

Gates Of Steel

Devo

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Gates of Steel - Devo
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Intro

C
(keyboard and drums x 8 bars) then enter guitar
C B+ A G
// // | // // | // // | // // x 2
F Am G
// // | // // x 3
F Am G F
// // | // // | // // | // // | // // | // //

B+ A G C
Twist away the gates of steel
B+ A G F
Unlock the secret voice
Am G F
Give in to ancient noise
Am G F
Take a chance a brand new dance
Am G F x 4 bars
Twist away the gates of steel

C B+ A G C
Twist away now twist and shout
B+ A G F
The earth it moves too slow
Am G F
But the earth is all we know
Am G F
We pay to play the human way
Am G F x 4 bars
Twist away the gates of steel (a man is real not made of steel)

(C x 2 bars G x 2 bars) x 2 (keyboard solo)

F **Am** **G** **F**
But the earth is all we know
Am **G** **F**
We pay to play the human way
Am **G** **F** x 4 bars
Twist away the gates of steel

C **B+** **A** **G**
The beginning was the end (of everything now)

C **B** **A** **G**
The ape regards his tail (he s stuck on it)

F **Am** **G** **F**
Repeats until he fails

Am **G** **F**
Half a goon and half a god
Am **G** **F** x 4 bars
A man s not made of steel

C **B+** **A** **G** **C**
Twist away now twist and shout

B+ **A** **G** **F**
The earth it moves too slow

Am **G** **F**
But the earth is all we know

Am **G** **F**
We pay to play the human way
Am **G** **F** x 4 bars

Twist away the gates of steel (a man is real that s how he feels)

outro

C **B+** **A** **G**
/ / / / | / / / / | / / / / | / / / / x 2

F **Am** **G**
/ / / / | / / / / x 3

F **Am** **G** **F** **C**
/ / / / | / / / / | / / / / | / / / / | / / / / | / / / /

Performance notes:

- most of the guitar is just strummed once and held for the two beats, four beats or even two bars!!
- major chunky (as opposed to smooth like the peanut butter) distortion with little treble on the guitar

Have fun with it and enjoy!

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