Brian's Song (The Hands of Time)
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D DM7 G A7
If the hands of time

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Were hands that I could hold,

D DM7 Bm Bm7
I'd keep them warm and in my hands

C GM7 Em7 A7
They'd not turn cold.

D DM7 G A7
Hand in hand we'd choose

D DM7 Bm6
The moments that should last,

F#m F#m7 Bm Bm7
The lovely moments that should have

E7sus E A
No future and no past.

Bridge:

Am7 A
The summer from the top of a swing,

Am7 Em7
The comfort in the sound of a lullaby,

C E+7
The innocence of leaves in the spring,

Em7 A6 G Em7 A7
But most of all the moment when love first touched me.

D DM7 G A7
All the happy days

D DM7 Am7 D7
Would never learn to fly

GM7 D Bm7
Until the hands of time would choose

Em7 A7 D
To wave "Good-bye."