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Staying Alive - The Bee Gees - L18



Funky song from The Bee Gees using a funky 8th rhythm. Try and keep the picking hand moving on the chord sections and use the fretting hand to control when the chords are played. Have fun

Verse

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E|-----|
B|-----|
G|-----|
D|----6-----6-----| x4
A|6h8---6-----6-----6----6-8-----| h=hammer on
E|-----8-6h8---6h8---6-8-----|
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Chord played in 8th's between the main lick.

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E|x-----|
B|6-----|
G|7-----|
D|6-----|
A|x-----|
E|6-----|
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Chorus is mainly an F played in a funky 8th note style

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E|8--8--8--8--8--8--8--8--8--|
B|9--9--9--9--9--9--9--9--9--|
G|10-10-10-10--10-10-10-10--10--| x4
D|10-10-10-10--10-10-10-10--10--|
A|-----|
E|-----|
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Vocal Harmony section at the end of the chorus

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E|8--8--4--3--8|
B|9--8--6--4--9|
G|10--8--6--5--10|
D|10-----5--10|
A|-----8|
E|-----|
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This final section is again played in funky 8ths just using the B & E string. Make sure you dampen all the other strings.

E|8-8-8-8-8-8--8-8-8-8-8-8--8-8|

B|8-8-8-8-8-8--8-8-8-8-8-8--8-8|

G|-----| x4

D|-----|

A|-----|

E|-----|

Back to the start

Homework

We've listened to the live version and have tabbed it in the same key (F), but you could easily transpose it by moving the lick and chords around.