

Real Life

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If you re not familiar with the song, you may have to arrange the chords exactly where they re played since there are a couple spots where the words get kinda tricky. Otherwise, enjoy!

Intro: **G D/F# C**

G

I still see the kid in me

D/F#

Building castles by the sea

C

G

And skipping rocks across those ocean waves

G

Still building buoy rafts

D/F#

And sailing on the Kachemak

C

G

And running wild across Alaskan plains

Bm

C

G/D

D

And all my yesterdays don t seem so long ago now

Bm

C

And all those early years

G/D

D

will always seem like home somehow

G

D/F#

And it was real life, and it was real good

C

It was a place I took for granted

G/D

D

cause I just never understood

G

D/F#

And there was real pain, there were real tears

C

But the way my Mama loved me

G/D

D

somehow carried all those years

G D/F# C

G

D/F#

C

It was real life, Oh it was real life

G

I still see the kid in jeans

D/F#

But now he s standing next to me

C G

Never thought that I d have boys to raise

G

I don t have it figured out

D/F#

It still feels like playing house

C G

And it s something I am learning everyday

Bm C G/D D

And all of my todays seem like they re rushing by so fast

Bm C G/D D

And every time I look around I pray that it will last

G D/F#

And it s real life, and it s real good

C

And sometimes I take it all for granted

G/D D

even though I never should

G D/F#

And there is real pain, and there are real tears

C

But the way my baby loves me

G/D D

somehow carries all these years

G D/F#

And this is real life

Interlude: **Bm C G D (2x) C**

G

When I m old and turning grey

D/F#

And my boys have moved away

C G

When it s time for me to say goodbye

G

I hope I leave a legacy

D/F#

I hope that God is proud of me

C G

I hope that I leave something good behind

Bm C G/D D

And all my yesterdays are flashing right before my eyes

Bm C G/D D

And I m standing in God s presence when I finally realize

G D/F#

This is real life, this is real good

C G/D D

It s a place I took for granted cause I just never understood

G D/F#

And there ll be no pain, and there ll be no tears

C G/D D

Cause the way my Father loves me is the reason I am here

G D/F# C G D/F# C

This is real life, oh this is real life

G D/F# C

Oh this is real life