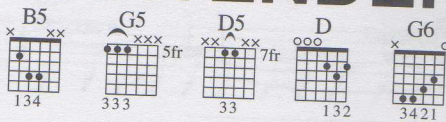


BARTENDER

Lyrics by David J. Matthews
Music by Dave Matthews Band

Gtr. 3: Drop D tuning:
(low to high) D-A-D-G-B-E



Intro

Free time

w/ processed violin ad lib.
Band tacet
D5

Moderately ♩ = 102

Gtr. 1: w/ Rhy. Fig. 1 (8 times)
1st time, band enters
1st & 5th times, Gtr. 2 tacet
4th time, Gtr. 2: w/ Riff A

Gtr. 1
Rhy. Fig. 1
Fade in

Gtr. 2
Play 8 times
End Rhy. Fig. 1
mf

Gtr. 3 (12-str. acous.)
D5
Rhy. Fig. 2
Play 8 times
End Rhy. Fig. 2
mf
let ring throughout

*Violin arr. for gtr.
**Processed violin arr. for gtr.

Verse

1st & 3rd times, Gtr. 1 tacet

D/F# G5 N.C.(D5)

1. If I go
if I die
— this gold be - fore
— should steal be - fore
— should steal

Rhy. Fig. 3 End Rhy. Fig. 3

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 3 (3 times)

D/F# G5 N.C.(D5) D/F# G5

— I'm old,
— my time, oh, oh, broth - er of mine, please
— my soul a - way, oh, sweet sis - ter of mine, please
oh, sweet moth - er of mine, please

N.C.(D5) D/F# G5 N.C.(D5)

— don't for - get me if I go.
— don't re - gret me if I die.
— re - di - rect me if this gold.)

1., 2. Bar -
3. Bar -

Riff A
Gtr. 2

Bridge

B5
Rhy. Fig. 5

Gtr. 3

I'm on bend - ed - knees. I pray.

set him free at - ter three days in the ground, in the ground, in the ground, in the ground,

the Dev - il's tree, his roots deep,

N.C.(D5) G5 D/F#

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 3

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2

Je - sus that - from -

you gave that wine with the me - ing -

glass for me

G5 D/F#

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 3

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 4

Bar - tend - er, please

Bar - tend - er, you see,

fill my the wine that's

2.

N.C.(D5) G5 D/F#

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 4

1.

set him free at - ter three days in the ground, in the ground, in the ground, in the ground,

the Dev - il's tree, his roots deep,

and

2. Oh,

N.C.(D5) G5 D/F#

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 3

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2

Je - sus that - from -

you gave that wine with the me - ing -

glass for me

G5 D/F#

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 3

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 4

End Rhy. Fig. 4

Gtr. 3

Rhy. Fig. 4

Chorus

N.C. D/F# G5

fill my the wine that's

Bar - tend - er, please

Bar - tend - er, you see,

N.C.(D5)

1st time, Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2 (4 times)
2nd time, Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2 (2 times)

To Coda

D5

End Rhy. Fig. 5

Rhy. Fig. 6

End Rhy. Fig. 6

Gtr. 1

"Bar - tend - er, please."

Gtr. 1: w/ Rhy. Fig. 6 (2 times)

When I was young I'd nev - er ___ think a - bout it. Now ___ I can't get it out ___ of my ___ mind.

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 5

B5

G5

I'm on ___ bend - ed ___ knees. ___ Fa - ther, please. _

Gtr. 1: w/ Rhy. Fig. 6 (4 times)

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2 (4 times)

D5

D.S. al Coda
(take 2nd ending)

3. Oh, and if all ___

Coda

Gtr. 1 tacet

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 5

B5

G5

I'm on ___ bend - ed ___ knees. ___ Fa - ther, please. _

Gtr. 1: w/ Rhy. Fig. 6 (4 times)

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2 (4 times)

D5

When I was young I'd nev - er ___ think a - bout it. Now _

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 5

B5

___ I just want to run and die. I'm on ___ bend - ed knees. _

Gtr. 1: w/ Rhy. Fig. 6 (4 times)

Gtr. 3: w/ Rhy. Fig. 2 (4 times)

D5

Oh, ___ bar - tend - er, please. ___

Bar - tend - er, ___ please. ___