

# Solid Rock

Dire Straits

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Standard tuning

♩ = 120

E-Gt

Measures 1-3 of the guitar part. The first measure starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The notation includes a treble clef, a 4/4 time signature, and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The guitar tablature below shows fret numbers for the top two strings (T and B).

T	2	2-5	2	(2)	2-5	2	4	2	2	2-5	2	2-5	2					
B	0	0-X		0	2	5	2	4	2	3	4	0	2	5	2	2	5	2

Measures 4-6 of the guitar part. The notation continues with the same key signature and time signature. The guitar tablature shows fret numbers and some slurs.

T	2	5	4	2	2	2	4	2	5	4	2	2	4	2	4	2		
B	0	5	4	2	0	5	4	2	0	3	4	0	5	4	2	2	4	2

Measures 7-9 of the guitar part. Measure 9 features a double bar line and a repeat sign. The guitar tablature includes a complex sequence of notes and a final chord with a 7th fret barre.

T	2	2	2	4	2	5	2	4	2	2	5	7	(7)	7	7	7	
B	0	2	3	4	2	2	2	4	2	0	2	3	4	5	7	7	7

Measures 10-12 of the guitar part. Measure 10 starts with a triplet of eighth notes. Measure 12 features a double bar line and a repeat sign. The guitar tablature includes a 7th fret barre and a final chord.

T	3	5	5	5	(3)	7	7	7	3	3	5		
B	4	5	X	5	5	5	7	7	4	4	X	5	5

Measures 13-15 of the guitar part. Measure 15 features a double bar line and a repeat sign. The guitar tablature includes a 7th fret barre and a final chord.

T	7	7	7	7	3	3	5	5	5	7	0	0	1	0		
B	5	7	7	7	4	4	X	5	5	7	7	0	0	0	0	0

17

TAB

0	3	4	2	2	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	2	2	4	2	0
								3	X			0							

20

TAB

	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	2	2	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
	3	X			0								3				0

23

TAB

2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	5	4	2
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			

26

TAB

2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	4	2	2	2	0	0	0	0
0	0	2	2	2	2	0	0	2	2	2	2	2	0	2	2	2	2	2

29

TAB

2	4	2	5	4	2	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0							0	0	2	2	2	2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

32

TAB

0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
X	X	X	X	X	X	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



51

TAB

0 3 4 2 2 4 2 0 | 3 0 0 0 0 2 0 | 0 4 2 2 4 2 0

54

TAB

3 0 0 0 0 2 0 | 0 4 2 2 4 2 0 | 3 0 0 0 0 2 0

57

TAB

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 | 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 | 0 3 4 2 2 4 2 0

60

TAB

3 0 0 0 0 2 0 | 0 3 4 2 2 4 2 0 | 3 0 0 0 0 2 0

63

TAB

0 3 4 2 2 4 2 0 | 3 0 0 0 0 2 0 | 7 5 7 5 5 5 5 5

full full

66

TAB

5 7 8 7 5 7 5 | 5 5 9 7 9 9 7 | 8 8 8 X X 7 X X

full full full full

69

T  
A  
B

72

T  
A  
B

75

T  
A  
B

78

T  
A  
B

81

T  
A  
B