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Aint It Heavy
Melissa Etheridge

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Recorded by Melissa Etheridge. Words & lyrics by Melissa Etheridge. From the album Never Enough. Produced by Melissa Etheridge and Kevin McCormick.Transcribed by Bugsy (G Del Fabbro)

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        G#
Sometimes I know that it s never enough
      G#
Survival is fine but satisfaction is rough
   Eb
I try with an angel tonight
     G#
Spread these wings and I m on for the ride
    G#
Cruise these streets where my innocence hides
    Eb                  Cm                  G#
There s some things you can t deny
 Fm                             G#
What is it about this human condition
   Fm                                                G#
I need some kind of promise some kind
                            Eb
of submission tonight

CHORUS
    Bb
Heavy
               G#
Ain t it heavy
                           Eb
Ain t the night heavy
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C#/G#/Eb

I m feeling kinda loose I m feeling kinda mean
I ve been feeling kinda wild since I turned 17
Or is it madness
Tell me where can a woman find any kinda peace
When does the fury and the agony cease
How long have I got to say please
There s a hole in my jeans I only wanted to fade
I ve been riping out seams somebody else made tonight

CHORUS

CHORDS

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                  Eb    G#    C#    F#    Bb    Eb
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A               0     0    2     2    2    0
D                0    0    0     2    3    2
E                0    2    2     1    0    0
E6              0    2    2     1   2     0
B                0    0    4     4    4    2
C#m           0    0     6     6     5   4
F#m           2    4     4     2     2   2
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C#/G#/Eb at end of chorus

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E --0--0--x--0--0--0- ------0--0--x--0------3------0--0--x--0---|
A --0--0-x--0--0--0--------0--0--x--0---------2---2--2--x--2----|
D--0--0--x--0--0--0--------2--2--x--2--------------2--2--x-2----|
G--2--2--x--2--2--2--------2--2--x--2--------------1--1--x--1---|
B --3--3--x--3--3--3--------2--2--x--2-------------0---0--x--0--|
E--2---2--x--2--2--2--------0--0--x--0-------------0---0--x--0--|
     C#    u  C#   u  u   C#           C#   u  C#  u
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The general strum pattern is d u d(muted) u u d and the muted down strum can be replaced with the E6 on down strum. This is also transcribed from Melissa s MTV Unplugged performance so it s more acoustic than electric and played slower than the album version.