

**When Will My Life Begin Tangled**  
**Alan Menken**

VERSE

**Bmaj**. w/an open **E**                      **Emaj** w/an **F#**  
Seven A.M., the usual morning line-up

**Bmaj**. w/an open **E**                      **Emaj** w/an **F#**  
Start on the chores, and sweep til the floor s all clean

**C**                                              **G**  
Polish and wax, do laundry and mop and shine up

**Bmaj7**  
Sweep again

**E**  
And by then

**B**  
It s, like, seven-fifteen

CHORUS

**E**                                      **A**  
And so I ll read a book

**E**  
Or maybe two or three

**E**                                      **A**  
I ll add a few new paintings

**E**  
To my gallery

**C#m**                                      **A**  
I ll play guitar and knit and cook

**Bmaj 7**      **E**  
And basic ly

**C#m**                      **A**              **Bmaj7**              **E**  
Just wonder, when will my life begin?

VERSE

Then, after lunch, it s puzzles, and darts and baking...  
Papier-machÃ©, a bit of ballet, and chess...  
Pottery and ventriloquy, candle-making...  
Then I ll stretch

Maybe sketch  
Take a climb  
Sew a dress  
And I ll re-read the books  
If I have time to spare  
I ll paint the wall some more  
I m sure there s room somewhere  
And then I ll brush, and brush  
And brush, and brush my hair  
Stuck in the same place I ve always been  
And I ll keep won dring  
And won dring  
And won dring  
And won dring  
When will my life begin?  
Tomorrow night...  
The lights will appear  
Just like they do on my birthday each year  
What is it like  
Out there where they glow?  
Now that I m older  
Mother might just let me go...