

Mx Missles
Andrew Bird

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If you re a play along with the track kind of person, this will disappoint you.

It s a standalone version that s easy to play.

Seen Andrew play F#7 like this for MX Missles:

F#7
E--0--|
B--2--|
G--3--|
D--4--|
A-----|
E-----|

And plays most bar chords on those four high strings. The album version has the capo way up but all live versions are without.

Intro:

Bm F# Bm F# G D F# G G D G D E A F#

Bm

those that will judge will say you re aloof

Bm

E

but you know the truth is a seed you know what you need

A F#7

is a conflagration

Bm

cause when I see your blood and the bits of your broken tooth

Bm

E

it gives me the proof that I need it s the proof that you bleed

A

D

F#7 F#

and it s a revelation / yeah it s a revelation / it s a revelation

D G Bm A

I thought you were a life-sized paper doll

D G Bm A

propped up in the hardware store

D G Bm A

propped up on the front lawn watching the parade

D G Bm A

of those legionnaires with two by fours

Bm E

As they re marching off to wars
A F#7

Yeah they re marching off to wars

Bm F#7
I didn t know what you were made of

Bm F#7
color of your blood what you re afraid of

G D
are you made of calcium or are you carbon based

F# G
cause if you re made of calcium I ll have to take a taste

G D
Cause listen, calcium is deadly, but tender to the tooth

G D
but it s one sure-fire way to know if you re mx-missile proof

E A A7
oh no, or if you re just aloof

Bm F#7
and you were in the ground in late November

Bm F#7
though the leaves and earth were damp

G D
did you think they would remember

F# G
how you almost made state champ

G D
and when you re running for the game against Alfonsus

G D
and you fell up on the ground and chipped your tooth

E
listen, that might really have surprised us

A A7
to learn that maybe you weren t really mx-missiles proof

D A
whoa, I thought you were a life-sized paper doll

D A
and you re propped up in the hardware store

D A
you were propped up on the front lawn watching the parade

D A
of those legionnaires with two by fours

G A D
as they re marching off to wars

G A D
yeah they re marching off to wars

G D A D
Ohh they re marchinnnnnggg