

Wish You Were Here

(written by Jimmy Webb, sung by Glen Campbell)

Intro: [F/C] [Bbadd9] [F/C] [Bbadd9]

Verse 1:

Dear [F/C] friend of mine, the [Bbadd9] weather's fine
To [F/C]-day I saw some ruins of the [Bbadd9] Roman world's decline
And I [F/C] climbed old Spanish steps, you've [Bbadd9] heard so much about
But [C] Rome has lost its glory, I don't [Gm] know what [F] it's a-[Bb]bout [Bbsus4]

Chorus:

I [Bb] wish you were he[F]-re
When the shadows fall and the [Bbsus4] rushing traffic stills
I [Bb] wish you were he[F]-re
And the bells are ringing [Bbsus4] on the seven hills [Bb]
I [F/C] make my way to a [C] small cafe
I [Gm] wonder [F] what you [Bb] did today [Bbsus4]
I [Bb] wish you were he[F]-re [F]

Verse 2:

Dear [F/C] one at home, I [Bbadd9] just flew in from Rome
And [F/C] Paris is a postcard all [Bbadd9] decked out in colour chrome
So I [F/C] climbed the Eiffel Tower and I [Bbadd9] prayed at Notre Dame
But I [C] just can't find the romance and I [Gm] wonder [F] why I [Bb] came [Bbsus4]

Chorus:

I [Bb] wish you were he[F]-re
On the Champs-Élysées, [Bbsus4] lovers walking hand in hand
I [Bb] wish you were he[F]-re
They take one look at me and they [Bbsus4] seem to understand [Bb]
This [F/C] city of light is a [C] lovely sight
The [Gm] first bright [F] star I [Bb] see tonight [Bbsus4]
I [Bb] wish you were he[F]-re

Bridge:

[Am] Now I write this on the [F/C] plane
[Am] And I'm drinking cheap cham[F/C]-pagne
[Gm] And wonderin' how two [Bb] people got so far a[C]-part [C]

Chorus:

I wish you were he[F]-re
Here in London where the rain is [Bbsus4] pouring down
I [Bb] wish you were he[F]-re
On this airplane headed [Bbsus4] back to L.A. town [Bb]
I'll [F] never leave you a[C]-lone again
I'm [Gm] coming [F] home, but [Bb] until then [Bbsus4]
I [Bb] wish you were he[F]-re (I wish you were he[Bb]-re)
I wish you were he[F]-re (I wish you were he[Bb]-re)
I wish you were he[F]-re (I wish you were he[Bb]-re)
I wish you were here [Bb] [Am] [Gm] [F]

