

THE HOLLOW

As recorded by A Perfect Circle

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Words and Billy

A Intro

Slowly ♩ = 52

C#5

B5

F#5

E5

F#5 C#5

B5

1

Gtr I *mf*

T		9	9	9	9	9	12	12		12	12	12	12	12	12	12		7	9	9	9	9	9
A		x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x
B		6	6	6	6	6	9	9		9	9	9	9	9	9	9		4	6	6	6	6	6

dist. tone w/delay

sl.

sl.

Gtr II *mf*

T																								
A																								
B		11	x	11	11	9	9	9	(9)		x	x	4	4	x	x	2	2	0		4	11	11	9

dist. tone

sl.

sl.

p

sl.

sl.

sl.

E5

B5

C#5

B5

F#5

5

T	9	9	9	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	9	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	14	12	5
A	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
B	6	6	6	2	2	2	6	6	6	6	6	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	11	11	9	2

sl.

sl.

sl.

sl.

sl.

T																								
A																								
B	x	x	2	2	x	x	9	9	9	11	x	11	11	9	9	9	(9)	x	x	4	4	4	0	0

sl.

sl.

sl.

p

B 1st Verse

This musical score is for the song "The Sound of Silence" by Simon & Garfunkel. It features three guitar parts: Gtr I, Gtr II, and Gtr III. The score is written in the key of D major (indicated by two sharps) and 4/4 time. The tempo is marked as "moderate".

Gtr I: This part is played on a standard guitar. It begins with a C#5 chord, followed by a B5 chord, and then an E5 chord. The melody is composed of eighth and quarter notes, with a final C#5 chord. The dynamics are marked as *mf* (mezzo-forte).

Gtr II: This part is played on a standard guitar. It begins with a C#5 chord, followed by a B5 chord, and then an E5 chord. The melody is composed of eighth and quarter notes, with a final C#5 chord. The dynamics are marked as *mf* (mezzo-forte).

Gtr III: This part is played on a standard guitar. It begins with a C#5 chord, followed by a B5 chord, and then an E5 chord. The melody is composed of eighth and quarter notes, with a final C#5 chord. The dynamics are marked as *mf* (mezzo-forte).

Chords: The chords are C#5, B5, and E5. The key signature is D major (two sharps).

Tempo: moderate

Dynamics: *mf* (mezzo-forte)

Instrumentation: Gtr I, Gtr II, Gtr III

* Chord symbols reflect implied harmony

14

T 6 5 7 7 5 4
A 6
B 4 4 4

T 6 5 7 7 5 4
A 6
B 4 4 4

T 6 5 7 7 5 4
A 6
B 4 4 4

17

Gtr I

T
A
B

T 16 19 19 16
A 16
B 16

C Chorus

B5

A5

G#5

E5

17

T 6 5 7 7 5 4
A 6
B 4 4 4

T 16 19 19 16
A 16
B 16

T 16 19 16
A 16 17 16
B 16 18 18 18

18

sl.

19

sl.

Gtr II

T
A
B

T 16 19 19 16
A 16
B 16

T 16 19 16
A 16 17 16
B 16 18 18 18

T 16 18 (10)
A 16
B 16

20

F#5 A5 G#5 E5 B5 E5 A5 G#5

Gtr I

T

A 11 13 13 13 11 11 11 14 14 16 16 14 13 11 11 13 11 11

B

sl.

Gtr II

T

A 4 7 7 6 6 6 2 2 2 x x 9 9 2 7 5 7 7 6 6 6 6

B 2 5 5 4 4 4 0 0 0 x x 7 7 0 0 5 5 5 4 4 4 4

sl.

sl.

23

E5 F#5 A5 G#5 B5

Gtr I

T

A 11 14 14 16 16 16 16 18 11 11 11 13 13 13 11 11 11 13 13 13 13 13

B

sl.

sl.

sl.

Gtr II

T

A 2 7 7 2 4 7 7 6 6 6 6 6 9 9 9 9

B 0 0 0 0 2 5 5 4 4 4 4 4 7 7 7 7

sl.

sl.

sl.

E Interlude
* E F#

C#5 B5 E5 F#5

32

T
A
B

9 11 13 9 12 14 12 9 13 11 9 11 13 9 12 14 12 9 13 11

T
A
B

4 11 11 9 9 9 (9) x x 2 2 x x 9 9 2
2 9 9 7 7 7 (7) x x 0 0 x x 7 7 0
sl. sl. sl.

* Chord symbols implied by bass (next 8 bars)

E B F# E

35

T
A
B

7 7
x x
4 4

mp

T
A
B

(2)
(0)

(2)
(0)

F# E B

38

T
A
B

7 7 7 7 7 7 9 9 9 9 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14
x
4 4 4 4 4 4 6 6 6 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11

sl. sl. sl.

[F] Bridge

F# E C#sus2 Bsus2 F#sus2 E5

41

f

sl. *sl.* *sl.*

Gtr II *f*

[G] Interlude

C#sus2 Bsus2 F#sus2 E5 C#5 D#5

44

Gtr IV *mp*

Gtrs I, II

P.M.-----|

[illegible]

50

C#5 D#5 E5 A5 C#5 D#5

T 7 7 7 7 7 9 9 9 9 9 5 | 5 5 5 5 5 7 4 4 4 | 6

A x x x x x x x x x x | x x x x x 1 1 1 | x

B 4 4 4 4 4 6 6 6 6 6 2 | 2 2 2 2 2 4 1 1 1 | 4

sl.

P.M.-----| P.M.-----|

T

A 6 6 6 6 6 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 | 9 9 9 9 9 2 2 2 2 | 6 6 6 6 6 6 8 8 8 8 8 8

B 4 4 4 4 4 4 6 6 6 6 6 6 | 7 7 7 7 7 6 6 6 6 | 4 4 4 4 4 4 6 6 6 6 6 6

H Chorus

53

E5 A5 G#5 E5

Gtr I

T
A
B

9 9 9 9 9
7 7 7 7 7

16 19 16 16 17 16 16 18 19 19 18 18 18 18 19 16 18 (18)

sl. sl.

Gtr II

T
A
B

9 9 9 9 9
7 7 7 7 7

7 7 7 6 6 6 6 2 7 7 2

5 5 5 4 4 4 4 0

sl. sl.

56

F#5 A5 G#5 E5 B5 E5 A5 G#5

Gtr I

T
A
B

11 13 13 13 11 11 11 14 14 16 16 14 13 11 11 13 11 11

sl.

Gtr II

T
A
B

4 7 7 7 6 6 6 2 2 2 x x 9 9 2 7 5 7 5 7 6 6 6 6

2 5 5 4 4 4 0 0 0 x x 7 7 0 5 5 5 4 4 4 4

sl. sl.

59

E5 F#5 A5 G#5 B5

1.

T
A
B

11 14 14 16 16 16 16 18 11 11 11 13 13 13 11 11 11 13 13 13 13 13

sl. sl. sl.

T
A
B

2 7 7 2 4 7 7 7 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 9 9 9 9

sl. sl. sl.

62

2. F#5 A5 G#5 B5

T
A
B

11 13 13 13 11 11 11 13 13 13 13 (19) (19)

sl.

T
A
B

4 7 7 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 9 9 9 9 (9) (9)

sl.