

Vienna - Billy Joel // 1977 // key: Bb

1. **Gm** **Bb** **F** **Ab**  
 Slow down you crazy child, you're so ambitious for a juvenile  
**Eb** **Bb** **C** **D<sup>9sus4</sup> - D**  
 But then if you're so smart tell me why are you still so afraid, mm-hmm

**Gm** **Bb** **F** **Ab**  
 Where's the fire, what's the hurry about, you better cool it off before you burn it out  
**Eb** **Bb** **Am** **D<sup>9sus4</sup> - D**  
 You got so much to do and only so many hours in a day, hey heyyy hey

**Eb** **F** **Bb** - **Bb/A** **Gm** - **G/F**  
*Chorus:* But you know that when the truth is told that you can get what you want or you can just get old,  
**Eb** **Am<sup>7</sup> - D<sup>7</sup>** **Gm<sup>7</sup>** **C<sup>7</sup>**  
 You're gonna kick off before you even get halfway through, ooh ooh  
**Gb<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **Bb** **Bb**  
 When will you realize Vienna waits for you

2. **Gm** **Bb** **F** **Ab**  
 Slow down you're doing fine, you can't be everything you want to be before your time  
**Eb** **Bb** **C** **D<sup>9sus4</sup> - D**  
 Although it's so romantic on the borderline tonight, tonight

**Gm** **Bb** **F** **Ab**  
 Too bad but it's the life you lead, you're so ahead of yourself that you forgot what you need  
**Eb** **Bb** **Am** **D<sup>9sus4</sup> - D**  
 Though you can see when you're wrong, you know you can't always see when you're right, you're ri - ight

**Eb** **F** **Bb** - **Bb/A** **Gm** - **G/F**  
*Chorus:* You got your passion, you got your pride, but don't you know that only fools are satisfied  
**Eb** **Am<sup>7</sup> - D<sup>7</sup>** **Gm<sup>7</sup>** **C<sup>7</sup>**  
 Dream on, but don't imagine they'll all come true, ooh ooh  
**Gb<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **Bb** **Bb**  
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*Solo:* | **Gm** | **Bb** | **F** | **Ab** |  
 | **Eb** | **Bb** | **Am** | **D<sup>9sus4</sup> - D** |

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*Chorus:* Slow down you crazy child, and take the phone off the hook and disappear for a while  
**Eb** **Am<sup>7</sup> - D<sup>7</sup>** **Gm<sup>7</sup>** **C<sup>7</sup>**  
 It's alright, you can afford to lose a day or two, ooh ooh  
**Gb<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **Bb** **Bb**  
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**Gb<sup>7</sup>** **F<sup>7</sup>** **Bb** **G<sup>7</sup>**  
 Why don't you realize Vienna waits for you  
**Gb<sup>7</sup>\*** **F<sup>7</sup>** **Bb**  
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