**Before I Go**

**Strumming:**
(u=up d=down d=hard strummed _=no strumming)
D DDUDUDDDU

**Intro:**
D, G D
G, D Em, A

D, G D
i've been sleeping for some hours
G, D Em, A
just woke up and you were there
D, G D
like the morning, like the flowers
G, D Em, A
sunlight whispering in my ears

D, G D
red tail hawk shooting down the canyon
G, D Em, A
put me on that wind he rides
D, G D
i will be your true companion
G, D A, D
when we reach the other side

**CHORUS:**
G F#m
i will try, i will stumble
Em A
but i will fly, he told me so
D, G D
proud and high or low and humble
D, A G, D
many miles before i go
D, A G, D
many miles before i go

can't decide which way to travel
on the ground or in the sky
all my schemes have come unraveled
all that's left is you and i

**CHORUS**
here i go

-Mandolin Solo-

ghosts on the trees, there's ghosts on the wires
asking questions and showing signs
shivering with truth, they're lighting fires
lighting fires all down the line

and i will try, and i will stumble
but i will fly, he told me so
proud and high or low and humble
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