## BARRY'S SONG (When I See Barry Smile) (For Barry Spiro's 60<sup>th</sup> birthday) Mike Delaney 1/28/10

GAD

He dribbles through the verses Intro:
Like a court in Prospect Heights G A Bm
Making jump shots with his flat pick G A D

He has worked to get it right

A survivor of the sixties

He's been at it for a while

I know his game is clicking

When I see Barry smile

When I see Barry smile

When I see Barry smile

O A Bm G

G A D G

D A

G A Bm

Songs for friends and family

And a few against the war

From his bag he pulls old chestnuts

But he also asks "what for"

B-Part:

Em A Bm A

Em A Bm A B (modulate to E)

He lives his life up-tempo

And without a hint of guile

I hear the beating in his chest

When I see Barry smile

When I see Barry smile

A B C#m

A B E

A B C#m

A B E

B-part:

I wonder if he hears my smile

Outro:

A B C#m

When we sit down to jam

Can he tell I am beaming?

I really hope he can <modulate up>

Capo 2: Play in C

## <instrumental A-part>

Though at times his eyes are hidden
Beneath his baseball cap
He's past the hour for joking
It's too late for him to nap
He keeps the music flowing
For another lyric mile
A precious moment timeless
When I see Barry smile
When I see Barry smile