

As performed by Richard Marx and Donna Lewis
AT THE BEGINNING

Lyrics by LYNN AHRENS

Music by STEPHEN FLAHERTY

Rock ♩ - 92

N.C.

mp

(with pedal)

Verse:

B G#m7 B/A F#m7 B G#m7

1. We were stran - gers start - ing out on a jour - ney, nev - er dream - ing what we'd

E(9) F# G#m F#m/A# B B/D# E(9)

have to go through... Now here we are and I'm sud - den - ly stand - ing

Verse:

at the be - gin - ning with you. 2. No one told me I was

A(9) **F#sus** **F#** **Db** **Bbm7**

go - ing to find you. Un - ex - pect - ed, what you did to my heart. When

D/C# **Abm7** **Db** **Bbm7** **Gb(9)** **Ab**

I lost hope, you were there to re - mind me this is the start.

Bbm **A/C** **Db** **D/F** **Gb(9)** **Cbmaj7**

cresc.

Chorus:

And life is a road, and I want to keep go - ing. Love is a riv - er, I wan - na keep flow - ing.

Ab sus **Ab** **Db** **Gbmaj9**

mf

B♭m7 G♭(9) A♭sus A♭ D♭

Life is a road, now_ and for-ev-er. Won-der-ful jour-ney! I'll be there when the world stops turn-ing.

G♭maj9 B♭m7 G♭(9) A♭sus

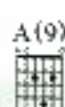
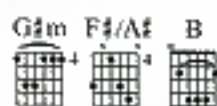
I'll be there when the storm is through. In the end, I wan-na be stand-ing at the be-gin-ning with

D♭ G♭/D♭ D♭ A♭/D♭ Verse: B G4m7

you. *dim.* *mp* 3. We were stran-gers on a

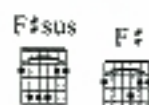
B/A F♯m7 B G♯m7 E(9) F♯

cra-zy ad-ven-ture nev-er dream-ing how our dreams would come true. Now



here we stand, un-a - fraid of the fu - ture, at the be - gin - ning with you...

cresc.

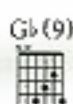


Chorus:

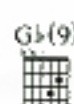


And life is a road, and I want to keep go - ing. Love is a riv - er, I wan - na keep flow - ing.

mf



Life is a road, now... and for - ey - er. Won - der - ful jour - ney! I'll be there when the world stops turn - ing.



I'll be there when the storm is through... In the end, I wan - na be stand - ing at the be - gin - ning with...

Bridge:

D^b **D^bsus** **D^b** **G^b**

you... I knew there was some - bod - y some-

C^b/G^b **G^b** **C^b** **G^b/B^b**

where like me, a - lone... in the dark... Now I know my dream.

A^bm **E** **C^bm7**

... will live on... I've been wait - ing so long... noth - ing's gon - na tear us a - part...

Chorus:

B^bsus **B^b** **E^b** **A^bmaj9**

And life is a road, and I want to keep go - ing. Love is a riv - er, I wan - na keep flow - ing.

Cm7



Ab(9)



B>sus



Bb



Eb



Life is a road, now and for-ev-er, Won-der-ful jour-ney! I'll be there when the world stops turn-ing.

Abmaj9



Cm7



A>(9)



B>sus



Bb



I'll be there when the storm is through... In the end, I wan-na be stand-ing at the be-gin-ning with.



Abmaj9



Cm7



you...

Ab(9) Bbsus



Chorus:



Abmaj9



Life is a road, and I want to keep go-ing. Love is a riv-er, I wan-na keep flow-ing

E \flat

on _____ Start-ing out on a jour - ney. Life is a road, and I want to keep go - ing.

A \flat maj9 Cm7 A \flat (9) B \flat sus

Love is a riv-er, I wan - na keep flow-ing. In the end, I wan - na be stand-ing at the be - gin - ning _____

dim.

E \flat A \flat /C E \flat B \flat

with _____ you _____

mp

E \flat A \flat /C E \flat Cm7 A \flat E \flat