

Swim

Jack's Mannequin

i made this listening to the live version, and it s just the chords... so w/e i mean the cd s not out for another 2 months, but this is the basic gist... aslo note is my first tab ever, all by ear.

*note: the Bb s in parenthesis (Bb) means it s optional, the song will work with or them.

Chords: (i play the basic bar chords)

Eb: x68886

Ab: 466544

Bb: 688766

Intro: **Eb** **(Bb) Ab**
 Eb **(Bb) Ab**

verse-1

Eb
You gotta swim
(Bb) **Ab**
Swim for your life
 Eb
Swim for the music

That saves you
 (Bb) **Ab**
When you re not so sure you ll survive

Eb
You gotta swim
(Bb) **Ab**
Swim when it hurts

Eb
The whole world is watching

You haven t come this far
 (Bb) **Ab**
To fall off the earth
 Bb
The currents will pull you
 Ab
Away from your love

Just keep your head above

Chorus

Eb
I found a tidal wave
Bb **Ab**
Begging to tear down the door
Eb
Memories like bullets
Bb **Ab**
They fired at me from a gun
Eb **Bb**
Cracking me open now
Eb
I swim to brighter days
Bb **Ab**
In spite of the absense of sun
Eb **Bb**
Choking on salt water
Ab **Eb** **Bb**
I m not giving in

Eb **(Bb)** **Ab**
You gotta swim
Eb **(Bb)** **Ab**

Verse-2

Eb
You gotta swim
(Bb) **Ab**
Tonight s the moment
Eb
Swim for your family

Your mothers your sisters
(Bb) **Ab**
Your brothers your friends
Eb
You gotta swim
(Bb) **Ab**
For wars without cause
Eb
Swim for these lost politicians
(Bb) **Ab**
Who don t see their greed is a flaw
Bb
The currents will pull us
Ab
Away from our love

Just keep your head above

Chorus

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I found a tidal wave
Bb **Ab**
Begging to tear down the door
Eb
Memories like bullets
Bb **Ab**
They fired at me from a gun
Eb **Bb**
Cracking me open now
Eb
I swim to brighter days
Bb **Ab**
In spite of the absense of sun
Eb **Bb**
Choking on salt water
Ab **Eb** **Bb** (**Eb** **Bb**)
I m not giving in
Ab **Eb** **Bb**
I m not giving in

Eb (**Bb**) **Ab**
Swim
Eb (**Bb**) **Ab**

Verse-3

Eb
You gotta swim
(**Bb**) **Ab**
Swim in the dark
Eb
There s an ocean to drift in
(**Bb**) **Ab**
Feel the tide shifting away from this war
Eb
Yeah you gotta swim
(**Bb**) **Ab**
Don t let yourself sink
Eb
Just follow the horizon
(**Bb**) **Ab**
I promise it s not as far as you think
Bb **Ab**
Currents will drag us away from our love
Eb (**Bb**) **Ab**
Just keep your head above

Ending

Just keep your head above

Eb (Bb) **Ab**

Swim

Just keep your head above

Eb (Bb) **Ab**

Swim

Just keep your head above

Eb (Bb) **Ab** (end on **Bb**)

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Far from perfect, again, first tab for me, and it s all by ear off live performances.

thanks for givin it a chance, great song. get back to me about it
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btw, names andrew, enjoy