

The Soul Cages
Sting

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STANDARD TUNING

TIME SIGNATURE 4/4

INTRO (4X)

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G |-----|-----|
D |*-----|-----*|
A |*-----|-----3-3-3-3-3-*|
E |--3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-|-6-6-6-----|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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VERSES (13X)

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|*-----|-----8--8--10-10-----*|
|*-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-|-10-10-----8--8-*|
|-----|-----|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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G |-----|-----|
D |-----|-10-10-10-10-10-----|
A |-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-|-10-8----|
E |-----|-----8-|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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(3X)

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|*-----|-8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8-*|
|*-----|-----*|
|--6-6-6-6-6-6-6-6-|-6-6-6-----|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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These are the soul cages... (4X)

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G |-----|-----|-----|-----|
D |-----|-----|*-----|-----*|
A |-----|-----|*-----|-----3-3-3-3-3-*|
E |-6-6-6-6-6-6-6-6-|-8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8-|--3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-|-6-6-6-----|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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INTERLUDE

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G |-----|-----|-----|-----|
D |*-----|-----|-----|-----*|
A |*-----|-----|-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-|-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-*|
E |--5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +   1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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G |-----|-----|
D |*-----|-----10-10-12-12-----*|
A |*-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-|-12-12-----10-10-*|
E |-----|-----|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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(4X)

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|*-----|-----*|
|*-----|-----3-3-5-5-----*|
|--5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-5-5-----3-3--|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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These are the soul cages... (4X)

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G |-----|-----|
D |*-----|-----*|
A |*-----|-3-3-3-5-5-5-5-5-*|
E |--5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-----|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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A body lies open in the... (4X)

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|*-----|-----*|
|*-----|-----3-3-5-5-----*|
|--5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-5-5-----3-3--|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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These are the soul cages...

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G |-----|-----|
D |*-----|-----*|
A |*-----|-3-3-3-5-5-5-5-5-*|
E |--5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-----|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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These are the soul cages...

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G |-----|-----|-----|-----|
D |*-----|-----|-----|-----*|
A |*-----|-----|-----|-----*|
E |--5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-|-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-|-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1--|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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And he dreamed of the ship...

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G |-----|-----|-----|-----|
D |*-----|-----|-----|-----*|
A |*-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-|-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-|-----*|
E |-----|-----|-----|-----|-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2--|
    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +    1 + 2 + 3 + 4 +

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|---|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| G | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| D | ----- | ----- | -----*--*-----*-- | -*-----*--*----- |
| A | -4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4- | -5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5- | -2-2-2-4--4-4-4-5- | -5-5-5-7--7-7-7-7- |
| E | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + |

(*) TIE THESE NOTES

2nd INTERLUDE

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| G | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| D | *----- | ----- | ----- | -----* |
| A | *-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9- | -9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9- | -9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9- | -9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-* |
| E | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + |

FINAL CHORUS

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|---|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------|
| G | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| D | *----- | ----- | ----- | -----* |
| A | *----- | -----2-2-2-2-2- | ----- | -----2-2-2-2-2-* |
| E | -2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2- | -5-5-5----- | -2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2- | -5-5-5----- |
| | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + | 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + |

(REPEAT 3 TIMES AND BEGIN FADE OUT)

ANY COMMENTS AT *