

**You Can Never Hold Back Spring**  
**Tom Waits**

(intro) **D A A/Bb D/F#**

**D A A/Bb Bm G**

You can never hold back spring

**D A**

You can be sure I will never

**Bm G**

Stop believing

**G D D7**

The blushing rose they will climb

**G D**

Spring ahead or fall behind

**G**

Winter dreams the same dream

**Em**

Every time

**D A A/Bb D/F#**

Baby you can never hold back spring

**Am7 D7 G**

Even though you've lost your way

**Em**

**F#**

The world is dreaming dream of spring

**Bm F#m**

So close your eyes

**Bm F#m**

Open your heart

**G**

**A**

To one who's dreaming of you

**D A A/Bb Bm G**

Baby You can never hold back spring

**D**

**A**

Remember everything that spring

**Bm**

Can bring

**D A A/Bb Bm G**

Baby you can never hold back spring

**D**

**A A/Bb**

**D/F#**

Baby you can never hold back spring