

Its A Long Way To The Promised Land
Bad Religion

Bad Religion - It s a long way to the promised land (The new America)

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Tonality: E major / During Bridge 2 tonality changes to D major

Used chords:

	E	B	E5	B5	A5	D5	F#5
e	7	7	X	X	X	X	X
	9	7	X	X	X	X	X
	9	8	9	X	X	7	11
	9	9	9	9	7	7	11
	7	9	7	9	7	5	9
E	X	7	X	7	5	X	X

Song Flow

Intro

Verse(1)

Part 1

Bridge 1

Part 2

Bridge 1

Chorus

Verse(2)

Part 1

Bridge 1

Part 2

Bridge 1

Chorus

Bridge 2

Bridge 1

Verse(3)

Part 2

Bridge 1

Chorus

Outro

Intro (w/ light distortion)

E B E B

Bridge 1 (w/ heavy distortion)

E5 B5 (strike both chords once)

Verse

-Part 1 (w/ light distortion):

E

B

E

1)It s a long way to the promised land so you d better well know your

B

E

B

E

way. There s a ship on the ocean and an albatross who is trying to

B

lead you astray

Following the same pattern:

(* : Guitar 2(w/ heavy distortion) strikes E5 ad lib)

2)It s a long way to the promised land, if we work we might find it

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here. There s no substitute for enlightenment, there s no reason for

bridled fear

-Part 2 (w/ heavy distortion):

E5

B5

A5

1) Leaders, politicians, and power whores are in line to receive your

B5 **A5** **B5** **A5**

choice and you bet your ass, you if give it to them, they will gladly

E5 **B5**

take your voice.

Following the same pattern:

2) When you join the people who ve joined the club you gotta, clench and

play your hand, Cuz if you fall in line you re gonna fall in time
and you ll never make a stand

3) Easy answers bought without experience, is gonna lead you to certain
doom because the truth is just what you make of it, it begins and ends with you!

Chorus

Guitar 1 plays Intro

Guitar 2 (w/ heavy distortion)

Guitar 2:

E5

B5

E5

B5

And it s a long way to the promised land Wo-oh Oh oh oh (x2)

Bridge 2 (w/ heavy distortion)

D5 **E5** **F#5**

What are you going to do?

D5 **E5** **F#5**

When they call for you?

D5 **E5** **F#5**

Bend and capitulate?

E5 D5 E5 (let ring all 3 chords)

Or keep your head on straight?

Outro

Guitars play chorus

When you join the people who ve joined the club, you gotta

clench and play your hand, because the truth is just what you

Guitar 1:

B B B B B

Guitar 2:

B5 B5 B5 B5 B5

make of it, it s a long way, get in line