

I Got A Name
Jim Croce

[Verse 1]

RIFF 1 x2

Bb **F/B** **Gm Gm/G** **Eb F** **Bb** (RIFF 1)

Like the pine trees lining the winding road, I got a name, I got a name

Bb **F/B** **Gm Gm/G** **C7/F#** **F**
Bb/G F*

Like the singing bird and the croaking toad, I got a name, I ve got a name

[Pre-Chorus]

Dm **Eb** **Bb** **D**
And I carry it with me like my Daddy did
Gm Gm/G **F** **Bb/G F***
But I m living the dream that he kept hid

[Chorus]

Dm **Eb** **Dm** **G7**
Moving me down the highway, rolling me down the highway
F **G** RIFF 2A & 2B
Moving ahead so life won t pass me by

[Verse 2]

Bb **F/B** **Gm Gm/G** **Eb F** **Bb** (RIFF 1)
Like a north wind whistling down the sky, I got a song, I got a song

Bb **F/B** **Gm Gm/G** **C7/F#** **F**
Bb/G F*

Like the whippoorwill and the baby s cry, I ve got a song, I ve got a song

[Pre-Chorus]

Dm **Eb** **Bb** **D**
And I carry it with me and I sing it loud
Gm Gm/G **F** **Bb/G F***
If it gets me nowhere, I ll go there proud

[Chorus]

(end on RIFF 2A)

[Solo]

(over first two lines of verse)

[Verse 3]

Bb
 And I m gonna go there free

Bb **F/B** **Gm Gm/G** **Eb** **F** **Bb**
 Like the fool I am and I ll always be, I ve got a dream, I ve got a dream

Bb **F/B** **Gm Gm/G**
 They can change their minds but they can t change me

C7/F# **F** **Bb/G F***
 I ve got a dream, I ve got a dream

[Pre-Chorus]

Dm **Eb** **Bb** **D**
 I know I could share it, if you want me to

Gm Gm/G **F** **Bb/G F***
 If you re going my way, I ll go with you

[Chorus]

(end on RIFF 2A)

[Chorus]

(end on RIFF 2A & RIFF 2B) -> C

Bb/G 3x2013
F* 320033

RIFF 1:

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e|-----|
B|-1-----1-----1-----1-----|
G|-----0-----1-----1-----|
D|---2---0--0---0h2-2---2---|
A|-3-----|
E|-----|

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RIFF 2A:

RIFF 2B:

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e|-----|
B|-1-1-1-1-----|
G|-3-2-0-----0-|
D|-----3-2h3---|
A|-----|

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E|-----3-1-0h1-3---|

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by Jim Croce (from His Greatest Hits)

[Verse 1]

D **A** **Bm**
Like the pine trees linin the windin road

G **A** **D**
I got a name, I got a name

D **A** **Bm**
Like the singin bird and the croakin toad

E **A**
I got a name, I got a name

[Pre-Chorus]

F#m **G** **D** **F#**
And I carry it with me like my daddy did

Bm **E** **A**
But I m livin a dream that he can t give

[Chorus]

F#m **G**
Movin me down the highway,

F#m **Bm**
Rollin me down the highway

G **A** *(x2)
Movin ahead so life won t pass me by

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e|-----|
B|-----|
G|-----|
D|-----|
A|-5-4-----|
E|-----7-5-4h5-7-|

[Verse 2]

D **A** **Bm**

Like the north wind whistlin on down the sky

G A D

I got a song, I got a song

D A Bm

Like the whipperwill and the baby s cry

E A

I got a song, I got a song

[Pre-Chorus]

F#m G D F#

And I carry it with me and I sing it loud

Bm E A

If it gets me nowhere, I ll go there proud

[Chorus]

F#m G

Movin me down the highway,

F#m Bm

Rollin me down the highway

G A *

Movin ahead so life won t pass me by

[Solo]

(this is kinda close. He does a lot of slides, hammerons, pulloffs, bends, etc. These notes are right, though.)

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e | --4-4-4-5-7s9s7-5s7-5-4---4-2p0---0---4p2-0h2---- |
B | -----0-----0-- |
G | ----- |
D | ----- |
A | ----- |
E | ----- |

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e | --4-4-4-5-7s9p7-4-7-7s9----9-4s2p0-2---4p2-0h2-----0-2-- |
B | -----4--4-4-4----- |
G | ----- |
D | ----- |
A | ----- |
E | ----- |

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D

And I m gonna go there free...

[Verse 3]

D **A** **Bm**
Like the fool I am and will always be
G **A** **D**
I got a dream, I got a dream
D **A** **Bm**
They can change their minds but the can t change me
E **A**
I got a dream, I got a dream

[Pre-Chorus]

F#m **G** **D** **F#**
I know I could share it if you want me to
Bm **E** **A**
If you re goin my way, I ll go with you

[Chorus]

F#m **G**
Movin me down the highway,
F#m **Bm**
Rollin me down the highway
G **A** *
Movin ahead so life won t pass me by

F#m **G**
Movin me down the highway,
F#m **Bm**
Rollin me down the highway
G **A**
Movin ahead so life won t
* * **D**
pass me by

| h Hammer-on
| p Pull-off
| s slide
