Brick Ben Folds Five

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Source: Whatever and Ever Amen
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this is the best i can get for a guitar arrangement
let me know what you think
standard tuning
piano arranged for guitar
chord shapes
Dsus2/G
               E7
     D/B
         Dsus2/E
 -0-
     -2-
          -0-
               -0-
 -3-
     -3-
          -3-
               -3-
     -2-
          -2-
 -2-
               -1-
 -0-
     -2-
          -X-
               -X-
 -X-
     -2-
          -X-
               -X-
  -3-
     -X-
          -0-
               -0-
Intro
D
              Dsus2/G
_____
D/B
       Dsus2/B
                Dsus2/E
-2----0----0-----0-----
-----3----3----3----3-----3-----3----
----2-----1------1
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maintain same patterns (per chord) throughout
Verse
    Dsus2/G
                D
                               Dsus2/G
six am, day after christmas, throw some clothes on in the dark.
         Dsus2/G
                                Dsus2/G
smell of cold, car seat is freezing. the world is sleeping. i am
    Dsus2/G
numb.
D
        Dsus2/G
                              Dsus2/G
                  D
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up the stairs to her apartment, she is balled up on the couch.
                             Dsus2/G
D
      Dsus2/G
her mom and dad drove down to charlotte. they?re not home to find us out.
    Dsus2/G D/B
D/B
                               Dsus2/G
and we drive now that i have found someone i?m
             Dsus2/G D/B
feeling more alone than i ever have before
Chorus (strum chords or pick similar miscellaneous patterns)
                   Α
she?s a brick and i?m drowning slowly
off the coast and i?m headed nowhere
she?s a brick and i?m drowning slowly
                   A D
                                     G A G D(for piano fill)
Verse II
D
               Dsus2/G
                                              Dsus2/G
they call her name at seven thirty. i pace around the parking lot
         Dsus2/G
                           D
i walk down to buy her flowers, and sell some gifts that i got.
Bridge II
         Dsus2/G D/B
D/B
                                Dsus2/G
Can?t you see it?s not me you?re dying for. now she?s
     Dsus2/G D/B
feeling more alone
                        than she ever has before
Chorus (strum chords or pick similar miscellaneous patterns)
                   A D
she?s a brick and i?m drowning slowly
                   A
off the coast and i?m headed nowhere $\tt G\ A\ G\ D$ {\tt G}\ A\ G\ A\ F\#m\ G(for\ piano\ fill)
she?s a brick and i?m drowning slowly
Interlude
D/B
              Dsus2/G
                           D
as weeks went by it showed that she was not fine
             Dsus2/G D
they told me son it?s time to tell the truth and
                           D
                                     D/B Dsus2/E E7
            Dsus2/G
she broke down, and i broke down cause i was tired of lying
Verse III
D Dsus2/G D Dsus2/G
                                      D
          driving back to her apartment, for the moment we?re alone
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D Dsus2/G D/B Dsus2/E E7 she?s alone. i?m alone. now i know it.

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Chorus (strum chords or pick similar miscellaneous patterns)

G A D

she?s a brick and i?m drowning slowly

G A Bm

off the coast and i?m headed nowhere G A G D

G A D G A G A F#m G(for piano fill)

she?s a brick and i?m drowning slowly

notes

bass goes to eighth notes on verse III (for urgency)

it?s hard to do

good luck

mike
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