

**On The Edge Of A Broken Heart**

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 by Jon Bon Jovi / Richie Sambora / Desmond Child  
 from the Disorderlies - soundtrack  
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Ok, here's a treat for you. A long, hopefully accurate version of OTEOBH. Great song, should've been on Slippery. I transcribed this since it's been asked so many times, and I like the song myself. I finally had the time to figure it out. I got a little help from Steve's chord sheet, so thanks.

Rhythm-wise, you need to listen to the record, since it's impossible to ASCII - code the rhythms... :) The chords are really simple, but the little riffs in between change every so often, so look out for them. The intro and the C-part don't really have guitars, but I'll give you the chords for them, so that you can play them too.  
 Enjoy!

W = Whammy down  
 . = Palm-muted  
 p.h. = Pinch Harmonic

Intro:

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 E5 B5 A5 W W  
 e |-----|  
 B |-----|  
 G |-----4-----2-----|  
 D |-----2-----4-----2-----|  
 A |--2--2--2--2--0-----|  
 E |-0-----|  
 <--- let ring --->

Riff 1:

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 E5 B5 A5 E5 B5 C#5 A5  
 e |-----|  
 B |-----|  
 G |-----4-----2-----4--4/6--2-----|  
 D |--2--4--2-- . . . --2--4--4/6--2-----|  
 A |--2--2--0--0--0-- . . . --2--2--2/4--0-----|  
 E |--0-----4--2--0-----|

Riff 2:

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 A5 B5 <-1.way-> <-2.way->  
 e |-----|  
 B |-----5-4-----|  
 G |-2-2-----4-----9-8-----4-4-----|  
 D |-2-2-----4-----9-9-----|  
 A |-0-0-----0--2-----|  
 E |-----0--2-----|

Riff 3:

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          C#m
e |-----|
B |-----5-4h5p4-----|
G |-----6-----6-6-----|
D |---6---6-----6-6-----|
A |---4-----|
E |-----|
  
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Riff 4:

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          A5          B5
e |-----|
B |-----|
G |---2-----4---9-8-----|
D |---2-----4---9-9-----|
A |---0---0---2---4---2-----|
E |-----|
  
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Riff 5:

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          B5          A5
e |-----|
B |-----|
G |---4---6-----9-9-8---9-9-9-8---scrape\-----|
D |---4---4---4-----9-9-9---9-9-9-9---scrape\-----|
A |---2-----|
E |-----|
  
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Riff 6:

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          C#5          p.h.
e |-----|
B |-----|
G |-----|
D |-----2-2-----|
A |---4---2---4---2---4---2---4---4---|
E |---4-----4-----4-----|
  
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          B5          p.h.
e |-----|
B |-----|
G |-----|
D |-----2-2-----|
A |---2-----2-----2-----2-----|
E |---2---4---2---4---2-4-----|
  
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Solo:

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e |-----|
B |-/12b14-14-14-14-14-14-14-----12b14-12-12b14-14-----|
G |-----11b13-----11b13~---|
D |-----|
A |-----|
E |-----|
  Hold Bend:-----|                H.B:---|

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e |-----9-12-/14-12-14-14b15-14b15-14b15r14--|
B |-----9-12-----|
G |-9h11p9-8-9-11-----|
D |-----|
A |-----|
E |-----|

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slow whammy dive

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e |-14b15-14b15-14b15r14--12-----|
B |-----|
G |-----|
D |-----6b7-6b7-6b7~-----|
A |-----|
E |-----|

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C - part:

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E5 C#5 A5 B5

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e |-----|
B |-----|
G |-----6-----2---4-----|
D |-2---6-----2---4-----|
A |-2---4-----0---2-----|
E |-0-----|

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(J.Bon Jovi / R.Sambora / D. Child)

[Intro x4]  
[Riff 1 x2]

[A]  
And there I stood,  
[B]  
Just like a soldier  
[A]  
I was tough,  
[B]  
Until I saw her  
[A] [B] [C#m]  
I said hello, but she just turned away

Hey Romeo, [Riff 2]  
Whatcha doin'  
With my girl  
Who are you using now,  
I turned and walked away [Riff 3]  
(Turned and walked away)

I'm [Riff 4]  
The one who needs her  
Now, you can believe it  
I'll be there [Riff 3]  
To catch her when she falls [Riff 5]

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Oooo, here I am [Riff 1]  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
I'm a man  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
Here we stand  
(On the edge of a broken heart)

[C#5]  
So run if you can  
[B5]  
'Cause you know I'm a man on the edge [Riff 1]  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
I'm on the edge  
(On the edge of a broken heart) [End with A]

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I'm on the outside, [Riff 2]  
Looking inside  
You're with him,  
Who's on the wrong side now  
Do you still think of me [Riff 3]

I try to call [Riff 2]  
But no one answers  
Two silhouettes,  
A Private dancer

Lights go dim,  
As the music starts to  
Fade away [Riff 3]  
(Turned and walked away)

I'm [Riff 4]  
The one who needs you  
Now, you can believe it  
I'll be there [Riff 3]  
To catch you when you fall [Riff 5]

Ooo you better believe

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I'm the man [Riff 1]  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
Here I am  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
And we stand  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
[C#E]  
So run if you can  
[B5]  
'Cause you know I'm a man on the edge  
(On the edge of a broken heart) [Riff 1]  
I'm on the edge  
(On the edge of a broken heart) [End with A]

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[Riff 6 x2]  
[The guitar solo -> C#5 A E A]

Ooohh, and when I hold out my hands [C - part]  
I'll be reaching for you  
I give it all that I've got, that's all I can do  
When you're waiting for love I'll be waiting for you

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(On the edge of a broken heart) [Riff 1]  
Only for you  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
Oh baby for you  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
So run if you can,  
You know I'm a man on the edge  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
I'm on the edge  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
I'm on the edge  
(On the edge of a broken heart)  
(On the edge of a broken, broken, broken, broken, broken, broken)