

This Is All I Ask  
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Intro Verse:

G7 C Edim Dm7 G7  
As I approach the prime of my life,

Dm7 G7 Cdim C  
I find I have the time of my life

C/B F Fdim  
Learning to enjoy at my leisure

Em B7 Edim  
All the simple pleasures,

F G C E7  
And so I hap - pi - ly concede

A7 Cm7-5 A7 Dm7 Dm7-5 G7  
This is all I ask,

Dm7 G7 Fdim C Edim Dm7  
This is all I need.

G7 Am7 G/B C Am Edim Gdim  
Beau - ti - ful girls, walk a little slower

Dm7 Fdim G7 C  
When you walk by me;

G7 Am7 G/B C7  
Lin - ger - ing sunsets,

Dm Am Dm6 B7 CM7 Am7 B7  
Stay a little longer with the lone - ly sea.

Cdim B7 Em B+ Em7  
Children everywhere, when you shoot at bad men,

Em6 A7 Em7 A7  
Shoot at me

Am7 Am7-5 D7 Am7 D7  
Take me to that strange, enchanted land

Dm7 Am7 Em7-5 G7+  
Grown-ups seldom un - ders - tand.

G7 Am7 G/B C Am Edim Gdim  
Wan - der - ing rainbows, leave a bit of color

Dm7 Fdim G7 C  
For my heart to own;

G7 Am7 G/B C7 Dm Gdim Dm  
Stars in the sky, make my wish come true

B7 C Cdim Am  
Before the night has flown,

Asus4 Am FM7 E7-9 B7 Em C9 Am7 Edim

And let the music play as long as there's a song to sing,

A7 Dm7 Dm7-5 G7 Fdim C  
And I will stay younger than Spring.