

**I Was  
Darren Criss**

Hi guys! This is my first tab, and I wrote it for piano, so my apologies if it s  
weird on a different instrument. Ratings and critiques are much appreciated.  
Rise  
up, fellow Starkids!

**Ab Eb/G Db**  
There was a time when life had meaning

**Dbm**  
Not so long ago

**Ab Eb/G Db**  
I knew the lines, it was easy being

**Dbm Ebsus4 Eb**  
The star of the show

**Fm**  
There was a time

**Fm/Eb**  
When things were fine

**Db C7 Fm**  
I could make wine from water

**E Gb**  
There was a time when I was happy

**Db Ebsus4 Eb Ab**  
When I was Harry Potter

**Ab Eb/G Db**  
There was a time when I was hopeful

**Dbm**  
When I was good inside

**Ab Eb/G Db**  
Everyone said that I was evil

**Dbm Ebsus4 Eb**  
Maybe they were right

**Fm**  
I changed my name

**Fm/Eb**  
I went insane

**Db C7 Fm**  
I ve never felt so little

**E Gb**  
I was a fool to think they could love me

**Db (C#) Ebsus4 Eb Ab (D# G#)**  
When I was Thomas Riddle

**E**  
I ve fallen  
**E+**  
From up high  
**Dbm/E** **Am**  
The world has said goodbye  
**E**  
I m not an angel  
**E+**  
Not the answer  
**Dbm/E** **Am**  
I m just going nowhere faster

E                      B/Eb          A  
There was a time I was a hero

Am                      E  
But that hero s gone

E                      B/Eb          A  
Looking back I can hardly see him

Am                      E  
Everyone s moved on

**E**  
Cast me aside  
**E+**  
Throw me away  
**Dbm/E**  
Go on, forget  
**E7**  
Yesterday  
**A**                      **Am**                      **E**      **E7**      **A**  
And I ll try forgetting too

**Bm** **A** **E**  
But I wish it was just like it was before  
**Bm** **A** **E**  
I wish it was just like it was before

**F#**  
Now I've fallen  
**F#+**  
From up high  
**Ebm/F#** **Bm**  
The world has said goodbye  
**F#**  
I'm not an angel  
**F#+**  
Not the answer  
**Ebm/F#** **Bm**  
How did life become disaster?

**Db Db7**  
I m just going nowhere faster

**Ebm**  
There was a time before

**F#**  
I was adored

**B Bb7 Ebm**  
By every son and daughter

**D E**  
There was a time when I was happy

**B Bm F# F#+ F#**  
When I was Harry Potter

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