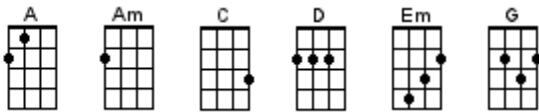


American Girl

Tom Petty



[G] Well she was an [A] American girl, [C] raised on [D] promises
[G] She couldn't help [A] thinking that there was
A [C] little more to life [D] somewhere else
After all it was a [G] great big world, [C] with lots of places to [Am] run to
[D] And if she had to die trying she had one little promise she was gonna keep

[C] Oh yea, [D] alright,
[G] Take it easy baby,
[Em] Make it last all [C] night
[C] She was [D] an American [G] girl

[G] Well it was kinda [A] cold that night, she [C] stood alone on the [D] balcony
[G] Yea she could hear the cars [A] roll by
[C] Out on 441 like waves [D] crashing on the beach
And for one desperate [G] moment then, [C] he crept back in her [Am] memory
[D] God it's so painful when something that's so close is still so far out of reach

[C] Oh yea, [D] alright,
[G] Take it easy baby,
[Em] Make it last all [C] night
[C] She was [D] an American [G] girl

