

Claw Hammer
Elton John

INTRO: **Em - A B**
(x32)

VERSE

Em
You re holding back
You re hard to read
Am
Your a 21st century kind
D
You re lighting fast
Em
Built for speed
C G D
A tight-lipped modern mind
Em
An architect
Of grand romance
Am
You re a mystery of disguise
D Em
You re holed up in your house
C G D
Just waiting for the fire
Am
You re buttoned down
All sown up
You re an ontological soul
F
Cold hard truth
Only proof
E7sus E7
What we already know

A
You re gonna need a claw hammer
D
Oh my Lord
A/B Bm
To bust on through
E A D/G A
And break down your walls
F#7 F#7/G# Bm
Loosen your lips

Dm/Eb **A/D**

Slacken that jaw

Em/F D/E

It s gonna take a claw hammer

A D/G A

Oh my Lord

Instrumental

Em - A B

(x16)

VERSE

Em

Look at us fools

Being used

Am

We re totally dumb, surprised

D Em

Waiting for you to share with us

C G D

The myth behind the lies

Em

Come on out

Throw us a bone

Am

We want to know your intentions

D

Are you fake

Em

For goodness sake

C G D

Or the Mother of Invention

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All sown up

Am

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INTERLUDE

A A/D D Dm7
Bm7 - E7 - A - - -
F#7 F#7/G# Bm -
Dm/Eb - A/D -
G - D/E - A - - -

Chorus

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OUTRO

Em - A B
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repeat to fade