

I Won't Back Down

Tom Petty and The Heartbreakers

Greatest Hits

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Standard tuning

♩ = 116

E-Gt

Measures 1-3 of the guitar part. The music is in 4/4 time and starts with a forte (f) dynamic. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 4/4 time signature. The first measure is marked with a '1' above the staff. The guitar part consists of a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes and chords. The tablature below the staff shows the fret numbers for each string.

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9	9	9	9	7	7	7	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
7	7	7	7	5	5	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

Measures 4-6 of the guitar part. The notation continues the rhythmic pattern from the previous section. The tablature shows the fret numbers for each string.

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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	7	7	5	5	5

Measures 7-9 of the guitar part. The notation continues the rhythmic pattern. The tablature shows the fret numbers for each string.

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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	7	7	5	5	5

Measures 10-12 of the guitar part. The notation continues the rhythmic pattern. The tablature shows the fret numbers for each string.

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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	7	7	5	5	5

Measures 13-15 of the guitar part. The notation continues the rhythmic pattern. The tablature shows the fret numbers for each string.

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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	7	7	5	5	5

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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	7	7	7	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	7	7	5	5	5	7	7	7	7	5	5	5

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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	7	7	7	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	7	7	5	5	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

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0	0	0	0	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	0	3	0	(0)	0	0	0	3	3	3	2
0	0	0	0	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	0	3	0	(1)	0	0	0	3	3	3	2
2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(3)	3	3	3	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	4	(4)	4	4	4	3	3	3	0

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(2)	2	2	2	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	2	(2)	2	2	2	2	3	0
(3)	3	3	3	3	3	3	0	1	1	1	1	3	3	2	(3)	3	3	3	3	3	0
(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	2	2	2	0	0	0	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	3
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	4

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(0)	0	0	0	0	3	3	2	(2)	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
(1)	1	1	1	1	3	3	2	(3)	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	7	7	5	5	5
(3)	3	3	3	3	3	3	0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	7	7	5	5	5
(4)	4	4	4	4	3	3	0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	7	7	5	5	5

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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	7	7	7	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	7	7	5	5	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

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(2)	2	2	2	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	2	(2)	2	2	2	2	3	0
(3)	3	3	3	3	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	3	(3)	3	3	3	3	3	0
(2)	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(2)	2	2	2	2	0	0
(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	3	3	0	0	0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	3
					2	2	4	4	4	4	4	2	2							2	4
					3	3						3	3							3	

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(0)	0	0	0	0	3	3	2	(2)	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
(1)	1	1	1	1	0	0	3	(3)	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(2)	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	9	9	9	9	7	7	7
(3)	3	3	3	3	0	0	0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	7	7	5	5	5
(4)	4	4	4	4	2	2												7	7	7	7	5	5	5
					3	3																		3

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																		9	9	9	9	7	7	7
																		9	9	9	9	7	7	7
																		7	7	7	7	5	5	5
																		7	7	7	7	5	5	5
																								(5)
																								(3)