

Love Lies Bleeding
Elton John

This is a two part song really, but since I m after the singing bit I m only going to do part two, Love Lies Bleeding.

The fade out from Funeral For A Friend is just two chords repeated...

A Bbmaj7

The introduction to Love Lies Bleeding goes like this...

A C G F G

The **F** and the second **G** only get half a bar each.

[Verse 1]

A
The roses in the window box
E
Have tilted to one side
A
Everything about this house
Bm
Was born to grow and die
A Bm D
Oh it doesn t seem a year ago to this very day
A
You said I m sorry honey
E
If I don t change the pace
D E F#m
I can t face another day

[Chorus]

Bm E
And love lies bleeding in my hand
F#m Bm E
Oh it kills me to think of you with another man
F#m Bm
I was playing rock and roll and you were just a fan
C#m
But my guitar couldn t hold you
D Dm
So I split the baaaa-a-ha-a-nd
F#m E A C G (Introduction here)
Love lies bleeding in my hands

[Verse 2]

A
I wonder if those changes
E
Have left a scar on you
C#m **D**
Like all the burning hoops of fire
Bm **B7**
That you and I passed through
A
You re a bluebird on a telegraph line
Bm **D**
I hope you re happy now
A **E**
Well if the wind of change comes down your way girl
D **E** **F#m**
You ll make it back somehow

[Chorus]

Bm **E**
And love lies bleeding in my hand
F#m **Bm** **E**
Oh it kills me to think of you with another man
F#m **Bm**
I was playing rock and roll and you were just a fan
C#m
But my guitar couldn t hold you
D **Dm**
So I split the baaaa-a-ha-a-nd
F#m **E** **A** **C** **G** (Introduction here)
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(About now Elton does his thing with the piano, and there s a guitar solo
but the chords are the same as for the intro)

[Chorus]

Bm **E**
And love lies bleeding in my hand
F#m **Bm** **E**
Oh it kills me to think of you with another man
F#m **Bm**
I was playing rock and roll and you were just a fan
C#m
But my guitar couldn t hold you
D **Dm**
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F#m **E** **A** **C** **G** (Introduction here)
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There s more singing over the chorus, and then a guitar solo fade with the

chord pattern from the intro.