

April Skies

The Jesus and Mary Chain

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by the Jesus and Mary Chain, from the album Darklands
tuning: all strings 1/2 step down (**Eb Ab Db Gb Bb Eb**)
chords and lyrics transcribed by John Spencer

(This is an old favourite -- always amazes me what
they do with just three chords. I find they mostly
strum the bass portions of chords, then sometimes
play the entire chord -- see what works for you.)

E **EEE A**
Hey honey whatcha trying to say
AAA B
As I stand here don t you walk away
A **E**
And the world comes tumbling down
EEE A
Hand in hand in a violent life
AAA B
Making love on the edge of a knife
A **E**
And the world comes tumbling down
A
And it s hard for me to say
E
And it s hard for me to stay
A
I m going down to be by myself
E
I m going back for the good of my health
B
And there s one thing I couldn t do
A
Sacrifice myself to you
E

Sacrifice

(solo)

E A E A B A E

E

Hey baby I just can't see

A

Just what you mean to me

E

I take my hand and I fake my words

A

I'm just your long-time curse

B

A

And if you walk away I can't take it

E

But that's the way that you are

A

And that's the things that you say

E

And now you've gone too far

A

With all things you say

B

Get back to where you come from

A

I can't help it

E

Under the April skies

A

Under the April sky

E

Under the April sun

A

Under the April sky

E

ooh-ooh-ooh

A

ooh-ooh-ooh

E

ooh-ooh-ooh

A

ooh-ooh-ooh

E

Under the April sun

A

Under the April sun

E

Under the April sky

A

Under the April sun

E A

Under the April sky

E

Sun grows cold, sky gets black

A

And you broke me up and now you won't come back

E

Shaking hand, life is dead

A

And a broken heart and a screaming head

E

Hey hey

A

Under the April skies

E

Under the April sun

A B A

Under the April sky

E

Under the April sky

chords:

	most of the time	sometimes
E	0221xx	022100
A	x0222x	x02220
B	x2444x	x24442

...all feedback welcome.
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