

## Mercy Seat

### Nick Cave & The Bad Seeds

Nick Cave - Mercy Seat

I was reading the tabs on this site and came up with this alternative.

The verse is Em and Bm but I think the song is the Em bar chord on fret 7 5th string and

fret 7 barred accross from the 5th string like this:

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This doesn't apply to the verse which I use all bar chords for. The guitar chords in the

Nick Cave recording are just strung once and let ring with a whole bunch of echo and droney stuff.

**Em**                      **Bm**  
I began to warm and chill  
**Em**                      **Bm**  
To objects and their fields  
**Em**                      **Bm**  
A ragged cup, a twisted mop  
**Em**                      **Bm**  
The face of Jesus in my soup  
**Em**                      **Bm**  
Those sinister dinner deals  
**Em**                      **Bm**  
The meal trolley's wicked wheels  
**Em**                      **Bm**  
A hooked bone rising from my  
**Em**                      **Bm**  
food.    All things good or ungood.

**Em**  
And the mercy seat is waiting  
**Em**  
And I think my head is burning  
**Bm**  
And in a way I'm yearning to be  
**D**  
done with all this measuring of  
**Dm**  
truth,    An eye for an eye and a tooth for a  
**F**  
tooth,    And anyway I told the

**C**

**Em**

truth, And I m not afraid to die.

etc.

Look at other chord tabs for full lyrics and song structure. Thanks.