G D 4x AGEmA2x AGEmAx2 G D G D G When the rain came I thought you d leave I recall the night we knelt and prayed cause I knew how much you loved the sun Noticing, your face was thin and pale I found it hard to hide my tears But you chose to stay, stay and keep me warm Through the darkest nights I ve ever known I felt ashamed, I felt I d let you down If the mandolin wind couldn t change a thing No mandolin wind couldn t change a thing Em A Then I know I love ya Couldn t change a thing no, no G D AG Em A D G G Em La dadada la da la dadada La dadada la dada Oh, the snow fell without a break Buffalo died in the frozen fields you know A G Em A Through the coldest winter in almost fourteen years The coldest winter in almost fourteen years I couldn t believe you kept a smile Could never, never change your mind, yeh Now I can rest assured knowing that we ve seen the worst Em A And I know I love ya And I love ya G D Yes indeed and I love ya And I love ya Oh, I never was good with romantic words Lordy I love ya So the next few lines come really hard Don t have much but what I ve got is yours And I love ya Except of course my steel guitar Darlin I love ya. . . Ha, cause I know you don t play But I II teach you one day Em A

Because I love ya