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Duran Duran - Ordinary World - L12



Beautiful song from Birmingham band Duran Duran. Lots of chords with open strings ringing and a few tricky chord shapes. Also take note to the strange timing in the pre-chorus section. We have shown a basic strumming guide on some sections, but please feel free to improvise with the rhythm once you have the chords and the timing correct.

Lead section

E|12-12-12-12/11-11-11-11/9-9-9-9/7-7-7-7-| The slide / includes the next note so only pick it 3 times

B|-----|
G|-----|
D|-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|

E|14-14-14-14/12-12-12-12/11-11-11-11/9-9-9-9/*--7-7-7-7----7-7--7-7--| *=second time

B|-----*5-5-5-5-5--5-5--5-5-5| exchange this for the below
G|-----|
D|-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|

E|--7-7-7-7----7-5--5-5--|
B|5-5-5-5-5--5-5--5-5----|
G|-----|
D|-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|

Chords for chorus

4 4 2 2 4 Strums

E|0-2-----0---|
B|0-2--5----0--|
G|4-2--7--6-9--|
D|4-4--7--7-9--|
A|2-4--5--4-7--|
E|---2-----0--|

Chords for chorus continued

4 4 2 2 1 Strums

E|0-2-----0---|

B|0-2--5-----1--|

G|4-2--7--6-0--|

D|4-4--7--7-2--|

A|2-4--5--4-3--|

E|---2-----3--|

Verse chord & bridge

4 3 1 Strums

E|0-0-0--|

B|0-0-0--|

G|6-9-11-| x4

D|6-9-11-|

A|4-7-9--|

E|-----|

Pre chorus

E|0-4-----0---| All strummed for 4

B|0-4--8--0---| Played just once then straight into the chorus.

G|6-4--6--9---|

D|6-6--8--9---|

A|4-6--6--7---|

E|---4-----|