

## Walk of Life – Dire Straits

**[instrumental chant - repeat a few times for intro]**

**(D)**Da da... da da da da **(G)**da da...

Da da **(A)**da da... da da da da da **(G)**da da.. da **(A)**da da da da da da

**(D)**Here comes Johnny singing oldies, goldies  
Be-bop-a-lua, Baby What I Say  
Here comes Johnny singing I Gotta Woman  
Down in the tunnels trying to make it **(D7)**pay

**(G)** He got the action... he got the motion... **(D)** oh yeah, the boy can play  
**(G)** Dedication... devotion... **(D)**turning all the night time into the day  
He do the song about the sweet lovin' **(A)**woman  
He do the **(D)**song about the knife **(G)**  
He do the **(D)**walk... **(A)** he do the walk of **(G)**life  
**(A)**Yeah he do the walk of **(D)**life

**[instrumental chant, just once - (D)(G)(A)(G-A)]**

**(D)** Here comes Johnny and he'll tell you the story  
Hand me down my walkin' shoes  
Here come Johnny with the power and the glory  
Backbeat the talkin' **(D7)** blues

**(G)** He got the action, he got the motion **(D)** Oh yeah, the boy can play  
**(G)** Dedication devotion **(D)** turning all the night time into the day  
He do the song about the sweet lovin' **(A)** woman  
He do the **(D)**song about the knife **(G)**  
He do the **(D)** walk, **(A)** ... he do the walk of **(G)** life,  
**(A)** yeah he do the walk of **(D)** life

**[instrumental chant 2 times (D)(G)(A)(G-A) (D)(G)(A)(G-A)]**

**(D)**Here comes Johnny singing oldies, goldies  
Be-bop-a-lua, Baby What I Say  
Here comes Johnny singing I Gotta Woman  
Down in the tunnels trying to make it **(D7)**pay

**(G)** He got the action... he got the motion... **(D)** oh yeah, the boy can play  
**(G)** Dedication... devotion... **(D)**turning all the night time into the day  
And after all the violence and **(A)**double talk  
There's just a **(D)**song in all the trouble and the **(G)**strife  
You do the **(D)**walk... **(A)** you do the walk of **(G)**life  
**(A)**Yeah you do the walk of **(D)**life

**[instrumental chant fade to end - (D)(G)(A)(G)(A)]**

