

# I'll Be There (Acoustic Version)

## A Change of Pace

You've felt alone since you were only seven  
Your mother didn't have a clue what to do  
You cried each night until you were eleven  
You prayed that God would bring your daddy back to you  
It got much worse when you were in high school  
From guy to guy, you wondered why you never felt a thing  
You wondered if you'd ever find a lover who'd someday  
Get down on his knees, holding that diamond ring  
This summer's taking me to California  
But I won't go until you know that what I say is true  
When everything you've ever loved has left you  
I'll be there, yeah, I'll be there for you  
Your senior year, you and your friends went crazy  
But then you found out who your friends really were  
You were betrayed by everyone that mattered  
So you drank until it all became a blur  
But don't forget about when I first met you  
Well, I can see a pain too deep to kiss away  
You thought that I would be another let down  
So here I am, proving to you that I am here to stay  
This summer's taking me to California  
But I won't go until you know that what I say is true  
When everything you've ever loved has left you  
I'll be there, yeah, I'll be there for you  
I don't wanna leave you lonely  
I just wanna be right here  
Even if you don't believe me  
I will try to make it clear  
This summer's taking me to California  
But I won't go until you know that what I say is true  
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