THE LIVING PROOF

|Bb . . . | Eb . . . |Bb . . . | Eb . . . |

It's gonna be a long long journey It's gonna be an uphill climb

|Bb . . . | Eb . . . |Bb . . . |Eb . . . |

It's gonna be a tough fight It’s gonna be some lonely nights But I'm ready . . to carry on

|Eb . F . |Gm . . . |Eb . F . |Cm . Bb . |

I’m so glad the worst is o-ver (cos it almost took me down) I can start living now ooh

|Eb . F . |Gm . . . |Cm . . Bb | F . . . |

woo I feel like I can do anything yeah, And finally I'm not afraid to breathe

**|Bb . F/A . |Gm . Eb . |Gm . F . |Eb . . F |**

**Anything you say to me And everything you do You can’t deny the truth Cos I’m the living proof, so**

**|Bb . Fm/Ab . |Gm . Ebm/Gb . | Bb/F . Em7b5 . |**

**many don’t survive They just don’t make it through But look at me oh ho**

**|Gm . F/A . |Bb . . . |Eb . . .**

**I’m the liv – ing proof - oh yes I am**

Thinking 'bout how life's been painful, yes it was, Took a while to learn how to smile

So now I’m gonna talk to my people oh oh About the storm, oh about the storm oh

So glad the worst is over (‘cause it almost took me down) I can start flying now oh ho

My best days are right in front of me And I’m almost there ‘cause now I’m free oh

**CHORUS** *using this as last line:*

**|Gm . F/A . |Bb . . . |**

**I’m the liv – ing proof**

|Bb . . . |Eb . . . |

Nothing ‘bout my life’s been easy

|Bb . . . |Eb . . . |

But nothing’s gonna keep me down, no, down, no

|Bb . . . |

‘cause I know a lot more today

|Eb . . . |Bb . . . |Eb

That I knew yesterday, now So I’m ready\_\_ to carry on, oh Lordy, mmm mmm