

# I'm a like a bird (2002 Grammy Awards)

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Tune down 1/2 step

- ①= D#    ④= C#
- ②= A#    ⑤= G#
- ③= F#    ⑥= D#

♩ = 110

**A Intro**  
N.C.

S-Gt

*f*  
let ring    let ring    let ring    let ring    let ring    let ring    let ring    let ring

TAB: 11-13 13-15 15-11 0 11-13 13-8 8-11 11-6 0

♩ = 68

**B Verse**  
B  
*rasg.*

E

let ring    1/2    *rasg.*

TAB: 6-8 0 0 8 6 6-8 8 6 4 6 7 0 0 4 6 7 0 4 2 4

G#m    B5    F#    F#sus4    F#

let ring    let ring

TAB: 4 4 6 0 0 2 2 4 4 2 2 4 4 2 2 4 4 3 3 4 4



F#7 F#7sus4 F# C#m7 C#m E5 N.C.

18

let ring let ring let ring

TAB

B Bsus4 B F#7sus4 F#

21

TAB

C#m ver E5 N.C.

23

TAB

**D Bridge**  
E rasg. G#m E5 rasg.

25

TAB



**F Outro**

N.C.

38

let ring -----|      let ring ---|      let ring ---|      let ring

TAB

9 11 9 11 9 11 0 9 11 13 11 14 14 11

Detailed description: This system contains measures 38 through 41. The guitar part features a melodic line with a mix of eighth and quarter notes, often beamed together. The bass part provides a steady accompaniment with a mix of eighth and quarter notes. The 'let ring' instruction is placed below the staff, with a dashed line indicating the duration of the sustain. The TAB below shows the fret numbers for each note.

39

let ring ---|      let ring

TAB

13 11 11 9 8 9 8 6 4 6 4 7 6 6 7 6 4 2 4 2 0

Detailed description: This system contains measures 42 through 45. The melodic line continues with eighth notes, some beamed. The bass part has a similar rhythmic pattern. The 'let ring' instruction is present. The TAB shows fret numbers, including a bar line in the middle of the system.

$\text{♩} = 71$  *rall.*

40

let ring -----|

TAB

12 12 7 7 12 12 0 7 12 7 12 12 7 7 12 7 12 7 12 7 12 12

Detailed description: This system contains measures 46 through 51. The melodic line consists of eighth notes, some beamed. The bass part has a consistent eighth-note accompaniment. The 'let ring' instruction is present. The TAB shows fret numbers.

*rall.*

$\text{♩} = 55$

42

let ring -----|

TAB

7 7 12 0 7

Detailed description: This system contains measures 52 through 55. The melodic line features eighth notes, some beamed. The bass part has a simple accompaniment. The 'let ring' instruction is present. The TAB shows fret numbers.