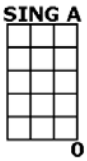

I'VE GOTTA BE ME-Walter Marks

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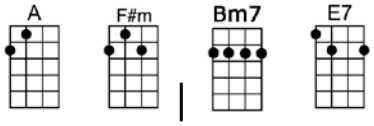
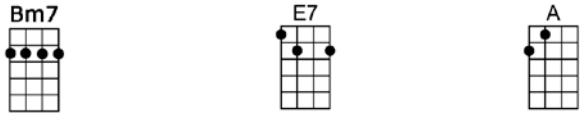
Intro: |  | (X2)

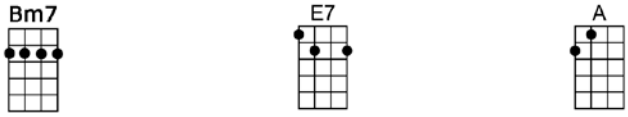
Whether I'm right or whether I'm wrong,



Whether I find a place in this world or never be-long

I've gotta be me, I've gotta be me. What else can I be but what I am

I want to live, not merely sur-vive,



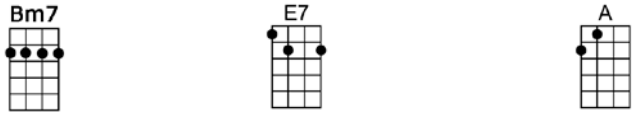
And I won't give up this dream of life that keeps me a-live

I've gotta be me, I've gotta be me, the dream that I see makes me what I am

That far-away prize, a world of suc-cess is waiting for me if I heed the call

I won't settle down, won't settle for less, as long as there's a chance that I can have it all

I'll go it a-lone, that's how it must be.



I can't be right for somebody else if I'm not right for me

I've gotta be free, I've gotta be free, daring to try, to do it or die, I've gotta be me

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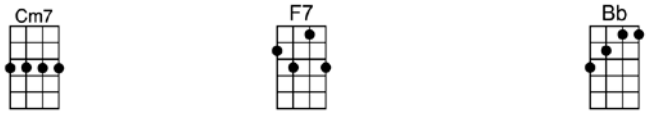

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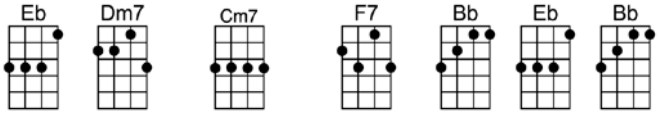

Daring to try, to do it or die, I've gotta be me

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Intro: | A F#m | Bm7 E7 | (X2)

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          A     F#m                    Bm7   E7
Whether I'm right       or whether I'm wrong,

          Bm7                  E7                  A
Whether I find a place in this world or never be-long

      A7       D   C#m7                 D   C#m7                    D C#m7  A  F#m Bm7  E7
I've gotta be me,        I've gotta be me.        What else can I be  but  what  I     am


          A   F#m                    Bm7   E7
I want to live,       not merely sur-vive,

          Bm7                  E7                  A
And I won't give up this dream of life that keeps me a-live

      A7       D   C#m7                 D   C#m7                    D  C#m7       Bm7 E7    A
I've gotta be me,        I've gotta be me,        the dream that I see makes me what      I am

                  G#m7 C#7                 F#m F#m7                 Bm7      E7      AMA7  A6
   That far-away prize,       a world of suc-cess         is waiting for me if I heed the call

                  D                        C#m7 F#m                          C#+      F#m7 F#m6      Bm7 E7
   I won't settle down, won't settle for less,        as long as there's a chance that I    can have it all

          A     F#m                    Bm7  E7
I'll go it a-lone,        that's how it must be.

          Bm7                  E7                  A
I can't be right for somebody else if I'm not right for me

      A7       D   C#m7                 D   C#m7              D  C#m7       Bm7       E7       A   F7
I've gotta be free,        I've gotta be free,        daring to try, to do it or die, I've gotta be me


          Bb  Gm7                    Cm7  F7
I'll go it a-lone,       that's how it must be.

          Cm7                  F7                  Bb
I can't be right for somebody else if I'm not right for me

      Bb7      Eb   Dm7                 Eb   Dm7              Eb     Dm7     Cm7       F7       Bb   Gm7
I've gotta be free,        I've gotta be free,        daring to try, to do it or die, I've gotta be me

          Eb     Dm7     Cm7       F7       Bb  Eb  Bb
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