

Allentown chords by Billy Joel

<p>Bb C F 3x</p> <p>G Dm G C Well we're living here in Allentown Gm C F And they're closing all the factories down Dm G Am Out in Bethlehem they're killing time G Dm Filling out forms C G Standing in line.</p> <p>Dm G C Well our fathers fought the Second World War Gm C F Spent their weekends on the Jersey Shore Dm G Am G Met our mothers at the USO G Dm Asked them to dance C G Danced with them slow</p> <p>Dm G C And we're living here in Allentown. Eb F Bb But the restlessness was handed down Gm C Dm Am Bb C F And it's getting very hard to staaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaay</p> <p>Bb C F 2x</p> <p>G Dm G C Well we're waiting here in Allentown Gm C F For the Pennsylvania we never found Dm G Am For the promises our teachers gave G Dm If we worked hard C G If we behaved.</p>	<p>Dm G C So the graduations hang on the wall Gm C F But they never really helped us at all Dm G Am No they never taught us what was real G Dm Iron or coke, C G Chromium steel.</p> <p>Dm G C And we're waiting here in Allentown. Eb F Bb But they've taken all the coal from the ground Gm C Dm Am Bb C F And the union people crawled awaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaay</p> <p>Bb C F 2x</p> <p>Eb F Eb Every child had a pretty good shot F Eb Ab To get at least as far as their old man got. Eb F Eb If something happened on the way to that place F Eb F They threw an American flag in our face,</p> <p>Bb C F 2x</p> <p>G Dm G C Well I'm living here in Allentown Gm C F And it's hard to keep a good man down. Gm C Dm Am Bb C F But I won't be getting up todaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaayyyyyyy</p> <p>Bb C F</p> <p>GUITAR SOLO</p> <p>Bb C F</p> <p>Gm C Dm Am Bb C F And it's getting very hard to staaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaay. Gm C F Bb F And we're living here in Allentown.</p>
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