

Don't Damn Me  
Guns N' Roses

Intro 2x: **F#m E A F#m A E**

E |-----|  
B |-----|  
G |-----|  
D |----11-11-----9--9-----2-----64-----9--11-----|  
A |----9--9--7-----9--6--7--7-----7-7--4---0--0--42---7--9-----|  
E |--0-----9-9--9-----9-7-7-5-5--2-4-----0-----|

Verso:

E |-----|  
B |-----|  
G |-----|  
D |----64-----2-----64-----3/4-----x-4-|  
A |--0--42--2-2-2-4-----6-----4-----0--0--42--2-2-----|  
E |-----0-0-0-2--2-----2-----2--4-----0-0-----|

F#m

Don t damn me  
          E                  A  
When I speak a piece of my mind  
          F#m  
Cause silence isn t golden  
          A                  E  
When I m holding it inside  
          F#m  
Cause I ve been where I have been  
          E                  A  
And I ve seen what I have seen  
          F#m  
I put the pen to the paper  
          A                  E  F#m  
Cause it s all a part of me  
F#m                  A                  E  
Be it a song or a casual conversation  
          F#m  
To hold my tongue speaks  
          A                  E  
Of quiet reservations  
          F#m  
Your words once heard  
          A                  E  
They can place you in a faction  
          F#m  
My words may disturb  
          A                  E          (F#m E A F#m A E)2x  
But at least there s reaction  
          F#m  
Sometimes I wanna kill

A E  
Sometimes I wanna die  
F#m  
Sometimes I wanna destroy  
A E  
Sometimes I wanna cry  
F#m  
Sometimes I could get even  
A E  
Sometimes I could give up  
F#m  
Sometimes I could give  
A E  
Sometimes I never give a fuck  
F#m A D  
It s only for a while  
A D  
I hope you undersdtand  
B E  
I never wanted this to happen  
B E  
Didn t want to be a man  
A D  
So I hid inside my world  
A D  
I took what I could find  
B E  
I cried when I was lonely  
C#  
I feel down when I was blind  
F#m E  
But don t damn me when I speak  
A  
A piece of my mind  
F#m  
Cause silence isn t golden  
A E  
When I m holding it inside  
F#m  
Cause I ve been where I have been  
E A  
And I ve seen what I have seen  
F#m  
I put the pen to the paper  
A E F#m  
Cause it s all a part of me  
F#m A E  
How can I ever satisfy you  
F#m A E  
And how can I ever make you see  
F#m A E  
That deep inside we re all somebody  
F#m A E

And it don t matter who you wanna be  
     A          D                  A          D  
 But now I gotta smile I hope you comprehend  
           B          E  
 For this man can stay it happened  
           B                  E  
 Cause this child has been condemned  
     A          D  
 So I stepped into your world  
     A          D  
 I kicked you in the mind  
     B          E  
 And I m the only witness  
           E                  C#m  
 To the nature of my crime  
     F#m  
 But look at what we ve done  
     E                  A  
 To the innocent and young  
     F#m  
 Whoa listen to who s talkin  
     A                          E  
 Cause we re not the only ones  
     F#m  
 The trash collected by the eyes  
     E                          A  
 And dumped into the brain  
     F#m  
 Said it tears into our consciuos thoughts  
     A                          E  
 You tell me who s to blame  
 D                          A                  E  
 I know you don t wanna hear me cryin  
 D                          A                  E  
 And I know you don t wanna hear me deny  
 D                          A                  E  
 That your satisfaction lies in your illusions  
 D                          A                  E  
 But your delusions are yours and not mine  
 D                          A                  E  
 We take for granted we know the whole story  
           D  
 We judge a book by it s cover  
     A  
 And read what we want  
     E                          (F#m E A F#m A E)2x  
 Between selected lines  
     F#m  
 Don t hail me  
     E  
 And don t idolize the ink  
     A                  F#m  
 Or I ve failed in my attentions

A E  
 Can you find the missin link  
 F#m E A  
 Your only validation is in living your own life  
 F#m A E  
 Vicarious existence is a fucking waste of time  
 F#m A E  
 So I send this song to the offended  
 F#m A E  
 I said what I meant and I ve never pretended  
 F#m A E  
 As so many others do intending just to please  
 F#m  
 If I damned your point of view  
 A E (F#m E A F#m A E)2x (D A F#m)3x  
 Could you turn the other cheek D E C# E C# F#m  
 F#m  
 Don t damn me  
 E A  
 When I speak a piece of my mind  
 F#m  
 Cause silence it s not golden  
 A E  
 When I m holding it inside  
 F#m  
 I ve been where I have been  
 E A  
 And I ve seen what I have seen  
 F#m  
 Put the pen to the paper  
 A E  
 Cause it s all a part of me  
 F#m E  
 Don t damn me  
 A F#m A  
 I said don t damn me  
 E F#m E  
 I said don t hail me  
 A F#m A E F#m E C# F#m C# D# E B A E  
 Don t damn me  
 F#m

All right that s stopped!

Solo:

E	-----
B	-----
G	--11-9-----11-----9-----
D	-----11----10-11----11-10-9-7-9-9p7-9p7-----7-----7-----
A	-----9-7-9---9---9---7---9-7--9--
E	-----5-----9--
E	-----
B	-----
G	-----6-----

D | -----6h7p6---6-7----- |  
A | --7-----7h9p7h9--6h7h9-----9----- |  
E | ----9-8-7b--p5--7-5-5h7-5-5--7--5h7-9-9----- |

E | ----- |  
B | -----9h10p9-----9h10-x-14-17-14----17----- |  
G | -----8h9p8-----9--9h11-----11-----16----16-- |  
D | --7h9p76-7v--11-----9-11----- |  
A | ----- |  
E | ----- |

E | ----- |  
B | -----9h10p9-----9h10-x-14-17-14----17----- |  
G | -----8h9p8-----9--9h11-----11-----16----16-- |  
D | --7h9p76-7v--11-----9-11----- |  
A | ----- |  
E | ----- |

E | -----14----- |  
B | --14h17p14--14-----17b---17b-----17-14--17--14----- |  
G | -----17-16-14----16----14----- |  
D | -----16----16----- |  
A | ----- |  
E | ----- |

E | -----14-----17----- |  
B | --14-15-14h15p14----14-----17-14----14----- |  
G | -----16----16b-----16b---16p14---16--14h16p1413--0---- |  
D | -----16----- |  
A | ----- |  
E | ----- |

E | -17v---14-17-16--(16)h17p16p14-17-16--14-17-16--14-17-16--14-17-16--17p16- |  
B | ----- |  
G | ----- |  
D | ----- |  
A | ----- |  
E | ----- |

E | --17p16--14h16p1413--14----- |  
B | -----17--15h17--17p15--17p15p14--15--14h15p1413----- |  
G | ----- |  
D | ----- |  
A | ----- |  
E | ----- |

E | -----19b--19b--16--19--17--19--16h17p16----16----- |  
B | --14-1312h13p12-----19----19--17--19---- |  
G | -----14----- |  
D | ----- |  
A | ----- |  
E | ----- |

E |-----14-----14-----|  
B |--19p0--17b-----17-14-----17b-----17--16--15--14-----14-----|  
G |-----16b--14-----17--16-----|  
D |-----|  
A |-----|  
E |-----|

E |-----|  
B |-----|  
G |---17--16--14--13--14--13h14p13---13-----|  
D |-----16---16-----|  
A |-----16--16--15--14--14b--12-14----|  
E |-----|

E |-----|  
B |-----14-----|  
G |-----14--14-----|  
D |-----14--16-----It ain t long, just fast-----|  
A |----12/14--16-----|  
E |--14-----|