

Down to the Waterline
Dire Straits

Intro: **F# / Bbm / F# / Bbm**

Bbm Fm G# Eb7 Bbm

Sweet surrender on the quay side

Bbm Fm G# Eb7 Bbm

You remember we used to run and hide

Bbm Fm

In the shadows of cargoes, I take you on time,

G# (C#) - Eb

Counting all the numbers

Bbm

Down to the waterline

Bbm Fm G# Eb7 Bbm

Near misses on the dogleap stairways

Bbm Fm G# Eb7 Bbm

French kisses in the darkened doorways

Bbm Fm

Foghorn blowing out wild and cold

G# (C#) - Eb Bbm

A policeman shines a light upon my shoulder

Lead 1 **F# / Bbm / F# / G# / Bbm**

Bbm Fm G# Eb7 Bbm

Up comes a coaster, fast and silent through the night

Bbm Fm G# Eb7 Bbm

Over my shoulder, all you can see are pilot lights

Bbm Fm

No money in our jackets and jeans are torn

G# (C#) - Eb Bbm

Your hands are cold but your lips are warm

F# / Bbm / F# / G# -

solo: **Eb / Cm / F#**

F#m / B (?)

C# / G#

F / F# / G# / Bbm

Bbm Fm G# Eb7 Bbm

she can see you in the jetty where you used to go

Bbm Fm G# Eb7 Bbm

she can see you in the places where the sailors go

Bbm Fm

when she s walking down the river on the railway line

G# (C#) - Eb

she can still hear you whisper

Bbm

Lets go down to the water line

come on.

F# / Bbm / F# / G# / Bbm / F# / G# / Bbm - #9 - 9 end||