

Demolition Boys
Girlschool

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CD: Demolition (1980, Bronze Records/Re-issue on Castle, 2004)

Notes:

^...bend (q=quarter tone, s=semi-tone, w=whole tone)

h...hammer on

r...release bend

hb..hold bend (hold bend while playing notes within square brackets)

p...pulloff

x...dead note (damp with fretting hand)

-Tuning: Standard

-The song is in the key of A. The guitar solo is in A pentatonic minor.

-For measures 9-12 of the guitar solo, there s a key change to B.

(Measures 11-12 might be in D...not sure, but they re definitely played over a D5 chord.) Song returns to A at measure 13 of guitar solo.

-Timing: bar lines indicate measures of 4/4 time

INTRO:

Figure 1 - play 10x

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E -----|
B -----|
G -----|
D ---5h7-7---5h7-7---5h7-7-7---7-7-7-----|
A ---0---0---0---0---0---0-0---0-0-0-----|
E -----|
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The 5th and 6th time through, an A5 power chord is played on the first beat of the measure.

1ST VERSE:

You can... ? comes.. Another... Gonna make...

E	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----5--	-----5--	-----5--	-----7-----7-----
D	--7-----5--	--7-----5--	--7-----5--	--5---7---5---7---5----
A	--7-----	--7-----	--7-----	--5---5---5---5---5----
E	--5-----	--5-----	--5-----	--3-----3-----3----

Play Figure 1 2x

2ND VERSE:

The people....To watch...Band.....The roof.....

E	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----5--	-----5--	-----5--	-----7-----7-----
D	--7-----5--	--7-----5--	--7-----5--	--5---7---5---7---5----
A	--7-----	--7-----	--7-----	--5---5---5---5---5----
E	--5-----	--5-----	--5-----	--3-----3-----3----

Play Figure 1 2x

Pre-Chorus:

E5

For miles around they heard the sound

C5

And came to see the show

D5

And they all know

CHORUS:

Demolition

Demolition

Play Figure 1 4x with Chorus lyrics

3RD VERSE:

The boys.....Hidden....Walls.....No survivors to.....

E	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----5--	-----5--	-----5--	-----7-----7-----
D	--7-----5--	--7-----5--	--7-----5--	--5---7---5---7---5----
A	--7-----	--7-----	--7-----	--5---5---5---5---5----

E --5-----|--5-----|--5-----|--3-----3-----3-----|

Play Figure 1 2x

Pre-chorus:

E5
For miles around they heard the sound
C5
And came to see the show
D5
And they all know

CHORUS:

Demolition
Demolition
Play Figure 1 4x with Chorus lyrics

BRIDGE:

C5 A5
Things used to be different for me
C5
Until I heard the noise
D5
Demolition boys
D5
Demolition boys

Play Figure 1 4x
(The third and fourth time through Fig. 1, an A5 power chord is played on the first beat of the measure.)

Figure 1 is played along with the first 8 measures of the guitar solo.

GUITAR SOLO:

(2 measures)

E	----- -----
B	--7^s--7^s--7^s--7^s-- ---7^s-----
G	--7^w--7^w--7^w--7^w-- --[7^w-hb-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7]r(7)p5---5-----
D	----- -----7---7-----
A	----- -----
E	----- -----

(2 measures)

E	-----		-----	
B	-----5-8-----		-8-----8-----8--10p8--8-10--	
G	-----5-----5h7p5---x-7-----9-		-----9-----9-----9-----	
D	-5h7p5-----7-----7-----		-----	
A	-----7-----		-----	
E	-----		-----	

(1 measure)

E	-----	
B	-13^w--13^w--13^w--13^wr(13)p10-----13-15--	
G	-----12--14-----	
D	-----	
A	-----	
E	-----	

(1 measure)

E	-----15-----	
B	-15^w--15^w---15^w--15--15^wr(15)p13-----	
G	-----14-12---	
D	-----	
A	-----	
E	-----	

(2 measures)

E	-----		-----	
B	-----		-8^w-8-7h8p7-5---7-5-----	
G	-9--12-9---9--12-9---9--12-9-12-12^w-		-----7-----7^q-5---	
D	-----12-----12-----		-----7-	
A	-----		-----	
E	-----		-----	

Key changes to B here.

Rhythm guitar plays a B5 power chord on 1st beat of staff below.

(2 measures)

E	-----		-----	
B	-----		-----	
G	-7-----7-----7-----7-----9---7-7-		-----7--7-7h9p7---7-9^w-	
D	-7-9---7-9---7-9---7-9---9---7-7-		--9--7h9p7---7-----9-----	
A	---9---9---9---9-----		--9-----9-----	
E	-----		-----	

Lead guitar - (on last note, gradually bend up 2 whole tones)

(2 measures)

	-----		-----	
	-8-10---12---13-----		-----	
	---12^w--14^w--15^w--17^w--17^w-		--17^w--17^w--17^w--17--14--17^(21)-	
	-----		-----	
	-----		-----	
	-----		-----	
	-----		-----	

Rhythm - final note on this staff is actually 1st note of next measure

D5	
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-----	-----
--7-----	-----7-5-----
--7-----	-----7-5---7-5---7-
--5-----	-----7-5---7-
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Key changes back to A.
(one measure) - play 4x

E	-----5-5-----5-5-----5-5-----5-5-----5-5-5-----
B	-----5-5-----5-5-----5-5-----5-5-----5-5-5-----
G	--7^w-----7^w-----7^w-----7^w-----7^w-----
D	-----
A	-----
E	-----

The third and fourth time through the above staff, the rhythm guitar plays an A5 power chord on the 1st beat.

CHORUS:

Demolition
Demolition
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Play Figure 1 8x with Chorus lyrics

Chords: A5 G5

(This file is the transcriber s own work and represents their interpretation of the song.)