

# Penny To My Name (Chris Biondo Cover)

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Bill and I got married following our first born  
Daddy left this gas & convenience store just before he died  
And I was only nineteen when I had my third baby  
And sometimes I think maybe I should've left here long ago Travellers are stopping by, check their oil and their  
p.s.i.  
Gas up and away to fly, moving down the line  
But this beat-up truck & worn out shoes always give me the blues  
Billy sucking down the booze nearly every night I never seen the city lights  
How they must shine so bright  
Not like this country night  
The sky's black as coal  
And this gas-station mountain home  
Not a thing to call my own  
How I wish I was alone  
With a penny to my name Strangers say this mountain here is beautiful beyond compare  
But it's just a dumb old mountain; I see it every day  
If I could see sunset skies over fields of green or ocean-tides,  
City skyline in the night, I'll be dancing till the dawn I never seen the city lights  
How they must shine so bright  
Not like this country night  
The sky's black as coal  
And this gas-station mountain home  
Not a thing to call my own  
How I wish I was alone  
With a penny to my name Bill and I got married following our first born  
Daddy left this gas & convenience store just before he died  
Maybe Bill & I someday will find a chance to get away  
Until then it's here I'll stay wishing on a star I never seen the city lights  
How they must shine so bright  
Not like this country night  
The sky's black as coal  
And this gas-station mountain home  
Not a thing to call my own  
How I wish I was alone  
With a penny to my name

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