

Summer of 69 4/30/25

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Bryan Adams: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9f06QZCVUHg>

[D] [A]

[D] I got my first real four-string

[A] Bought it at the Five and Dime

[D] Played it till my fingers bled

[A] It was the summer of sixty-nine

[D] Me and some guys from school

[A] Had a band and we tried real hard

[D] Himmy quit... Hodie got married

[A] Shoulda known... we'd never get far

[Bm] Oh, when I [A] look back now

[D] That summer seemed to [G] last forever

[Bm] And if I [A] had the choice

[D] Yeah I'd always [G] wanna be there

[Bm] Those were the [A] best days of my [D] life [A]

[D] Ain't no use in complainin'

[A] When you've got a job to do

[D] Spent my evenin's down at the drive-in

[A] And that's when I met you, yeah

[Bm] Standin' on your [A] mama's porch

[D] You told me that you'd [G] wait forever

[Bm] Oh and when you [A] held my hand

[D] I knew that it was [G] now or never

[Bm] Those were the [A] best days of my

[D] life... oh [A] yeah... back in the summer of [D] 69 [A]

[F] Man we were [Bb] killin' time

We were [C] young and restless... we [Bb] needed to unwind

[F] I guess [Bb] nothin' can last for [C] ever... forever... no

[D] [A] [D] [A]

[D] And now the times are changin'

[A] Look at everything that's come and gone

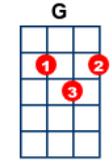
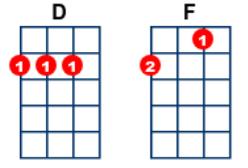
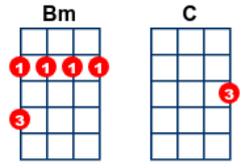
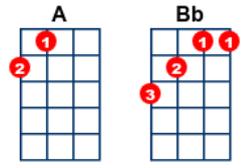
[D] Sometimes when I play that old four-string

[A] I think about ya, wonder what went wrong

[Bm] Standin' on your [A] mama's porch

[D] You told me that you'd [G] wait forever

[Bm] Oh and when you [A] held my hand



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