

As performed by Richard Marx and Donna Lewis
AT THE BEGINNING

Lyrics by LYNN AHRENS

Music by STEPHEN FLAHERTY

Rock ♩ = 92

N.C.

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# F#m F#m F#m 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/Cb *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.

A/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

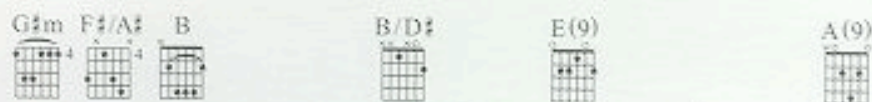
Verse: D♭ G♭/D♭ D♭ A♭/D♭ B G♯m7

you. 3. We were stran - gers on a

dim. *mp*

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:

F[♯]sus F[♯] D[♯] G[♭]maj9

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

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 A[♭]

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:

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

D \flat D \flat sus D \flat

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

C \flat /G \flat G \flat C \flat G \flat /B \flat

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

A \flat m E C \flat m7

Chorus:

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

B \flat sus B \flat E \flat A \flat maj9

Cm7

A^b(9)B^bsusB^bE^b

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

A^bmaj9

Cm7

A^b(9)B^bsusB^b

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

E^bA^bmaj9

Cm7



you...

A^b(9) B^bsus

Chorus:

A^bmaj9

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