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FLORIDAYS

By Jimmy Buffett

Note: This is a pretty accurate translation on my part although I m not so sure about the A minors. The chords are on the top of the lyrics.

(Intro)
G# C# G# C#
G# C# G# C#

G# Bbm Eb

I come from where the rivers meet the sea

G#

Bbm

El

That s part of why I m so wild and fancy free NC ${\bf Bbm}\dots // {\bf C\#}$

I was early into crazy ways,

// **Eb**

my folks said it s just a phase

G# C# G# C#

They were hoping for better days

Now in my line of work I seem to see a lot more than most Write em down and pass em around its the gospel from the coast Reflections not just replays

Taking time to escape the maze

G# C# Eb C# G#

Lookin for better days

Spent a year of my life one night on the beaches in ole Beirut Seems like all their aimin for there is to hang around and shoot Each others lives away Bloody winds on a distant bay F# C# F# C# Lookin to the left, lookin to the right Bbm Looking to the stars to shed some light C# F# Hopin for a breath, hopin for a break F# Bbm Eb Hopin for the give without the take

The dreamers line the state road just to watch the runway show Slouched behind their steering wheels they just watch the big jets go

Streakin through the morning haze Focal point of a distant gaze

G# C# G# C#

Lookin for better days

INSTRUMENTAL

F#	C#	F#	C#	
F#	Bbm	C#		
F#	C#	F#	C#	
F#	Bbm	C#		Eb

Pale invaders and tanned crusaders are worshipping the sun On the corner of walk and don t walk somewhere on U.S. 1 I m back to live in Floridays
Blue skies and ultra violet rays

G#

Lookin for better days

Bbm // C#

I m back to live in Floridays

// **Eb**

Blue skies and ultra violet rays

G# C# C#

Lookin for better days, lookin for better days

G# C# C#

Lookin for better days, lookin for Floridays

pause....

Bbm G# C#
Bet - ter days,
Bbm G# C#
bet - ter days (everybody s lookin for)

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Bbm G# C#

Bet - ter days (somewhere beneath the shining star)

Bbm G# C#

Bet - ter days (take me won t you take me to)

Bbm G# C#

Bet - ter days (sure could use a few)

Bbm G# C#

Bet - ter days
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