

DESPERADO

Don Henley and Glenn Frey

INTRO

G G7 C Cm6 G Em Asus2 D

VERSE 1

G Gsus7 C Cm6
DESPERADO, WHY DON'T YOU COME TO YOUR SENSES,
G Em7
YOU'VE BEEN OUT RIDIN' FENCES
A7 D7
FOR SO LONG NOW.
G
OH, YOU'RE A HARD ONE,
Gsus4 C Cm6
BUT I KNOW THAT YOU'VE GOT YOUR REASONS
G/D B7/D# Em7 A7 D7 G
THESE THINGS THAT ARE PLEASIN' YOU CAN HURT YOU SOMEHOW

BRIDGE 1

G D/F# Em7 Bm7
DON'T YOU DRAW THE QUEEN OF DIAMONDS BOY,
C G
SHE'LL BEAT YOU IF SHE'S ABLE,
D/F# Em7 C G
YOU KNOW THE QUEEN OF HEARTS IS ALWAYS YOUR BEST BET
D/F# Em7 Bm C G
NOW IT SEEMS TO ME SOME FINE THINGS HAVE BEEN LAID UPON THE TABLE
Em A7 Am7/D
BUT YOU ONLY WANT THE ONES THE YOU CAN'T GET

VERSE 2

D7 G Dm7/G C G/B
DESPERADO, OH, YOU AIN'T GETTING' NO YOUNGER
Am7 G D/F# Em7
YOUR PAIN AN' YOUR HUNGER
A7 D7
THEY'RE DRIVING ME HOME.
G Dm7/G
AN' FREEDOM, OH, FREEDOM
C G/B
WELL THAT'S JUST SOME PEOPLE TALKIN'
Am7 G B7/F# Em7 A7 D7 G D/F#
YOUR PRISON IS WALKIN' THROUGH THIS WORLD ALL ALONE

BRIDGE 2

Em **Bm7**
DON'T YOUR FEET GET COLD IN THE WINTER TIME?
C **G** **Bm7/F#**
THE SKY WON'T SNOW AN' THE SUN WON'T SHINE
Em7 **C** **G**
IT'S HARD TO TELL THE NIGHT TIME FROM THE DAY
Em7 **Bm7**
YOU'RE LOSIN' ALL YOUR HIGHS AND LOWS,
C **G** **Am7** **Dsus4**
AIN'T IT FUNNY HOW THE FELLIN' GOES AWAY?

VERSE 3

D7 **G**
DESPERADO,
Dm7/A **Bm7** **C** **Cm6**
WHY DON'T YOU COME TO YOUR SENSES,
G **B7/D#** **Em**
COME DOWN FROM YOUR FENCES,
A7 **D7**
OPEN THE GATE.
G
IT MAY BE RAININ'
Dm7/A **Bm7** **C** **Cm6**
BUT THERE'S A RAINBOW ABOVE YOU.
G **B7/F#** **Em**
YOU BETTER LET SOMEBODY LOVE YOU
C **G/B** **Am7**
(LET SOMEBODY LOVE YOU)
G **B7/D#** **Em** **A**
YOU BETTER LET SOMEBODY LOVE YOU,
D7sus4 **G** **G7** **C** **Cm6** **G**
BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE