

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:

G7
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:

Cm G Cm G G# Eb G G# G# Eb G# Eb F Bb G

Cm
those that will judge will say you re aloof
Cm **F**
but you know the truth is a seed you know what you need
Bb G7
is a conflagration
Cm
cause when I see your blood and the bits of your broken tooth
Cm **F**
it gives me the proof that I need it s the proof that you bleed
Bb Eb G7 G
and it s a revelation / yeah it s a revelation / it s a revelation
Eb G# Cm Bb
I thought you were a life-sized paper doll
Eb G# Cm Bb
propped up in the hardware store
Eb G# Cm Bb
propped up on the front lawn watching the parade
Eb G# Cm Bb
of those legionnaires with two by fours
Cm F

As they re marching off to wars
Bb G7

Yeah they re marching off to wars

Cm G7

I didn t know what you were made of

Cm G7

color of your blood what you re afraid of

G# Eb

are you made of calcium or are you carbon based

G G#

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

G# Eb

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

G# Eb

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

F Bb Bb7

oh no, or if you re just aloof

Cm G7

and you were in the ground in late November

Cm G7

though the leaves and earth were damp

G# Eb

did you think they would remember

G G#

how you almost made state champ

G# Eb

and when you re running for the game against Alfonsus

G# Eb

and you fell up on the ground and chipped your tooth

F

listen, that might really have surprised us

Bb Bb7

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

Eb Bb

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

Eb Bb

and you re propped up in the hardware store

Eb Bb

you were propped up on the front lawn watching the parade

Eb Bb

of those legionnaires with two by fours

G# Bb Eb

as they re marching off to wars

G# Bb Eb

yeah they re marching off to wars

G# Eb Bb Eb

Ohh they re marchinnnnnggg