

Temptation

By Jon Bon Jovi / ??

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A tip of the hat to Animals' House Of The Rising Sun, this song has that cigar smoke, whisky breath -feel. I like it, but I know many who don't. Guitarwise really simple, there's a tremolo effect on the guitar all the way through. End with a couple of 12th fret harmonics. The "solo" is just noise, so I didn't transcribe it. Enjoy!

Chorus - riff:

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Em Am Em Bm  
e |-----10-----10~-----|  
B |-----10b12r10-----|  
G |9-11b12r11-9-11b12~-----9-11b12r11--9-11b12r11--9-11/14-----|  
D |-----|  
A |-----|  
E |-----|  
  
Em Am Em Em /F# G /B C Em  
e |-----12-----|  
B |-----10-10b12r10-----|  
G |9-11b12r11-9-11b12~-----9-11b12r11--9-11b12r11--9-11/14-----|  
D |-----|  
A |-----|  
E |-----|
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Intro:

Em G x3
Bm
Em G x2
Em /F# G /B C
Em

Verse:

Em G x3
Bm
Em G Am Em
Em G Bm

Chorus:

Em Am Em
Em Bm
Em Am Em
Em /F# G /B C
Em

Bridge:

C G Bm Em
C G B

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[Intro]

You're my missing picture on my mirror [Verse]
I'm running away from home
Sam I'm just a man
A rusty bucket of flesh and bones
Someday I'll seek forgiveness
For the sweet smell of her breath
She touched my hand and asked for a check
I put out my cigarette

Temptation [Chorus]
Temptation, go home Lord
I'm walking straight into the ocean
Tell the tide I'm on my way
Gonna hang my head down tonight on Damocles sword

When the angels hung out in Eden [Verse]
They caught Adam chasing Eve
They said grab your boots, your coat, your hat
My boy, it's time that you leave
She asked me if I liked to play
Cause she knew that I was broke
I cashed my chips out months ago
This smile is just mirrors and smoke

Temptation [Chorus]
Temptation, go home Lord
I'm walking straight into the ocean
Tell the tide I'm on my way
Gonna hang my head down tonight on Damocles sword

Twist my wrist [Bridge]
Tell me I should resist
But the flesh is weak
Here comes the kiss

[Instrumental chorus]

Come on, twist my wrist [Bridge]
Can't go on like this
Ah the flesh, it's weak
Here is comes, here it comes

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Temptation [Chorus]
Temptation, go home Lord
I'm walking straight into the ocean
Tell the tide I'm on my way
Gonna lay my head down tonight on Damocles sword
I'm gonna lay my head down tonight on Damocles sword
And hang my head down tonight on Damocles sword