

I Wish
Stevie Wonder

[Intro]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Ebm7 Ab7

[Verse 1]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Looking back on when I was a little nappy headed
boy
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7
Then my only worry was for
Ab7
Christmas what would be my toy
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7

[Bridge]

Bb7 C7 Fm7 Ab7
Even though we sometimes would not get a thing
Bb7 C7 Fm7 Bb7
We were happy with the joy the day would bring

[Verse 2]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7
Sneaking out the back door to hang out with
Ab7
those hoodlum friends of mine

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7

Greeted at the back door, I
Ab7
thought I told you not to go outside
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7

[Bridge]

Bb7 C7 Fm7
Tryin' your best to bring the water to your eyes
Ab7
Bb7 C7 Fm7
Thinkin' it might stop her from whippin' your
Bb7
behind

[Chorus]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
I wish those days could come back once more
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Why did those days e__ver_ have to go?
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
I wish those days could come back once more
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Why did those days e__ver_ have to go?
Ebm7
'Cause I love them so

[Verse 3]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7
Brother says he's tellin' 'bout you playin'

Ab7
doctor with that girl
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7

Just don't tell I'll give you
Ebm7 Ab7
anything you want in this whole wide world
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7

[Bridge]

Bb7 C7 Fm7 Ab7
Mama gives you money for Sunday school
Bb7 C7 Fm7
You trade yours for candy after church is through
Bb7

[Verse 4]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Smokin' cigarettes and writing something nasty on
the wall
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Teacher sends you to the
Ebm7 Ab7
principal's office down the hall
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7

[Bridge]

Bb7 C7 Fm7
You grow up and learn that kinda thing ain't
Ab7
Right

Bb7 C7 Fm7
But while you were doin' it, it sure felt out of
Bb7
sight

[Chorus]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
I wish those days could come back once more
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Why did those days e__ver_ have to go?
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
I wish those days could come back once more
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Why did those days e__ver_ have to go?

[Bridge]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7

[Outro]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7
Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7

[Fade Out]

Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7 Ebm7 Ab7