

Transcending
Red Hot Chili Peppers

Tab key:

- / = Quick slide up
- = Quick slide down
- XbY = Bend note X to make it sound like note Y
- r = Release bend
- h = Hammer on
- () = Very faint note (ghost note)
- x = Muted string
- ~ = Vibrate note using the twang bar
- s = A very slow slide made by moving the twang bar straight down/up

MAIN RIFF:

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This riff plays on the verses and the refrain.

e:

B:

G:--9/11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-119-9-9-9-9-9-9-9/11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-14-14-14-14
-9-9-9--

D:--9/11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-119-9-9-9-9-9-9-9/11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-14-14-14-14
-9-9-9--

A:--7/9--9--9--9--9--9--9--9-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7/9--9--9--9--9--9--9--9--12-12-12-12
-7-7-7--

E:

e:

B:

G:--9/11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-119-9-9-9-9-9-9-9/11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-----9-9
-9--

D:--9/11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-119-9-9-9-9-9-9-9/11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-9-9-9-9-9-9
-9--

A:--7/9--9--9--9--9--9--9--9-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7/9--9--9--9--9--9--9--9-9-9-9-7-7
-7--

E:-----7-7-7-7

SECOND/FOURTH VERSE GUITAR FILL:
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e:-----
B:-----
G:--11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-119-9-9-98-8-8-8b9-9-9-9-9-9-9r8-8-9-8-8-8h9---
D:-----
A:-----
E:-----

e:

B:

G:--11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-119-9-9-98-8-8-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-----
D:-----11-11-11-11-9-9-9-9
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A:

E:

GUITAR INTERLUDE:
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e:-----
B:-----
G:-----9h11-----
D:-----9h11-----9---7-----7-----9-7-----
A:--9-----9-----9-----9-----9-7-----
E:-----9---7-----7h9-----7--

BRIDGE:
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e:

B:-----9---9-11-9-9-9-9-9-----9-9-9-9-11-9-9

G:--8--8--8h11---11-----11-----8--8--8

D:

A:

E:

e:-----
B:--9-9--9-9-----9--9-9--9--11--9--9--9-9--9--
G:----- (11)-----8--8--8-----x-
D:-----
A:-----
E:-----

e:-----
B:-----
G:--8--8-8--8-8--8-8--8-8-8---8--8-8--8-9--9-9--9-9-9-- (Play this part
D:----- 3 times)
A:-----
E:-----

e:-----
B:-----
G:--11--11-11--11-11--11-11---11-11-11-11---- (Play this part
D:----- twice)
A:-----
E:-----

e:-----
B:--14--14-14--14-14--14-14---14-14-14-14---
G:--11--11-11--11-11--11-11---11-11-11-11--- (Play this part
D:----- twice)
A:-----
E:-----

ENDING:
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I m very unsure about this part. I just tried to tab what I heard through all that noise, okay?

Heeeey, gone to stay entire lifetime flash before me
e:-----12---15b17-----12-----12

B:-----12-----12----11b12-----12

G:

D:--2

A:--2

E:--0-----3s0-----3s0s3

In a loving streeeeeeeeeeeeeeam Heeeey, Mother May
e:-----12----12b13r12-----12

B:-----12-----12

G:

D:-----2s5

A:--5-5-4h5-----5/6-6/7-7-8h9

E:-----3-----0-----3s0-0/3

I ve lost a child, but she gave birth To a loving
streeeeeeee...

e:-----12

B:--12s15-----12

G:

D:

A:-----5-5-4h5

E:-----3ssssssssss0-----3-----0

...eeeeeammm Oooooooooooooooooooooohhhhhh never know
e:-----12-----17~-----12

B:-----13b14r13-----12-----12

G:-----14-----14

D:-----14h16

A:--5/6-6/7-7-8h9

E:-----3s0

When the gods will come and take you To a loving
streeeeeeee...

e:--17/20-----12

B:-----12

G:

D:

A:-----5-5-4h5

E:-----3ssssssssssss0-----3-----0

...eeeeeammm Oooooooooohhhh heart of gold The most
e:-----12-----12

B:-----12-----12-----15-----
G:

D:

A:--5/6-6/7-7-8h9-----7~

E:

special things you gave me were from your loving streeeeeeeeeeeammm
e:-----12

B:-----12

G:

D:

A:-----5-5-4h5-----5/6-6/7-7-8h9

E:-----3-----0

In a loving streee...
e:-----12s10s12-----15s12s15

B:-----12s10s12-----15s12s15

G:-----12s9s12

D:

A:--7~-----7s4s7-----5-5-4h5

E:-----3-----0

...eeeeeammm
e:-----
B:-----#####-----

G:-----# Amplifier feedback #----
D:-----# here, no guitar #----
A:--5/6-6/7-7-8--7~~~~~#####
E:-----

F#ck the magaziines! F#ck the green machine! See the human being!

e:-----12--12s13-----15s16---12~-----12s0-----
B:-----12-----
G:-----
D:-----
A:-----
E:-----

In a loving streeeeeeeeeeeeam F#ck the legal greed! F#ck the nothing scene!

e:-----12-----12s13-----15~
-----12s0--

B:-----12

G:

D:

A:--5-5-4h5-----5/6-6/7-7-8h9

E:-----3-----0

See the family! In a loving streeeeeeeeeeeeam

e:-----
15s16s15---

B:-----10~-----
15s16s15---

G:-----7~-----9~

D:

A:-----5-5-4h5-----5/6-6/7-7-8h9-----7~

E:-----3-----0

e:-----

B:--10~-----

G:--7~-----

D:-----5-----2~~~~~-----

A:-----5-5-4---x---2~~~~~-----

E:-----3-----

NOTES:

I believe this tab to be accurate, although a few notes might be wrong (especially in the ending). If you find a more correct solution, then mail me. Also, I haven't written the timing in this tab, so play along with the CD to get the rhythm.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION:

I think Dave Navarro uses a clean guitar sound with no distortion and a delay effect added.

You can hear the delay effect very clearly on the guitar fill and the bridge. Near the ending he uses some sort of a wah-wah effect.