

Freedom Fighter
Rainbow

(From the 1982 Album DIFFICULT TO CURE)

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Gtr I (E A D G B E) - dist gtr 1

Gtr II (E A D G B E) - dist gtr 2

Gtr III (E A D G B E) - OverDriven Guitar with Octarver

Intro

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Gtr I

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Gtr I

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Lyrics:

You can t control me tell me what to do
 chained in mediocrity so I can be like you
 I am not a statue not part of machine
 I m sick and tired of the whole routine
 calculate your future,computerise your past
 instant replay if it s gone too fast
 take away my freedom,take away my home
 I m only human but it might not show
 I m not made of stone

I m a freedom fighter I got something to say
 I m a freedom fighter get out of my way

Hide behind your politics,hide behind your rules
 tell me I m a man but you treat me like a fool
 it s the same old story with a different name
 you give us all a number and nothing changes
 out in the winter of a world upon it s knees
 everyone is watching but no one sees
 you can t take my freedom you know it is my right
 if you try and stop me I m gonna fight
 with all of my might

I m a freedom fighter and I m taking command
 I m a freedom fighter and I m making a stand

Fighting for breath as the world gathers speed
 time s running out for the things that I need

I m a freedom fighter I gotta take a stand
 I m a freedom fighter, yeah that s what I am
 I m a freedom fighter I can t take it no more
 I m a freedom fighter no no more
 I m a freedom fighter but I m not afraid
 I m a freedom fighter get out of my way

Tablature Legend

h - hammer-on
p - pull-off
b - bend
pb - pre-bend
r - bend release (if no number after the r, then release immediately)
/ - slide into or out of (from/to nowhere)
s - legato slide
S - shift slide
n(n) - tapped harmonic
~ - vibrato
tr - trill
T - tap
TP - trem. picking
PM - palm muting

/ - tremolo bar dip; n = amount to dip

- tremolo bar down

n/ - tremolo bar up

/n - tremolo bar inverted dip

= - hold bend; also acts as connecting device for hammers/pulls

- volume swell (louder/softer)

Misc Legend

| - bar
||o - repeat start
o|| - repeat end
: - bar (freetime)
& - Coda