

Thunder Road
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MELISSA ETHERIDGE & BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN (as heard on Melissa s MTV - Unplugged)

Melissa plays the normal chords, Bruce plays the ones in brackets with a capo on the 3rd fret....enjoy !!!!

Eb(C) **G#(G)** **Eb(D)** **Ebsus4(Dsus4)**
The screen door slams, Mary s dress waves

Eb(D) **Bb(A)** **G#(G)**
Like a vision she dances across the porch as the radio plays

Eb(D) **Eb(D)** **G#(G)**
Roy Orbison singing for the lonely, hey that s me and I want you only

Eb(D) **Bb(G)** **(Gsus4)(A)**
Don t send me home again, I just can t face myself alone again

Eb(C) **G#(G)** **Eb(D)** **Ebsus4 (Csus4)**
Don t run back inside, darlin , you know just what I m here for

Eb(D) **Bb(A)** **G#(G)**
So you re scared and you re thinking that maybe we ain t that young any more

Bb(A)
Show a little faith, there s magic in the night,

Eb(D) **G#(G)**
You ain t a beauty but hey you re alright

Eb(D) **Bb(G)** **Ebsus4(Asus4)** **Bb(A)**
Oh and that s alright with me

Eb(D) **Cm(Bm)** **Dmsus4(Bmsus4)**
You can hide neath your covers and study your pain

Eb(D) **G#(G)**
Make crosses from your lovers throw roses at the rain

Eb(D) **Bb(G)** **G#(G)** **Bb(A)**
Waste your summer praying in vain, for a saviour to rise from these streets

Eb(D) **Cm(Bm)** **Dmsus4(Asus4)**
Well now I m no hero, that s understood

Eb(D) **G#(G)**
All the redemption I got to offer girl is beneath this dirty hood

Eb(D) **Bb(G)** **G#(G)** **Bb(A)**
With a chance to make it real somehow, hey what else can we do now

Eb(C) **G#(G)** **Eb(D)** **Ebsus4(Dsus4)**
Except roll down the window and let the wind blow back your hair
Eb(D) **Bb(A)** **G#(G)**
Well the night s busting open these two lanes will take us anywhere
Bb(A) **Eb(D)** **G#(G)**
We got one last chance to make it real, to trade in these wings on some wheels
Eb(D) **Bb(A)**
Climb in back, heaven s waiting down on the tracks

Eb(C) **Cm(Bm)** **Eb(D)** **G#(G)**
Oh oh come take my hand, riding out tonight to case the Promised Land
Eb(D) **Bb(G)** **G#(G)** **Bb(A)**
Oh oh oh oh Thunder Road, oh Thunder road, oh Thunder Road
Eb(D) **Cm(Bm)**
Lyin out there like a killer in the sun
Eb(D) **G#(G)**
Hey I know it s late, we can make it if we run
Eb(C) **Bb(G)** **G#(G)** **Bb(A)** **Eb(D)** **Ebsus4(Dsus4)**
Oh oh oh oh Thunder Road, sit tight, take hold, Thunder Road

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G#(G) **Bb(A)** **Eb(D)** **Ebsus4(Dsus4)**
Well I got this guitar and I learned how to make it talk
Cm(Bm) **G#(G)** **Bb(A)**
And my car s out back if you re ready to take that long walk
G#(G) **Bb(A)**
From your front porch to my front seat,
Eb(D) **G#(G)**
The door s open but the ride it ain t free
G#(G)
And I know you re lonely for words that I ain t spoken
Bb(A)
But tonight we ll be free, all the promises will be broken
Eb(C) **G#(G)** **Eb(D)** **Ebsus4(Dsus4)**
There were ghosts in the eyes of all the boys you sent away
Eb(D) **Bb(A)** **G#(G)**
They haunt this dusty beach road in the skeleton frames of burned-out Chevrolets
Bb(A)
They scream your name at night in the street,
Eb(D) **G#(G)**
Your graduation gown lies in rags at their feet
G#(G)
And in the lonely cool before dawn you hear their engines roaring on
Bb(A) **G#(G)**
But when you get to the porch, they re gone on the wind
Fm (Dm)
So Mary climb in,
G#(G) **Bb(A)** **Eb(D)** **Ebsus4** **Eb**
It s a town full of losers and I m pulling out of here to win (Dsus4) (D)
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