

Holy Wars

... the punishment due

MEGADETH

Rust in peace

Words & Music by Dave Mustaine

Standard tuning

♩ = 168

E-Gt

1

f

TAB

5 6 7 5 6 7 7 6 5 5 4 3 5 3

Detailed description: This system shows the first measure of the guitar part. The treble clef staff contains a whole rest followed by a 7th fret barre. The melody begins with a quarter note on the 5th fret, followed by an eighth note on the 6th fret, and then a series of eighth notes: 7, 5, 6, 7, 7, 6, 5, 5, 4, 3, 5, 3. The dynamic marking *f* is placed below the first note. The guitar tablature below shows the fret numbers for each note: 5, 6, 7, 5, 6, 7, 7, 6, 5, 5, 4, 3, 5, 3.

3

TAB

2 5 6 7 5 6 7 7 6 5 5 4 3 5 3 4 4 5 6 2

Detailed description: This system shows measures 2 and 3. Measure 2 continues the melody from the first system. Measure 3 features a triplet of eighth notes on the 5th, 6th, and 7th frets, followed by a quarter note on the 5th fret. The tablature for measure 3 is 2 5 6 7 5 6 7 7 6 5 5 4 3 5 3 4 4 5 6 2.

6

TAB

7 5 6 7 7 6 5 5 4 3 7 8 9 8 9 10 10 9 8 9 8 7 5 6

Detailed description: This system shows measures 4 and 5. Measure 4 continues the melody. Measure 5 features a triplet of eighth notes on the 7th, 8th, and 9th frets, followed by a quarter note on the 7th fret. The tablature for measure 5 is 7 5 6 7 7 6 5 5 4 3 7 8 9 8 9 10 10 9 8 9 8 7 5 6.

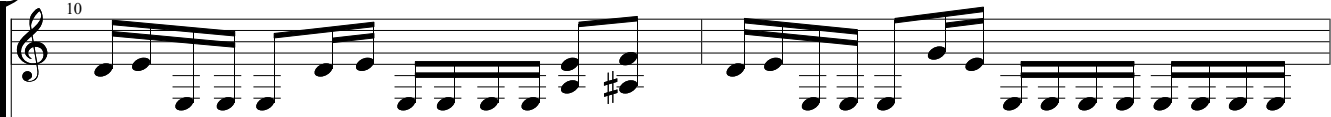
8

TAB

7 5 6 7 7 6 5 5 4 3 0 0 5 7 0 0 0 10 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Detailed description: This system shows measures 6 and 7. Measure 6 continues the melody. Measure 7 features a triplet of eighth notes on the 7th, 8th, and 9th frets, followed by a quarter note on the 7th fret. The tablature for measure 7 is 7 5 6 7 7 6 5 5 4 3 0 0 5 7 0 0 0 10 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.

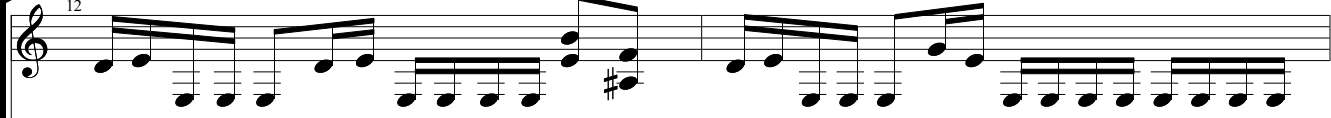
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5-7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 7-8 5-6 | 5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0


12



TAB

5-7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 9-8 7-6 | 5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0

14




1.

TAB

5-7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-2 5-3 | 5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-9-7


16



TAB

(9) (7) 0-0-0-0 8-6 0-0 7-5 0 | 4-2 4-2 4-2 5-3 4-2

19



2.

TAB

5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-7 | (7) 0-0-0-0 1 0-0-5-0

21

T
A
B

5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0 6 | (6) 0-0-0-0-0 5 0-0 4-0

23

T
A
B

5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0 4 | (4) 0-0-0-0-0 3 0-0 2-3

25

T
A
B

5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0 9 | (9) 0-0-0-0-0 8 X-8-7 8

27

T
A
B

5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 9/7

29

T
A
B

5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 9/7

31

T
A
B 5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0-0-7

33

T
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35

T
A
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37

T
A
B 5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0-2 0 1-2 2-3 0 2 0 0 1-2 2-3

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40

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B 0 0 2 1 0 0 2 3 5-7 0-0-0 10-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0

42. | 2.

T
A
B

5-7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 5 3 0 0 0 2/3 1/2 0 0 1/2 5-6

44.

T
A
B

7 0-0-0 9/10 X 8/9 X 5-6 12-0-0-0 6 7-5 5-6

46.

T
A
B

7 0-0-0 7 X 6 X 5-6 7 0-0-0 2 2 0 2/3 4/5

48.

T
A
B

5/6 0 3 4/5 5 0 2/3 3/5 5/6 0 0 6 5 3 5

1-3. | 4.

50.

T
A
B

3 0-0-0 5/6 7/5 5/3 5-6 3 0-0-0 5/6 5 3 5-6

52

TAB

7 5 6 7 7 6 5 5 4 3 5 3 2 0

56

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10 9 9 10 9 0 9 0 0 10 9 0 9 0 0 9 10 12

8 7 0 7 0 0 8 7 0 7 0 0 7 8 10

62

TAB

10 9 9 10 9 0 9 10 12 10 9 9 10 12 10 9 9 10 9

8 7 0 7 0 0 8 7 0 7 0 0 7 8 10 8 7 0 7 0 0 8 7

65

TAB

0 9 9 10 12 10 9 9 10 9 0 9 10 12 0 9 9 10 12

0 7 0 0 7 8 10 8 7 0 7 0 0 8 7 0 7 0 0 7 8 10

68

TAB

0 0 5 7 9 0 8 8 (10) 0 7 7 9 0 3 2 0 0 0 0

0 0 7 7 9 0 3 2 2 1 1 0

let ring -1 let ring -1

72

let ring -| let ring -|

T
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B

(0) 7 7 9 0 8 8 (10) (8) 0 7 7 9 0 3 2 2 1 1 0

76

T
A
B

0 0 7 7 9 0 8 10 (10) 12-12-12-12-12-12-12 10-10-10-10-10-10 0 0 7 7 9 0 5 4

79

let ring -| let ring -|

T
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0 0 4 3 3 2 0 0 7 7 9 0 8 10 (10) 12-12-12-12-12-12-12 10-10-10-10-10-10

82

let ring -| let ring -|

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0 0 7 7 9 0 5 4 4 3 3 2 0 0

84

T
A
B

0 0 7 7 9 0 8 10 (10) 12-12-12-12-12-12-12 10-10-10-10-10-10 0 0 7 7 9 0 5 4

87

let ring -- | let ring -- |

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90

let ring -- |

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92

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103

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106

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108

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let ring ---+ let ring ---+ |

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119

let ring ---+ |

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121

full full

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124

full full

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126

full full

A.H. A.H. A.H. A.H. A.H.A.H.A.H.

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2 0 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

129

A.H. A.H. A.H.A.H.A.H. A.H.A.H.A.H.

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132

A.H. A.H. A.H. A.H. A.H.A.H.A.H. A.H. A.H. A.H.A.H.A.H. A.H.A.H.A.H.

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145

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147

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184

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200

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B

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203

T
A
B

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