

The Longest Wave
Red Hot Chili Peppers

Intro:

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E |-----3-----5h6-----|
B |----3h4----4-----8-----|
G |-----3-----7-----7-----|
D |---5-----5--5-----5-----|
A |-6-----5-----|
E |-----|
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E |-----5-----|
B |-----6-----8-----|
G |---7---7-----8-----8---8h10p8-----|
D |-----7---7-----8-----8-----10/8--|
A |-----6---8/10-----|
E |-6-----|
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E |-----|
B |-----11-----|
G |-----7h8p7--8p7-----12-----|
D |---8--8-----8/10-----12-----12-----|
A |-----8/10-----10-----|
E |-6-----|
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E |-11-----11-----10-----|
B |-13---13-----13--11---11-----|
G |-12-----12-----10-----10-----|
D |-10-----10-----|
A |-----|
E |-----|
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Verse:

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    Eb                C#
Throw me all around/Like a boomerang sky
    Eb                C#
Whatever you do/Don t tell me why
    Eb                C#
Poppies grow tall/Then say bye bye
    Gm                F
The wave is here
    Eb                C#
A seamless little team/And then we tanked
    Eb                C#
I guess we re not so sacrosanct
    Eb                C#
The tip of my tongue/But then we blanked
    Gm                F
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The wave is here

Dm Bb

Waiting on the wind/To tell my side

(Eb C# Eb C#)

Eb C#

Ready set jet/But she never gets far

Eb C#

Listen to your skin/From the seat of my car

Eb C#

Two centipedes stuck/In one glass jar

Gm F C#

The longest wave

Dm Bb

Waiting on the wind/To tell my side

Pre-Chorus:

Cm Bb

Whatcha want

Cm Bb

Whatcha need

Cm Bb

Do you love

Chorus:

Ab Eb

Maybe I m the right one/Maybe I m the wrong

Bb Fm

Just another play, the pirate, and the papillon

Ab Eb Bb

Time to call it a day

Ab Eb

Maybe you re my last love/Maybe you re my first

Bb Fm

Just another way to play inside the universe

Ab Eb Bb

Now I know why we came

Verse:

Eb C#

Sterile as the barrel/Of an old 12 gauge

Eb C#

Under my skin/And half my age

Eb C#

Hotter than the wax/On a saxifrage

Gm F

The longest wave

Dm Bb

Waiting on the wind/To turn my page

(Eb C# Eb C#)

Eb C#
Steady your sails/For the butterfly flap
 Eb C#
Whatever you do/Don t close that gap
 Eb C#
I m dreaming of a woman/But she s just my nap
Gm F
Your ship is in
 Dm Bb
Waiting on the tide so I can swim

Pre-Chorus:

Cm Bb
Whatcha want
Cm Bb
Whatcha need
Cm Bb
Do you love

Chorus:

Ab Eb
Maybe I m the right one/Maybe I m the wrong
Bb Fm
Just another play, the pirate, and the papillon
Ab Eb Bb
Time to call it a day
Ab Eb
Maybe you re my last love/Maybe you re my first
Bb Fm
Just another way to play inside the universe
Ab Eb Bb
Now I know why we came
C# Ab Eb
Now I know why we came
Ab Eb Bb
Now I know

(Eb Gm Bb Eb Bb Gm Cm Bb)