Buffy The Vampire Slayer - I Wish I Could Stay Misc Soundtrack GILES F F#dim G D Am You re not ready for the world outside. F#dim G F D Am You keep pretending but you just can t hide. F C Am Bbsus2 I know I said that I d be standing by your side Am G But I... F#dim G D F Am You re path s unbeaten and it s all uphill F#dim G D F Am And you can meet it but you never will. C F Am Bbsus2 And I m the reason that you re standing still. Am G But I... F G I wish I could say the right words Em F To lead you through this land. Am G/B Wish I could play the father C F And take you by the hand. D# Bbsus2 Wish I could stay here **G# G#m**) D# But now I understand... Cm(sus) F I m standing in the way. F F#dim G D Am The cries around you, you don t hear at all. D F F#dim G Am Cause you know I m here to take that call. F C Am Bbsus2 So you just lie there when you should be standing tall. Am G But I... G F

I wish I could lay your arms down
Em F
And let you rest at last.
Am G/B

Wish I could slay your demons С F But now that time has passed. D# Bbsus2 Wish I could stay here, G# (G#m) D# Your stalwart standing fast. **Cm**(sus) F But I m standing in the way. Cm(sus) F I m just standing in the way.

TARA (funny chording, try open picking, very light arrangement)

 ${\tt Bm/D/A}$

Bm Dmaj7 D A(sus2)
I m under your spell.
Em
God, how can this be?
C
Playing with my memory.

Bm Dmaj7 D A(sus2)
You know I ve been through hell.
Em
Willow, don t you see?
C
There ll be nothing left of me.
B
You made me
GILES and TARA

F#C#mG#mBG:Believe me, I don twant to go,T:Believe.....T:Believe...F#C#mG#mG:And it ll grieve mecause I love you so.T:And it ll grieve mecause I love you so.C#mG#mG:But we both know...I love you so.T:But we both know...

F# G#

G: Wish I could say the right words
T: Wish I could trust that it was
Fm F#
G: To lead you through this land. Wish I could
T: just this once but I must do what I
Bbm G#
G: play the father

T: must. I can t adjust to this
 C# F#
G: And take you by the hand.
T: disgust We re done and I just

C#m B A G: Wish I could staaaay here. T: Wish I could staaaay here. C#m B A G: Wish I could staaaay here. T: Wish I could staaaay here. G: Wish I could staaaay here. T: Wish I could staaaay here. E G: Wish I could staaaay. T: Wish I could staaaay.