

# Summer of 69

## Bryan Adams

I got my first real six-string  
Bought it at the five-and-dime  
Played it till my fingers bled  
It was the summer of '69  
Me and some guys from school  
Had a band and we tried real hard  
Jimmy quit and Jody got married  
I should've known we'd never get far  
Oh when I look back now  
That summer seemed to last forever  
And if I had the choice  
Ya I'd always want to be there  
Those were the best days of my life  
Ain't no use in complainin'  
When you got a job to do  
Spent my evening's down at the drive-in  
And that's when I met you  
Standin' on your mama's porch  
You told me that you'd wait forever  
Oh and when you held my hand  
I knew that it was now or never  
Those were the best days of my life  
Back in the summer of '69  
Man we were killin' time  
We were young and restless  
We needed to unwind  
I guess nothin' can last forever, forever, no  
And now the times are changin'  
Look at everything that's come and gone  
Sometimes when I play that old six-string  
I think about ya wonder what went wrong  
Standin' on your mama's porch  
You told me it would last forever  
Oh the way you held my hand  
I knew that it was now or never  
Those were the best days of my life  
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