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Sam's "Millennium Song" has been covered by Dan Hart on "The Life of Dan"; in 2004, his ska-tinged ode to childhood, "Putting Sophy to Bed", appeared on Boston's Best Singer-Songwriter Showcase V, alongside such Boston notables as Deb Pasternak, Julie Dougherty and Thea Hopkins.



Live at Club Passim, 3-song EP, 2000 Life is Like a River, 3-CD set, 2003 Do You Believe, 5-song live EP, 2005 Thirds, 9-song live EP, 2007



Mozaic Room, opening for Jack Hardy, November 2005
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Crockett and the Oxymorons, February 2006
Amazing Things Arts Center, opening for John Forster,
May 2006

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