

I'm Gonna Be (500 Miles)

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A Capella arrangement, backing lyrics and minor original lyric changes © 2014 Derek Parsons

Key E . 4/4 time @132 **BASS & BARITONE** (words in grey already sung in beat no. in line above)

|Verse starts

Intro 4 bars

start note is E2 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm dm. Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm.

Verse 1.

1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm ba-da dm ba dm ba ooo Bop bop.
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm ba-da dm ba dm ba ooo Bop bop.
 Ba dm Ba dm Ba dm Ba dm
 Ba dm Ba dm Ba dm Ba dm

Chorus

1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 I would walk five - a hun-de- red miles and I would walk five-a hun-de- red more just to
 Be the one who's a wal-ken a thous-and miles to fall do- wn a__t your door.

Verse 2.

1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm ba-da dm ba dm ba ooo Bop bop.
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm ba-da dm ba dm ba ooo Bop bop.
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm ba-da dm ba dm ba ooo Bop bop.
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm ba-da dm ba dm ba ooo Bop bop.

Chorus

1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 I would walk five - a hun-de- red miles and I would walk five-a hun-de- red more just to
 Be the one who's a wal-ken a thous-and miles to fall do- wn a__t your door.

Interlude

|Altos & Tenors|

4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 |Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da Da-da Da-de-la Da-de-la Da-de-la La-la La. Bop bop
 Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da Da-da-dat-da Da-da Da-de-la Da-de-la Da-de-la La-la La. Bop bop

Bridge

4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 Bop bop - Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm

Verse 3.

1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 Ba dm Ba dm Ba dm Ba dm
 Ba dm Ba dm Ba dm Ba dm
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm ba-da dm ba dm ba ooo Bop bop.
 Dm dm dm da-da la-da dm dm ba-da dm ba dm ba you____. Ba-da

Extra to verse 3

1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 Ba-da dah_____ bah_____ you. Dm dm ba- da la-da dm Dm!

Chorus

1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 I would walk five - a hun-de- red miles and I would walk five-a hun-de- red more just to
 Be the one who's a wal-ken a thous-and miles to fall do- wn a__t your door.

Interlude x2

|Altos & Tenors|

4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 |Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da Da-da Da-de-la Da-de-la Da-de-la La-la La. Bop bop
 Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da | Da-da-dat-da Da-da-dat-da Da-da Da-de-la Da-de-la Da-de-la La-la La.

1st time shout Oi! Oi!
 2nd time Bop bop

Chorus

1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4
 I would walk five-a hun-de- red miles and I would walk five-a hun-de- red more just to
 Be the one who's a wal-ken a thous-and miles to fall do- wn at your do - o - r_