

# Fireflies Owl City

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From: Richard G's Ukulele Songbook [www.scorpexuke.com](http://www.scorpexuke.com)

Intro: [G] [C] [F] [G] [C] [F] [G] [C] [F] [G] [C] [F]

[G] You would not be [C] lieve your eyes [F] if ten million fireflies  
[G] Lit up the [C] world as I fell a [F] sleep  
[G] 'Cause they'd fill the [C] open air [F] and leave teardrops everywhere  
You'd [G] think me rude but [C] I would just stand and [F] stare

**Chorus 1:** [F] I'd like to [C] make myself be [Gsus4] lieve  
That planet [F] Earth [C] turns [Em7] slow [F] ly  
It's [F] hard to say that I'd [C] rather stay a [F] wake when [G] I'm a [Am] sleep  
'Cause [F] everything is [C] never as it [D] seems

[G] 'Cause I'd get a [C] thousand hugs [F] from ten thousand lightning bugs  
[G] As they tried to [C] teach me how to [F] dance  
[G] A foxtrot a [C] bove my head [F] a sock hop beneath my bed  
A [G] disco ball is just [C] hanging by a [F] thread

**Chorus 2:** [F] I'd like to [C] make myself be [Gsus4] lieve  
That planet [F] Earth [C] turns [Em7] slow [F] ly  
It's [F] hard to say that I'd [C] rather stay a [F] wake when [G] I'm a [Am] sleep  
'Cause [F] everything is [C] never as it [G] seems when I fall a [F] sleep.....

[G] Leave my door [C] open just a [F] crack (please take me away from [G] here)  
'Cause I feel like [C] such an insomnia [F] ac (please take me away from [G] here)  
Why do I [C] tire of counting [F] sheep (please take me away from [G] here)  
When I'm far too [C] tired to fall a [F] sleep

[G] To ten million [C] fireflies [F] I'm weird 'cause I hate goodbyes  
[G] I got misty [C] eyes as they said fare [F] well  
[G] But I'll know where [C] several are [F] if my dreams get real bizarre  
'Cause I [G] saved a few and I [C] keep them in a [F] jar

**Repeat Chorus 1** ....when I fall a [F] sleep

**Repeat Chorus 2**

[F] I'd like to [C] make myself be [Gsus4] lieve  
That planet [F] Earth [C] turns [Em7] slow [F] ly  
It's [F] hard to say that I'd [C] rather stay a [F] wake when [G] I'm a [Am] sleep  
Be [F] cause my dreams are [C] bursting at the [G] seams.....

