

Once Upon A Time
Dire Straits

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ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST
by
DIRE STRAITS

key Am : Time signature: 14/4 (i believe..some one told me)
(plenty of off-beats ; time lengths of each
chord bar is variable)

Intro: Lead

(organ intro)

Gm / Eb
Gm / F / Eb
Gm / F / Eb

Time interval: bass-to-bass= 1.0, then....

(drum roll)

Gm / C / Gm / C
3.5 0.5 3.5 0.5
Gm / F / C / Gm
1.5 2.0 1.5 1.5
Bb / Gm / Cm / F / Gm
1.5 2.0 1.0 1.0 1.0

Gm C
SOME PEOPLE GET A CHEAP LAUGH BREAKING UP SPEED LIMIT
Gm C
SCARING A PEDESTRIAN ON FOR A MINUTE
Gm F
CROSSING UP PROGRESS, DRIVING ON THE GRASS
C Gm
LEAVING JUST ENUFFA ROOM TO PASS
Bb Gm
SOMEDAY DRIVER NEVER TOOK A TEST
Cm F Gm

OH YEAH! ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

Gm

C

THEY SAY ITS NO USE SAYING THAT YOU DONT KNOW NOTHING

Gm

C

STILL GONNA GET YOU IF YOU DONT KNOW SOMETHING

Gm

F

SITTING ON A FENCE, THAT S A DANGEROUS CALL

C

Gm

YEAH YOU COULD EVEN CATCH A BULLET FROM THE PEACE KEEPING FORCE

Bb

Gm

EVEN A HERO GETS A BULLET IN THE CHEST

Cm

F

Gm

OH YEAH, ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

Lead:

Am / F (double time rythym)

Gm / **F** / **Eb**

(roll)

Gm / **C** / **Gm** / **C**

Gm / **F** / **C** / **Gm**

Bb / **Gm** / **Cm** / **F** / **Gm**

Am / F (double time rythym)

Gm / **F** / **Eb**

Gm

C

MOTHER MARY YOUR CHILDREN ARE SLAUGHTERED

Gm

C

SOMEDAY YOUR MAMA S GONNA LOCK UP YOUR DAUGHTER

Gm

F

WHO S PROTECTING THE INNER GENTEEL

C

Gm

IT SPELLS TROUBLE IN THE LAND OF PLENTY

Bb

Gm

TELL ME HOW WE GONNA DO OUT SPARES ??

Cm

F

Gm

YEAH, YOU GUESS... ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

Cm

F

Gm

OH YEAH, ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

Cm

F

Gm

OH YEAH ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

Cm

F

Gm

OH YEAH, ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

F

Gm

ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE, ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST...

ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST..

ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST, ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST, ONCE UPON A TIME IN THE WEST

repeat to fade.....(chorus)

(repeat **Cm** / **F** / **Gm**)

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