

VOICE OF THE VOICELESS

As recorded by Rage Against The Machine

(from the 1999 Album "The Battle of Los Angeles")

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Arranged by Rage Against The Machine

Drop-D tuning:
(low to high) D-A-D-G-B-E

A Intro

Moderately ♩ = 88

G

w/*Whammy Pedal

Gtr I **f** Gtr II **mp** **f** Gtr II **mf** Gtr I

let ring

sl. sl. sl. sl. P sl. sl. sl.

* Set to harmonize One octave higher. Gtr. I represents depressed pedal, Gtr. II represents released pedal

N.C. (D5)

Gtr II Gtr I Gtr II

let ring **ff**

sl. P sl. P sl. P

B Pre-Verse

N.C. (D5)

let ring⁴ let ring⁴ 3x

P P P H P H H P P

N.C. (D5)

C 1st Verse
G

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let ring-1

Gtr I **mf**
let ring-----1

T 3 5 3 5 3 5 3 5 5 3 5 3 0 3 5 3 0 3 5
A 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
B 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
H P H P P P P P P P P P P P P P P

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let ring-----1

let ring-----1

T 5 3 1 3 6 5 3 1 3 5 6 5 3 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0
A 0
B 0
sl. sl. sl. P H P sl. P H P

17

Gtr II **mf** Gtr I

let ring-----1

let ring-----1

T 3 5 3 1 0 0 3 5 3 5 3 1 0 1 3 5 6 3 6 3 8 6 5 3 3 6 5 3 3 1 3 6 5 3 3
A 0
B 0
H P P H P H P P H sl. P P sl. sl. P P

D Chorus
N.C. (D5)

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Gtr II **ff**
let ring-----1

let ring-1

T 1 3 3 5 (0) 5 8 (0) 6 3 5 3 5 5 3 5 3 5 5
A 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
B 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
H H P P H P H P P

E 2nd Verse

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Gtr I **mf** Gtr II **mf** Gtr I

let ring

T 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 3 1 3 5 3 1
A 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
B

P P P P P

26

let ring

T 0 1 5 1 0 6 8 8 x 5 1 0 3 0 3 5 3 1 0 0 0 0 1 3 5 5 3 1 0
A 0
B

H sl. sl. sl. sl. P P sl. H sl. H P P

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Gtr II **mp** Gtr I

let ring

T 0 3 5 6 5 3 0 3 5 6 6 5 3 1 0 0 0 1 3 6 5 3
A 0
B

H P H P sl. P H H P

F Chorus

N.C. (D5)

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Gtr II **ff**

let ring

T 3 5 3 5 3 5 5 3 5 3 5 5 3 5 3 5 5 3 5 3 5 5 3
A 0
B

H P H H P P H P H P

G Outro

G

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Gtr I
let ring

T 3 5 6 5 3 1 3 5 3
A 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
B 5 3 0 3 5 3 0 3 5
P P P P

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let ring

T 5 3 2 5 3 5 3 5 6 5 3 1 0 1 3 2 5 6 5 3 1 0 1 0 1 1 3 5 5 3 5 5 6 5 3 5 3
A 0
B P P P H P P H H H P H H H sl. P P

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let ring

let ring

let ring

T 6 5 3 1 5 3 5 3 5 3 0 3 1 0 6 15 15 6 1 3 5 3 0 6 15 15 6 1 3
A 0
B P P H P P P sl. sl. H P P sl. sl. H

** notes are produced by depressing whammy pedal

Segue to "New Millenium Homes"

Faster ♩ = 98

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let ring

T 5 3 1 3 5 3 2 3
A 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
B P H