

Damn I Wish I Was Your Lover

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That old dog has chained you up, all right **A D/G**
Give you everything you need to live inside a twisted cage **A D/G**
Sleep beside an empty rage **A D/G**

I had a dream I was your hero
D A/C#
Damn, I wish I was your lover
Bm
I'd rock you 'til the daylight comes

Made sure you are smiling and warm
D F#m7
I am everything, tonight, I'll be your mother
Bm
I'll do such things to ease your pain

Free your mind, and you won't feel ashamed
A D/G
Oh...
A D/G
Open up coming inside

Gonna fill you up, gonna make you cry

A D/G

A D/G
This monkey can't stand to see you black and blue
A D/G
I give you something sweet each time you come inside my jungle book
A D/G
What is it just too good?

Don't say you'll stay, 'cause then you go away

D A/C#
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Bm
I'd rock you 'til the daylight comes

Made sure you are smiling and warm
D F#m7
I am everything, tonight, I'll be your mother
Bm
I'll do such things to ease your pain

Free your mind, and you won't feel ashamed
D A/C#
Shucks, for me there is no other
Bm
You're the only shoe that fits

I can't imagine I'll grow out of it
D F#m7
Damn, I wish I was your lover (yeah)

A **G**
 If I was your girl, believe me
D
 I'd turn on the Rolling Stones
C **D**
 We could groove along and feel much better
G **D**
 Let me in
C **D**
 I could do it forever and ever and ever and ever
A **D**
 Give me an hour to kiss you
D
 Walk through Heaven's door I'm sure
C **D**
 Don't need no doctor to feel much better
A **D**
 Let me in, oh
C **D** **C** **D** **C** **A**
 (I wanna live) Forever and ever and ever and ever

A **D/G**
A **D/G**
 I sat on a mountainside with peace of mind
A **D/G**
 And I lay by the ocean making love to her with visions clear
A **D/G**
 Walked for days with no one near
D
 And I return as chained and bound to you

A/C#
 Damn, I wish I was your lover
Bm
 I'd rock you 'til the daylight comes

 Made sure you are smiling and warm
D **F#m7**
 I am everything, tonight, I'll be your mother
Bm
 I'll do such things to ease your pain

 Free your mind, and you won't feel ashamed
D **A/C#**
 Shucks, for me there is no other
Bm
 You're the only shoe that fits

 I can't imagine I'll grow out of it
D **F#m7**
 Damn, I wish I was your lover
Bm
 I wanna open up, I'm gonna come inside

 I wanna fill you up, I wanna make you cry
D **A/C#**
 Damn, I wish I was your lover
Bm
 Gettin' on a subway, and I'm comin' uptown
D **A/C#**
 Damn, I wish I was your lover
Bm
 Standing on the street corner, waiting for my life to change

D **A/C#**

Damn, I wish I was your lover

Bm

And I'm feelin' like a school boy, too shy and too young, oh

D **F#m7**

Damn, I wish I was your lover

Bm

Tryna open up, I wanna come inside

Gunna fill you up, I'm gunna make you cry

D **A/C#**

Damn, I wish I was your lover

Bm

I'm gettin' on my camel, and I'll ride it uptown, oo

D **A/C#**

Damn, I wish I was your lover

Bm

Standing on a street corner, waiting for my life to change