

# Psycho Killer

Talking Heads  
Talking Heads: 77

Words & Music by Byrne/Frantz/Weymouth

Standard tuning

♩ = 120

S-Gt

TAB

Measures 1-6: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Each measure contains a dotted quarter note on the 4th line (F) and a dotted quarter rest. A '1' is written above the first measure. Below the staff is a six-line guitar tab.

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Measures 7-12: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Each measure contains a dotted quarter note on the 4th line (F) and a dotted quarter rest. A '7' is written above the first measure. Below the staff is a six-line guitar tab.

I can't seem to face up to the facts I'm tense and nervous and I can't relax

13

*ff* *f* *ff* *f ff*

TAB

Measures 13-16: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Each measure contains a dotted quarter note on the 4th line (F) and a dotted quarter rest. Lyrics are written above the staff. Dynamics are indicated below the staff. Below the staff is a six-line guitar tab.

I can't sleep 'cause my bed's on fire Don't touch me I'm a real live wire

17

TAB

Measures 17-20: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Each measure contains a dotted quarter note on the 4th line (F) and a dotted quarter rest. Lyrics are written above the staff. Below the staff is a six-line guitar tab.

Psycho Killer Qu'est-ce que c'est Fa fa fa faa fa fa fa faa far better

21

*f*

TAB

Measures 21-24: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Each measure contains a dotted quarter note on the 4th line (F) and a dotted quarter rest. Lyrics are written above the staff. A dynamic marking *f* is below the staff. Below the staff is a six-line guitar tab.

Run run run run      Run run run a-      -way      Oh oh      oh      Psycho Killer

25

*ff*

TAB

Qu'est-ce que c'est      Fa fa fa faa fa fa      fa fa faa far better      Run run run run

30

*f*      *ff*

TAB

Run run run a-      -way      Oh oh oh      Oh      Yeah yeah      Uuuh

34

*f*

TAB

You start a conversa-      -tion you can't even finish it

40

*f*      *ff*

TAB

You're talkin' a lot but      you're not sayin' anything      When I have nothing to say

45

*f*

TAB

48 my lips are sealed Say something once why say it again? Psycho Killer

TAB 5-5-5-5 3-5-3-5-5 5 3-5-3 1-1-1-0

52 Qu'est-ce que c'est Fa fa fa faa fa fa fa fa faa far better Run run run run

TAB 0-0-2 2-2-0-5-2-0 2-0-5-2-2-0 5-5-5-4

56 Run run run a- -way Oh oh oh Psycho Killer Qu'est-ce que c'est

TAB 4-4-2-4 5 4 1/2 1 2 1-1-1-0 0-0-2

61 Fa fa fa faa fa fa fa faa far better Run run run run Run run run a- -way

TAB 2-2-0-5-2-0 2-0-5-2-2-0 5-5-5-4 (4) 4-4-2-4 5

66 Oh oh oh Oh Yeah yeah Ce que j'ai fais ce soir

TAB 5 5 3 5-5 7-7-7-7-7-7 7-7-7 7-5-7

71 la Ce que j'ai fais ce soir la

TAB 8 7-7-7 7-5-7 8

77 Realisant mon espoir Je me lance vers la gloire okaaay

TAB 2-1-2 2 2-2-2 3-3-3 3-3-3 5

82 Ye-ye-yeah We are vain and we are blind

TAB (5) 5-5-5-5-5-5 5-5-5-5-5-5 5-5-5-5 5-5-5

87 I hate people when they're not polite Psycho Killer Qu'est-ce que c'est

TAB 5-5-5-5-5-5 (5)-5-5-5 1-1-1-0 0-0 2

91 Fa fa fa faa fa fa fa faa far better Run run run run Run run run a-way

TAB 2-2-0-5 2-0 2-0-5 2-2-0 5-5-5-4 4-4-2-4 5

96 Oh oh oh Psycho Killer Qu'est-ce que c'est Fa fa fa faa fa fa

TAB 4-1 2 1-1-1-0 0-0 2 2-2-0-5 2-0

fa fa faa far better      Run run run run      Run run run a-      -way      Oh oh oh

100

*ff*

T  
A  
B

2-0-5-2-2-0      5-5-5-4      (4)-4-4-2-4      5      5-5-3

Oh      Yeah yeah

105

*ff*

$J=120$   $J=125$

T  
A  
B

5-5      7-7-7-7-7-7      5      (5)      0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0

110

$J=125$  *accel.* -----  $J=130$

T  
A  
B

0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0      0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0

112

T  
A  
B

0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0      0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0

114

T  
A  
B

0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0      0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0

116

T  
A  
B

0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0      4x      4x