a thing to call my own
C **F** **D** **G** **C**
I wish I was alone with a penny to my name

VERSE 3

C **F**
Strangers say this mountain here is beautiful beyond compare
Dm **Am** **G**
But it s just a dumb old mountain there I see it every day
C **F**
If I could see a sunset skies over fields of grain or ocean tides
Dm **G**
City skyline in the night I ll be dancing till the dawn

REPEAT CHORUS:

VERSE 4

C F

Bill and I got married following our first-born

Dm Am G

Daddy left this gas and convenience store just before he died

C F

Maybe Bill and I someday will find a chance to get away

Dm G

Until then it s here I ll stay wishing on a star

REPEAT CHORUS:

END