

American Girl
Roger McGuinn

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D **E7** **G** **A**
Well she was an American girl raised on promises
D **E7**
She couldn t help thinking that there was
G **A**
A little more to life somewhere else
D **G** **Em**
After all it was a great big world with lots of places to run to
A
And if she had to die trying she had one little promise she was gonna
keep
G **A** **D** **Bm**
Oh yea allright take it easy baby make it last all night
G **A** **D**
She was an American girl
D **E7** **G** **A**
Well it was kind cold that night she stood alone on the balcony
D **E7**
Yea she could hear the cars roll by
G **A**
Out on 441 like waves crashing on the beach
D **G** **Em**
And for one desperate moment there he crept back in her memory
A
God it s so painful when something that s so close
Is hard to find
G **A** **D** **Bm**
Oh yea allright take it easy baby make it last all night
G **A** **D**
She was an American girl