

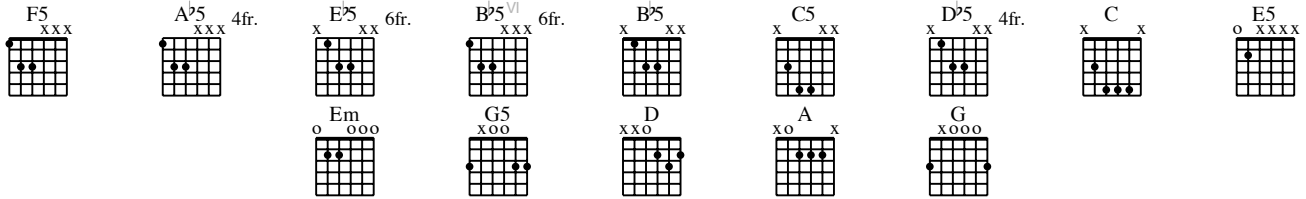
BOULEVARD OF BROKEN DREAMS

As recorded by Green Day

(from the 2004 Album "American Idiot")

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Music by Green Day



All Guitars Standard Tuning (low to high: E A D G B E); Guitar 3 Capo At First Fret

A Intro

Moderately Slow ♩ = 82

Chord progression for the Intro: F5, A♭5, E♭5, B♭5^{VI}, F5, A♭5, E♭5, B♭5^{VI}.

Gtr I *f*

T	A	B
3 3 6 6 8	3 3 6 6 8	3 3 6 6 8
1 1 4 4 6	1 1 4 4 6	1 1 4 4 6

Gtr II *ff*

T	A	B
3	3	3
1	1	1

[illegible]

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Fm A^b5 E^b B^b/1 Fm A^b5 E^b B^b/1

T
A
B

sl. sl. P sl.

T
A
B

T
A
B

C Chorus

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Fm A⁵ E^b B^{b7}/1 C5 D⁵ A⁵ E⁵ F5 D⁵

sl. *sl.* *H.* *sl.*

(tremolo effect off)

Gtrs I, II **ff**

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A⁵ E⁵ F5 D⁵ A⁵ E⁵

Gtrs I, II

[illegible]

D

D.S. al Coda

The musical score consists of two systems. The first system features a treble clef staff with a key signature of one flat and a common time signature. Above the staff are chord symbols: Fm, A^b5, E^b, B^{b7}/B^{b5}, Fm, A^b5, E^b, and B^{b7}. Below the staff is a tablature for Gtr III with strings T, A, and B. The second system also has a treble clef staff with a key signature of one flat and a common time signature. It includes the instruction '(w/tremolo effect)' below the staff and 'Gtr I' with a forte (*f*) dynamic marking below it. Below the staff is a tablature for Gtr I with strings T, A, and B.

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Fm A⁵ E⁷ B⁹/1 Fm A⁵ E⁷ B⁹/1 C5

Gtr III

T 0 0 3 3 2 2 0 0 3 3 2 2 0 0 3 3 2 2

A 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

B 0 0 0 3 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

(w/tremolo effect)

Gtr I *f*

T 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8

A 3 3 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6

B 3 3 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6

1 1 4 4 6 6 6 6 1 1 4 4 6 6 6 6 1 1 4 4

Gtrs I, II *f*

T 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8

A 3 3 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6

B 3 3 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6

1 1 4 4 6 6 6 6 1 1 4 4 6 6 6 6 1 1 4 4

E Interlude

D⁹5 A⁵ E⁵ F5 D⁹5

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Gtr VI *ff*

T 12 13 13 13 13 13 17 17 15 15 15 15 12 12 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13

A X

B 17 0 10 11 11 11 11 11 15 15 13 13 13 13 10 10 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11

sl. sl.

Gtrs I, II

T 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 6 6

A 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 0 6

B 4 4 4 4 0 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 0 4

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T	10	10	10	10	12	13	13	13	13	13	13	17	15	15	15	15	15	12	12	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
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	x	x	x	x
B	8	8	8	8	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	15	13	13	13	13	13	10	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11

sl. *sl.*

T	6	6	6	6	0	6	6	6	6	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
A	6	6	6	6	0	6	6	6	6	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
B	4	4	4	4	0	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6

sl. *sl.*

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T	10	10	10	12	13	13	13	13	13	17	17	15	15	15	15	15	12	12	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
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	x	x	x
B	8	8	8	10	11	11	11	11	11	15	15	13	13	13	13	13	10	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11

sl. *sl.*

T	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
A	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
B	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

sl.

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D⁵ A⁵ C⁵

T
A
B

10	10	10	10	12	13	13	13	13	13	17	15	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
8	8	8	8	10	11	11	11	11	11	15	13	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15

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T  
A  
B

|   |   |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|--|--|---|---|--|--|---|---|--|--|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 6 |  |  | 6 | 6 |  |  | 6 | 6 |  |  | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 4 | 4 |  |  | 4 | 4 |  |  | 4 | 4 |  |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |

sl.

## F 3rd Verse

G<sup>5</sup> G D A Em G D A

(chord names in measures 40-43 are relative to capo)

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Gtr III

T  
A  
B

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|
| 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 |   |   |   | 3 | 3 |   |   | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |   |   |   |   |  |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |

Gtrs I, II

f

T  
A  
B

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |
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## G Final Chorus

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D<sup>b</sup>5 A<sup>b</sup>5 E<sup>b</sup>5 Fm D<sup>b</sup>5 A<sup>b</sup>5 E<sup>b</sup>5 F5

Gtrs I, II

|   |                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| T | 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 8 8 8 3 3 3 0 6   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 8 8 8 3 3 3 3 x   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A | 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 8 8 8 3 3 3 0 6   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 8 8 8 3 3 3 3 x   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| B | 4 4 4 4 0 4 4 4 4 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 6 6 6 x 3 3 3 0 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 4 4 4 0 4 4 4 4 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 6 6 6 x 3 3 3 3 x |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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D<sup>b</sup>5 A<sup>b</sup>5 E<sup>b</sup>5 F5 D<sup>b</sup>5 A<sup>b</sup>5

Gtr VI

|   |                                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                                        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| T | 12 13 13 13 13 13 17 17 15 15      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 15 15 12 12 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10 10 10 10 12 13 13 13 13 13 17 15 15 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 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 x x x x x x                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| B | 17 0 10 11 11 11 11 11 15 15 13 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 13 13 10 10 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 8 8 8 10 11 11 11 11 11 15 13 13     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

sl. sl.

Gtrs I, II

|   |                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| T | 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 8 8 8 0 3 3 3 3   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A | 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 8 8 8 0 3 3 3 3   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 6 6 6 0 6 6 6 6 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| B | 4 4 4 4 0 4 4 4 4 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 6 6 6 0 1 1 1 1 x |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 4 4 4 0 6 6 6 6 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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C5

|   |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| T | 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A | x x x x x x x x x x                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | x x x x x x x x x x                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| B | 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| T | 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 3 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A | 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 3 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| B | 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

sl. sl.

**H** Outro

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N.C. (F5) (w/wah pedal and phaser) (D5) (E5) (D5) 1.-3. (A5) (E5) 4. A5 E5

Gtr VI *f*

|   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |   |   |
|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|----|----|---|---|
| T | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 13 | 13 | 9 | 9 |
| A | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 10 | 11 | 11 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | x  | x  | x | x |
| B | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 10 | 11 | 11 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 7 |

(w/wah pedal and phaser)

Gtr II *f*

|   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |    |    |   |   |
|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|----|----|---|---|
| T | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 9 | 9 | 13 | 13 | 9 | 9 |
| A | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 10 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 7 | x  | x  | x | x |
| B | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 10 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 7 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 7 |

Gtr I *ff*

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| T |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| A |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| B | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 2 |
|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 0 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 |