

## Proud Mary (Creedence Clearwater Revival)

*Intro:* **C-C-A C-C-A C-C-A-G-F-F-F-F-D**

*Verse 1:*

**D**

Left a good job in the city

**D**

Workin' for the man every night and day

**D**

And I never lost a minute of sleepin'

**D**

Worryin' 'bout the way things might have been

*Chorus 1:*

**A**

Big wheel keep on turnin'

**Bm**

Proud Mary keep on burnin'

**D**

Rollin', rollin', rollin' on a river

*Verse 2:*

**D**

Cleaned a lot of plates in Memphis

**D**

Pumped a lot of 'tane down in New Orleans

**D**

But I never saw a good side of a city

**D**

'Til I hitched a ride on a river boat queen

*Chorus 2:*

**A**

Big wheel keep on turnin'

**Bm**

Proud Mary keep on burnin'

**D**

Rollin', rollin', rollin' on the river

*Break:* **C-C-A C-C-A C-C-A-G-F-F-F-F-D**

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*Optional solo:*

*Improvise over 4 verse lines of **D** and first two lines of chorus **A** and **Bm**, then sing:*

**D**

Rollin', rollin', rollin' on the river

*then play break:* **C-C-A C-C-A C-C-A-G-F-F-F-F-D**

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*Verse 3:*

**D**

If you come down to the river

**D**

Betcha gonna find some people who live

**D**

You don't have to worry if ya got no money

**D**

People on the river are happy to give

*Chorus 3 and Outro:*

**A**

Big wheel keep on turnin'

**Bm**

Proud Mary keep on burnin'

**D**

Rollin', rollin', rollin' on the river (X3)

*End with Break:* **C-C-A C-C-A C-C-A-G-F-F-F-F-D**