

**Fireflies**  
Owl City  
**Bb-Eb-Ab-- x4**



**Verse 1:**

**Bb Eb Ab**  
You would not believe your eyes If ten million fireflies  
**Bb Eb Ab**  
lit up the world as I fell asleep  
**Bb Eb Ab**  
Cause they'd fill the open air and leave teardrops everywhere  
**Bb Eb Ab**  
you'd think me rude but I'd just stand and stare

**Chorus1**

**Ab Eb/G Bbsus Ab Eb Gm Ab**  
I'd like to make myself believe that planet Earth turns slow-ly  
**Ab Eb Ab Bb Cm**  
Its hard to say that I'd rather stay awake when I'm asleep  
**Ab Eb/G F (Ab)**  
Cause everything is never as it seems

**Verse 2:**

Cause I'd get a thousand hugs from ten thousand lightning bugs  
as they tried to teach me how to dance  
A foxtrot above my head a sockhop beneath my bed  
a disco ball is just hanging by a thread

**Chorus2**

**Ab Eb/G Bbsus Ab Eb Gm Ab**  
I'd like to make myself believe that planet Earth turns slow-ly  
**Ab Eb Ab Bb Cm**  
Its hard to say that I'd rather stay awake when I'm asleep  
**Ab Eb/G Bbsus (Cm) Ab**  
Cause everything is never as it seems, when I fall asleep

Bridge (ish)

**Bb**                      **Eb**                      **Ab**  
leave my door open just a crack (DON'T take me away from here)  
**Bb**                      **Eb**                      **Ab**  
Cause I feel like such an insomniac (DON'T take me away from here)  
**Bb**                      **Eb**                      **Ab**  
why do I tire of counting sheep (DON'T take me away from here)  
**Bb**                      **Eb**                      **Ab**  
when I'm far too tired to fall asleep

Verse 4:

To ten million fireflies I'm weird cause I hate goodbyes  
I got misty eyes as they said farewell  
But I'll know where several are, if my dreams get real bizarre  
cause I saved a few and I keep them in a jar

Chorus

Chorus with alternate lyric end:

....Because my dreams are bursting at the seams