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Standard tuning

♩ = 120

Intro

♩ = 125

E-Bass

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18 17 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15

18 17 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12

18 17 16 16 16 16 15 15 15 15 15 15

18 17 16 16 16 16 12 12 12 12 12 12

Verse 1

Musical notation for Verse 1, measures 17-20. The top staff shows a bass line with a repeat sign at measure 18. The bottom staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers 12, 16, 18, and 15.

Musical notation for Verse 1, measures 21-24. The top staff shows a bass line. The bottom staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers 15, 16, 12, and 18.

Chorus 1

Musical notation for Chorus 1, measures 25-28. The top staff shows a bass line with a repeat sign at measure 26. The bottom staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers 12, 16, 18, and 12.

Musical notation for Chorus 1, measures 29-33. The top staff shows a bass line. The bottom staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers 12, 14, 15, 16, and 17.

Musical notation for Chorus 1, measures 34-38. The top staff shows a bass line. The bottom staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers 12, 18, 17, 14, and 15.

Break 1

Musical notation for Break 1, measures 39-42. The top staff shows a bass line. The bottom staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers 15, 17, 16, 18, and 15.

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TAB 18 17 18 17 18 17

15-15 15-15-15 16-16-16-16 15-15 15-15-15 15-15

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TAB 18 17 18 17 18 17

15-15-15 16-16-16-16 12-12 18-17 12-12-12 18-17 12-12

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Verse 2

53

TAB 18 17 18 17 18 17

12-12-12 16-16-16-16 15-15 18-17 15-15-15 18-17 15-15

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TAB 18 17 18 17 18 17

15-15-15 16-16-16-16 12-12 18-17 12-12-12 18-17 12-12

Chorus 2

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TAB 18 17 18 17 18 17

12-12-12 16-16-16-16 12-12 18-17 12-12-12 18-17 12-12

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TAB 17 16 17 16 17 16

12-12-12-14-14-14-14 15-15 17-16 15-15-15 17-16 15-15 17-16 15-15-15-17-17-17-17

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18 18 18 17

12-12 12-12-12 12-12 12-12-14-14-14-14 15-15

Break 2

75

17 17 18 18

15-15-15 15-15 15-15-15-17-17-17-17 15-15 15-15-15

please come back
outro (play x-times)

80

18 18 18 18

15-15 15-15-15 16-16-16-16 15-15 15-15-15

please come back all of you

84

18 21 21 21

15-15 15-15-15 16-16-16-16 18-18 18-18-18 18-18

Fade out

89

6x 6x 18 18 18

18-18-18 15-15-15-15 15-15 15-15-15 15-15

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15 15 15 16 16 16 16 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18

21 21 21

20 20 20

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18 18 18 15 15 15 15