

**There Was A Time**  
**Guns N' Roses**

**Em**

Broken glass and cigarettes,

**D**

Writing on the wall,

**A**

It was a bargain for the summer,

**G**

And I thought I had it all.

**Em**

I was the one who gave you everything,

**D**

The one who took the fall,

**A**

You were the one who would do anything,

**G**

The one who can't recall.

**Em**

Where she was while she was sleeping,

**D**

In another woman's bed,

**A**

Or the doctors or the lawyers,

**G**

Or a stranger that she met.

**Em**

If there's nothing I can gain from this,

**D**

Or anything at all,

**A**

It'd be the knowledge that ya gave me,

**G**

When I thought I'd heard it all.

**Bm**

It was a long time for you,

**Em**

It was a long time for me,

**A**

It'd be a long time for anyone,

**G**

But looks like it's meant to be.

**Em**

Social class and registers,

**D**

Cocaine in the hall,

**A**

All the way from California,

**G**

On the way to your next call

**Em**

To those non-negotiations,

**D**

To simulate a call

**A**

All the bad of learning evils and

**G**

Your ways around the laws

**Em**

That keep you locked up sitting pretty,

**D**

On a pedestal up there

**A**

And now you're sleeping like an angel,

**G**

To any man who'd fit in

**Em**

If there's something I can make of this,

**D**

Or anything at all,

**A**

It'd be the devil hates a loser and

**G**

You thought you had it all.

**Bm**

It was a long time for you,

**Em**

It was a long time for me,

**A**

It'd be a long time for anyone,

**G**

But looks like it's meant to be.

**Em**

**D**

If I could go back in time to the place

**B**

In my soul, there all alone,

**Em**

Lonely tear drops,

**D Bm**

Ooh, are calling you.

**D**

**E**

But I don't wanna know it now,

**Bm**

**D**

**Em**

Cause knowing you it won't it change a damn thing.

**A**

**G**

But there was a time.

(Solo)

**D** **Em**  
Yeah, there was a time,  
**D**  
Didn t wanna know it all,  
**D**  
Didn t wanna know it all and  
**A** **G**  
I don t wanna know it now,

**D** **Em**  
Yeah, there was a time,  
**D**  
Didn t wanna know it all,  
**D**  
Didn t wanna know it all and  
**A** **G**  
I don t wanna know it now,

(Solo)

**Em** **D**  
Oh, I would do anything for you,  
**Em**  
There was a time,  
**Em** **D**  
I would do anything for you,  
**Em** **D**  
Oh, I would do anything for you,  
**Em**  
There was a time.

(Solo)

**Em**  
There was a time,  
**Em** **D**  
I would do anything for you,

**D** **Em**  
Yeah, there was a time,

**D**  
Didn t wanna know it all,

**D**  
Didn t wanna know it all,

**A** **G**  
I don t wanna know it now,

**D**

Didn t wanna know it all,

**D**

**Em**

I don t wanna know it now