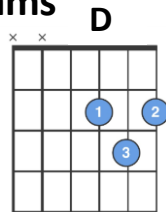


Summer of '69 – Bryan Adams

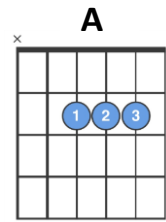
[Verse 1]

D (4)
I got my first real six-string
A (4)
Bought it at the five-and-dime
D (4)
Played it 'til my fingers bled
A (4)
It was the summer of '69



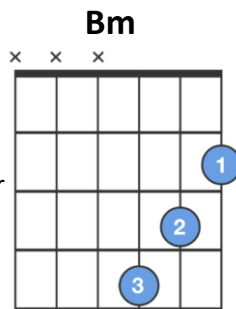
[Verse 2]

D (4)
Me and some guys from school
A (4)
Had a band and we tried real hard
D (4)
Jimmy quit, Joey got married
A (4)
I shoulda known we'd never get far



[Chorus 1]

Bm (2) A (2)
Oh, when I look back now
D (2) G (2)
That summer seemed to last forever
Bm (2) A (2)
And if I had the choice
D (2) G (2)
Yeah, I'd always wanna be there
Bm (2) A (2)
Those were the best days of my life



[Instrumental]

D (4) A (4)

[Verse 3]

D (4)
Ain't no use in complainin'
A (4)
When you got a job to do
D (4)
Spent my evenin's down at the drive in
A (4)
And that's when I met you

[Chorus 2]

Bm (2) A (2)
Standin' on your mama's porch
D (2) G (2)
You told me that you'd wait forever
Bm (2) A (2)

Oh, and when you held my hand
D (2) G (2)
I knew that it was now or never
Bm (2) A (2) D (4)
Those were the best days of my life
A (4) D (4) A (4)
Oh yeah Back in the summer of '69 Ohhh

[Bridge]

F (2) Bb (2)
Man, we were killin' time
C (2)
We were young and restless
Bb (2)
We needed to unwind
F (2) Bb (2) C (4)
I guess nothin' can last forever, forever no

[Instrumental]

D (4) A (4) D (4) A (4)

[Verse 4]

D (4)
And now the times are changin'
A (4)
Look at everything that's come and gone
D (4)
Sometimes when I play that old six-string
A (4)
I think about you, wonder what went wrong

[Chorus 3]

Bm (2) A (2)
Standin' on your mama's porch
D (2) G (2)
You told me that it'd last forever
Bm (2) A (2)
Oh, and when you held my hand
D (2) G (2)
I knew that it was now or never
Bm (2) A (2)
Those were the best days of my life

[Outro]

D (4) A (4) D (4) A (4)
Oh yeah Back in the summer of '69 Uh-huh

D - A
(All the way to the end)