

# The Shins - Spanway Hits As Flake Music

Tom: **E**

Here's the chords you need:

B: x24442 or 799877 (whichever suits you)  
 G#: 466444  
 F#: 244322  
 E: 022100  
 A: x02220 or 577655 (again, whichever you prefer)

Riff 1

"4b5b4" means bend note at 4th fret. Alternatively play  
 "4h5p4" (quick hammer on and off)

Verse

**B** **Abm** **Gb**  
 Use a pen to reflect  
**E**  
 what you've got left to protect  
**Abm** **Gb** **E**  
 on the old dusty shelves

in your childhood room  
**B** **Abm** **Gb**  
 you've got a lot to go on:  
**E**  
 posters of Simon LeBon  
**Abm** **Gb** **E**  
 all might help you decide

In case you ever try

**B** **Abm** **Gb**  
 They just want you to come by  
**E**  
 The florist in foam  
**Abm** **Gb** **E**  
 A rigid folk's home in time that I might cry

**Gb** **E** **B**  
 Cut all these ties you'll see

**A**

How far apart we are

(riff 1)  
 No two of us sees or acts alike

Repeat verse chords now: **B Abm Gb E Abm Gb E E** (x2)  
 Another guitar plays about with **B** string playing open, 4th and 5th frets

Repeat verse chords for second verse

Wasting time and pretend  
 You've got the words to defend  
 well every bias you've learned while being human  
 Remember that we all knew  
 Riding big wheels was cool  
 We'd give it all to be that dumb again

**E** **Gb** **E** **B**  
 These are all bonds and ties  
**A**  
 In spite of what they are

(riff 1)  
 No two of us tells or thinks the same

**B Abm Gb E Abm Gb E E** (x2)

**Gb** **E** **B**  
 Cut all these ties you'll see  
**A**  
 How far apart we are  
 then comes in guitar 1:

and guitar 2 plays chord **A**

**Gb** **E** **B**  
 Those are our bonds and ties  
**A**  
 In spite of what they are  
 (riff 1) **B**

## Acordes

