



"UNDER THE BRIDGE" Red Hot Chili Peppers

As heard on *Blood Sugar Sex Magik* (WARNER BROS.)

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Chord diagrams for the following chords:

- D: 4312
- F#: 1342 (or T)
- E: 1444 (7fr)
- B: 3421 (7fr)
- C#m: 3411 (9fr)
- G#m: 3411 (4fr)
- A: 34211 (5fr)
- Emaj7: 1324 (7fr)
- F#m: 13421 (9fr)
- B^x: 1243 (9fr)
- Emaj7#11: 13241 (6fr)
- A: 3421 (5fr)
- Am: 3411 (5fr)
- G6: 3421 (5fr)
- Fmaj7#4: 342
- Fmaj7: 3421
- Fmaj7^x: 13334 (8fr)
- E7: 13334 (7fr)
- G: 1333(4) (10fr)
- A¹¹: 111

A Intro (0:00) Moderately Slow ♩ = 90

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Tr. 1 (clean elec. w/compression)
fingerstyle (tuck pick into palm of hand)
let ring

Tr. 2 plays Fill 1 (see below)

1 let ring

3 let ring

5 let ring

7 let ring

Chords: D, F#, E, B, C#m, G#m, A, Emaj7, F#m, B^x, Emaj7#11, A, Am, G6, Fmaj7#4, Fmaj7, Fmaj7^x, E7, G, A¹¹

B 1st Verse (0:28)

Sometimes I feel like I don't have a partner
Sometimes I feel like my only friend is the

Chords: E, B, C#m, G#m, A, E, B, C#m, A

9 w/pick

Fill 1 (0:00)
Gtr. 2 (clean elec. w/compression)

D F# (play 4 times)

Fill 2 (3:57)
Gtr. 2

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city I live in the City of Angels Lonely as I am together we cry

E B C#m G#m A

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Emaj7

Gtrs. 1 and 2

13

Gtr. 1

*slight trem. bar vibrato

C 2nd Verse (0:57)

drive on her streets 'cause she she's my companion
sees my good deeds and she kisses me windy

E B C#m G#m A

A let ring

19

Gtr. 1

1. walk through her hills 'cause she knows who I am She
E B C#m A

A let ring

21

2. I never worry now that is a lie
E B C#m A

Emaj7

Gtrs. 1 and 2

let ring

let ring

23

*slight trem. bar vibrato

D Pre-chorus (1:26, 2:29)

I don't ever want to feel like I did that day Take me to the place I love
I don't ever want to feel like I did that day But take me to the place I love

F#m E

BIX

F#m

E

27

Gtr. 1

*Don't play muted strums 1st time.

Bass

Substitute Bass Fill 1 on 2nd Pre-chorus (see last page)

(2nd time on 2nd Pre-chorus) skip ahead to **G** Interlude

Take me all the way
Take me all the way

B^{ix} F#m E yeah B C#m yeah yeah A

let ring

E 3rd Verse (2:00)

It's hard to believe that there's

E B C#m A E/G# B

let ring

nobody out there It's hard to believe that I'm all alone At

C#m G#m A E B C#m A

let ring

least I have her love The city she loves me

E B C#m A

let ring

Lonely as I am together we cry

go back to **D** Pre-chorus

E B C#m A Emaj7#11

Gtrs. 1 and 2

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G Interlude (2:51)

Yeah yeah Oh no no no

A Am G6 Fmaj7#4 Fmaj7 A Am

45 (w/chorus effect)

let ring

9 7 10 (10) 7 5 7 5 7 5 3 (3) 5 7 5 (5) 7 5 0 9 7 10 0 9 7 0

yeah yeah Love me I say yeah yeah

G6 Fmaj7#4 Fmaj7 A Am G6 Fmaj7#4 Fmaj7

48

let ring

5 7 5 3 5 7 7 5 7 0 9 7 10 (10) 7 5 7 5 7 5 3 (3) 5 7 5 (5) 7 5

One time

Fmaj7^x E7 G

51 12 10 10 8 10 9 9 7 10 (14) 12 12 10 8

*High F# is fretted but barely audible.

1 1 1 0 0 3 3 3

H 3rd Chorus (3:13)

(1.) Under the bridge downtown

is where I drew some blood Under the bridge downtown

(2.) Yeah yeah (Away) Oh no no no no

A Am G6 Fmaj7#4 Gtrs. 1 and 2 A Am

53

let ring

9 7 10 (10) 7 5 7 5 7 5 3 (3) 5 7 5 (5) 7 5 0 9 7 10 0 0 (0) 9 7 0

I could not get enough Under the bridge downtown Forgot about my love

yeah yeah (Away) Oh no I say yeah yeah (Away)

G6 Fmaj7 Gtrs. 1 and 2 A Am G6 Fmaj7 Gtrs. 1 and 2

56

let ring

5 7 5 3 5 7 5 7 5 7 0 9 7 10 (10) 7 5 7 5 7 5 3 (3) 5 7 5 (5) 7 5

I **Outro** (3:57)

Under the bridge downtown
Here I stay
I gave my life away

59

A Am G6 Fmaj7 A Am

Gtrs. 1 and 2

Gtr. 2 plays Fill 2 (see first page)

62

G6 Fmaj7#4 Fmaj7 A Am

64

G6 Fmaj7#4 Fmaj7 A Am

66

G6 Fmaj7#4 Fmaj7 A Am G6 Fmaj7#4 Fmaj7 A#

Bass Fill 1 (2:29)

F#m E B F#m E B F#m

E B F#m E B F#m