

Fair-weather Friend

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Moderately ♩ = 100

D5

Gtr. 2

mf
clean w/ delay & reverb

T
A
B

Gtr. 1 (acoustic, doubled)

mf

T
A
B

A

mf

T
A
B

P.M.-----|

T
A
B

Verse

B \flat C/A G D5 Gtr. 2 tacet

I washed my hands in ho - ly wa - ter

let ring-----|

Rhy. Fig. 1

T
A
B

F C D5

but I still seem to bleed. I sent my mon -

Gtr. 1

TAB

F C D5 G

-ey to your tem - ple but I still feel your greed. But

End Rhy. Fig. 1

Gtr. 3*

TAB

* Gtr. 3: (doubled) w/ dist. & chorus, played *f*

Chorus

A Bb/A A G A Bb/A A G A Bb/A A G

now I see what it means to be all a lone with

Riff A

Gtr. 4 (doubled)

f

w/ dist. & chorus

TAB

Gtr. 3 Riff A1

TAB

Gtr. 1 Rhy. Fig. 2

TAB

Gtr. 2 tacet
N.C.

I lift my eyes and beg for mercy

Gtr. 3

TAB: 7 0 0 10 0 0 9 0 0 10 0 0 9 0 5 0 7 0 0 9 0 0 10 0 0 9 0 0 7 0 5 0 7 0 0 3 0 3 0

F C D5 N.C.

but I'm too blind to see all the things

Gtr. 4

TAB: X X 19 17 19 17 19 (19) 15 0 0 14 0 0 12 0 0 14 0 0 12 0 9 0 10 0 0 12

P.M.-4

Gtr. 3

TAB: 1 5 3 2 5 5 7 5 7 5 5 6 5 5 7 5 7 (7) 12 0 0 10 0 0 9 0 0 10 0 0 9 0 5 0 7 0 0 9

Gtr. 1

TAB: 1 3 3 0 2 3 0 3 0 3 3 3 X 3 3 2 2 2 X 2 0 0 0 X 0 0 0 3 12 0 0 10 0 0 9 0 0 10 0 0 9 0 5 0 7 0 0 9

F C D5

you hold against me and what might set me free

Gtr. 3

TAB: 0 0 14 0 0 12 0 0 10 0 9 0 10 0 0 7 0 8 8 8 8 7 10/10 9 12/14 12 14 (14) 3

Gtr. 1

TAB: 0 0 10 0 0 9 0 0 7 0 5 0 7 0 0 3 0 3 3 0 1 5 3 2 5 5 7 5 7 (7) 5

Bridge

Gm/A D/A Gm/A D/A Dm/A A

Sick and tired_ I watched you__ drift a - way, leav - ing me__ a - lone__

Strings

Gtr. 3

Gtr. 4

T				
A	15	14	12	14
B	17	16	14	16

Gtr. 1

T	8	8	X	7	7	X	X	7	7	X	X	7	7	X	X	8	8	X	7	7	X	X	7	7	X	X	6	6	X	5	5	X	X	5	5	X	X	5	5	X	X	
A	7	7	X	7	7	X	X	7	7	X	X	7	7	X	X	7	7	X	7	7	X	X	7	7	X	X	7	7	X	6	6	X	X	6	6	X	X	6	6	X	X	
B	0	0	X	0	7	X	X	0	7	X	X	0	7	X	X	0	8	X	0	7	X	X	0	7	X	X	0	7	X	0	7	X	X	7	X	X	7	X	X	7	X	X

Dm/A A Gsus4/A G/A Gsus4/A G/A

in-side this__ tomb__ of__ self - de - struc - tion__ and

T							
A	12	14	14	12	12	12	12
B	12	11	12	12	10	12	9

T	6	6	X	X	5	5	X	X	5	5	X	X	5	5	X	X	3	3	X	X	3	3	X	X	3	3	X	X	3	3	X	X	3	3	X	X	3	3	X	X	
A	7	7	X	X	6	6	X	X	6	6	X	X	6	6	X	X	5	5	X	X	4	4	X	X	4	4	X	X	4	4	X	X	4	4	X	X	4	4	X	X	
B	0	0	X	X	0	7	X	X	0	7	X	X	0	7	X	X	0	5	5	X	X	0	5	5	X	X	0	5	5	X	X	0	5	5	X	X	0	5	5	X	X

Dm/A A Bb/A C C/A

men - tal in - se - cur i - ty.

Gr. 3

Gr. 4

Verse

Gr. 1: w/ Rhy. Fig. 1

Gtrs. 3 & 4 tacet

D5 F C D5 D5

I sink down low to find the answers but they still e lude me. I look up high

Gr. 3 *15ma-----|

Gr. 2

Gr. 4 P.H.*

P.M.-----|

* applies to Gr. 3 only

Chorus

Gr. 1: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2

Gtrs. 3 & 4: w/ Riffs A & A1

F C D5

and wish for clo - sure, the si - lence deaf - ens me. But now I see

Gr. 2

Gr. 2 tacet

A Bb/A A G A Bb/A A G Dmadd9/F Bb6/D C/D A A7 Dm11/A A7 N.C.

what it means to be all a - lone with just a fair - wea - ther friend.

Guitar solo

D5

Gr. 5 (acoustic)

Musical notation for Gr. 5 (acoustic) guitar solo, measures 1-4. The staff shows a melodic line with various ornaments and bends. The tablature below indicates fret numbers and techniques like bends (3/5, 5/7) and muted notes (X).

Gr. 1

Musical notation for Gr. 1 guitar solo, measures 1-4. The staff shows a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tablature below shows fret numbers and techniques like bends (3/5, 5/7) and muted notes (X).

A

Gr. 5 tacet

Musical notation for Gr. 6 guitar solo, measures 5-8. The staff shows a melodic line with triplets and bends. The tablature below indicates fret numbers and techniques like bends (3/5, 5/7) and muted notes (X).

w/ dist. & delay P.M. P.M. P.M.†

Musical notation for Gr. 1 guitar solo, measures 5-8. The staff shows a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tablature below shows fret numbers and techniques like bends (3/5, 5/7) and muted notes (X).

Bb

C/A

Dm

C

Musical notation for Gr. 6 guitar solo, measures 9-12. The staff shows a melodic line with triplets and bends. The tablature below indicates fret numbers and techniques like bends (3/5, 5/7) and muted notes (X).

P.M.-----|

P.H.

Musical notation for Gr. 1 guitar solo, measures 9-12. The staff shows a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tablature below shows fret numbers and techniques like bends (3/5, 5/7) and muted notes (X).

Gr. 1 tacet

Gr. 6 tacet

Gr. 6 Dm

D7b9

Dm

Musical notation for Gr. 6 guitar solo, measures 13-15. The staff shows a melodic line with triplets and bends. The tablature below indicates fret numbers and techniques like bends (3/5, 5/7) and muted notes (X).

Gr. 3

Musical notation for Gr. 3 guitar solo, measures 13-15. The staff shows a melodic line with triplets and bends. The tablature below indicates fret numbers and techniques like bends (3/5, 5/7) and muted notes (X).

Gr. 3 tacet

Bbmaj7 G7 Dm D7b9

Gr. 3

Gr. 4

P.M.-----|

T
A
B

T
A
B

Dm A7b9

T
A
B

T
A
B

Gtrs. 3 & 4 tacet

Gm6 A7sus4 A7 Dmadd9/A A7 Dm11/A E5

Gr. 6

Gr. 7 w/ dist., delay & chorus

T
A
B

T
A
B

Gr. 3

Gr. 4

T
A
B

T
A
B

Gr. 1

T
A
B

T
A
B

Gtrs. 6 & 7 tacet

Verse

Fsus2 Gsus2 Bbsus2 Csus2 N.C.

D5

On sleep-less nights my mind will wan - der

Gtrs. 3 & 5

Gtr. 1

Gtrs. 3 & 5 tacet

Fsus2

C

D5

to thoughts of you and me. What was lost

Gtr. 1

Fsus2

C

D5

Cadd9 D5

F5 G5

I can't re - co - ver, 'twas all ill - u - so - ry. But

Gtr. 6

Gtr. 7

Gtrs. 1, 3 & 4

Chorus

Gtr. 1: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2

Gtrs. 3 & 4: w/ Riffs A & A1 (1st five meas.)

A Bb/A A G A Bb/A A G

now I see what it means to be

Gtr. 6

Gtr. 7

Gtr. 5

T 22 24

A B 5 X X 5 X X 5 6 5 3 5 6 4 5 7 8 5 8 7 X X 7 X X 7 8 7 5 7 8 6 7 9 10 8 11

A Bb/A A G Dmadd9/F Bb6/D C/D A

all a lone with just a fair weather friend.

Gtr. 6

Gtr. 7

T (22) (21) 22 21 (22) (22) (21)

Gtr. 5

let ring

T 10 X X 10 X X 10 11 10 8 10 10 10 10

A B 5 7 7 6 0 6 7 7 5 0 7 5 10 10 7 X X 8 5 X X

Gtrs. 6 & 7 tacet
D5

A7 Dm11/A A7 N.C.

Gtrs. 6 & 7

Gtr. 1

T 19 18 17 20 17 20 20 (20)

A B 3 0 0

Gtr. 3

Gtr. 4

P.M.

T 13 10 13 10 12 10 12 10 12 10 12 10

A B 12 11 14 5 14 5 7 12 10 12 10 12 10 12

Gtr. 5

T 7 7 5 7 0 3 5 0 3 5 5 3 0 5 3 0 5

A B 5 X X 5 X 7 5 X X 5 0 3 5 0 3 5 5 3 0 5