

**A Formidable Marinade**  
**Amanda Palmer**

-----  
A formidable marinade  
as performed by Amanda Palmer & Michelangelo  
-----

Tabbed by: chris  
Email:chuz123@t-online.de

Tuning: Standard

Chords:  
**Am F C E Dm**

#Verse: basically **Am** throughout every verse, with an exception in verse 3

**Am**  
I have seen you in the Turkish baths  
I didn't know if I should cry or laugh  
Nakedness has a sweet, sweet smell  
Which sends me down to the pits of hell  
The steam, that rises from the water  
Tells me you're Satan's daughter  
If I am the devil's son  
Then into the darkness we should run

#Chorus:

**F C**  
If sodomy is not just for animals  
**E Am**  
Human flesh, is not just for cannibals  
**F C**  
I'll feast on your body if you'll feast on mine  
**E Am**  
Cause blood is thicker, and redder than wine  
**F C**  
Oh, lay ourselves out, upon the table  
**E Am**  
Ravish each other till we're no longer able  
**F C**  
When juices mix in the heat of the fray  
**E**------(let ring)-----  
It'll make a formidable marinade

**Am**  
If I put my hand in Pandora's box  
And I was smitten by a deathly pox

If I was a leper or the warts on a toe  
 Would you think well of me, when I go  
 If I wrote my name with a razorblade  
 In the palm of your hand, would it still fade?  
 If I kissed your lips would you think it wrong  
 Or would you come along with me

If sodomy is not just for animals  
 Human flesh, is not just for cannibals  
 I ll feast on your body if you ll feast on mine  
 Cause blood is thicker, and redder than wine  
 Oh, lay ourselves out, upon the table  
 Ravish each other till we re no longer able  
 When juices mix in the heat of the fray  
 It ll make a formidable marinade

**Am**

I ll roast you on the spit like a fatted calf  
 When you re done I ll split your body in half  
 Climb into your redenned core  
 Curl up tight, and close the door

**Dm**

In your body I ll dream of things  
 Like geese and mustard  
 Cabbages and kings

**Am** Thermos full of chocolate sauce  
 And men who live on only remorse

If sodomy is not just for animals  
 Human flesh, is not just for cannibals  
 I ll feast on your body if you ll feast on mine  
 Cause blood is thicker, and redder than wine  
 Oh, lay ourselves out, upon the table  
 Ravish each other till we re no longer able  
 When juices mix in the heat of the fray  
 It ll make a formidable marinade

#suggestions for playing:

sounds nicely with a walking bass line

(use **Am** with **E** in bass, i.e. **Am/E**)

	<b>Am/E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>Dm/A</b>
e	---0---0---0---0-----	1---1---	0---0---	0---0---	0-----1---1-----
B	---1---1---1---1-----	1---1---	1---1---	0---0---	0-----3---3-----
G	---2---2---2---2-----	2---2---	0---0---	1---1---	0-----2---2-----
D	---2---2---2---2---etc...	3---3---	2-2-2---	2---2---	0-----0-----
A	0-----0-----	3---3---	-----	2-----	0-----0-----
E	-----0-----0-----	1-----	-----	0-----	-----

change verse->chorus

**Am/E**

```
e|---0---0---0-----1---1---|
B|---1---1---1-----1---1---|
G|---2---2---2-----2---2---|
D|---2---2---2-----3---3---|
A|-0-----0-----0-----3-----|
E|-----0-----3-1-----|
```

#note: a fairly simple approximation of the song, but fun to play and definitely suiting the purpose. enjoy!