

Cracking
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To: *
Subject: /v/*

[Actually in B; capo up four frets.]

Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F# Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F# G5/F#
[intro]
Em7 Em7/B A7 A7 C Cmaj7 G5 G[single note]
[intro]

 Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
It s a one time thing, it just happens a lot
Csus2 G/B G G5/F#
Walk with me and we will see what we have got
Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F# Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
Ahhhhhhh... Ahhhhhhhh...

 Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
My footsteps are ticking, like water dripping from a tree
Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
Walking a hairline, and stepping very carefully
Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F# Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F# G5/F#
Ahhhhhhh... Ahhhhhhhh...
Em7 Em7/B A7 A7 C Cmaj7 G5 G[single note]
Ahhhhhhh...

 Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
My heart is broken; it s worn out at the knees
Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
Hearing muffled, seeing blind, soon it will hit the deep freeze
Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F# Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
Ahhhhhhh...

 Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
And something is cracking, I don t know where
Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
Ice on the sidewalk, brittle branches in the air

 Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F#
The sun is blinding, dizzy golden, dancing green
Csus2 G/B G5 F#[single note]
Through the park in the afternoon, wondering where the hell

Csus2 G/B G5 G5/F# G5/F#

I have been
 Em7 Em7/B A7 A7 C Cmaj7 A7 A7 C Cmaj7 G5 G[single note]
 Ah ha haaaaa...

INTRO AND VERSE:

[Most of the verse just uses the first four measures of tab.]
 [Note that whenever the G5 measure comes before the Em7-A7 part,
 there is also an A bass note in the second half of the measure.]

Csus2	G/B	G5	G5/F#
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-----3-----	-----3-----	-----3-----	-----3-----
-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0-----
---0-----0---	---0-----0---	---0-----0---	---0-----0---
3-----	2-----	-----	-----
-----	-----	3-----	2-----
^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .	^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .	^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .	^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .

Csus2	G/B	G5	G5/F#	G5/F#
-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
-----3-----	-----3-----	-----3-----	-----3-----	---3---
-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0---
---0-----0---	---0-----0---	---0-----0---	---0-----0---	--0---0-
3-----	2-----	-----0-----	-----	-----
-----	-----	3-----	0=2-----	2-----
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Em7	Em7/B	A7	A7
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-----3-----	-----3-----	-----2-----	-----2-----
-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0-----
---2-----2---	---2-----2---	---2-----2---	---2-----2---
-----	2-----	0-----	0-----
0-----	-----	-----	-----
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C	Cmaj7	G5	G5 [single note]
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-----1-----	-----0-----	-----3-----	-----
-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0-----	-----
---2-----2---	---2-----2---	---0-----0---	-----
3-----	3-----	-----	-----
-----	-----	3-----	3-----
^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .	^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .	^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .	^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .

THE SUN IS BLINDING... :

Csus2	G/B
E -----	-----
The quick notes there	
B -----3-----3--	-----3-----3--

are actually 16-----|th-

note

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G ---0-----0-----|---0-----0-----| triplets; the 03-----|s
D --0-----0-----0-----|--0-----0-----0-----| and 02 s are hammer--|
A 03---03---03---03---|02---02---02---02-----|
ons, obviously. Good
E -----|-----| luck. You can subs---|
  ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . titute something easier.
..sun          is      blind - ing,
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      G5                      G5/F#
E -----|-----|
B -----3-----3--|-----3-----3--|
G ---0-----0-----|---0-----0-----|
D --0-----0-----0-----|--0-----0-----0-----|
A -----|-----|
E 03---03---03---03---|02---02---02---02---|
  ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .
dizzy,  gol - den, danc - ing green
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      Csus2                    G/B
E -----|-----|
B -----3-----3--|-----3-----3--|
G ---0-----0-----|---0-----0-----|
D --0-----0-----0-----|--0-----0-----0-----|
A 03---03---03---03---|02---02---02---02---|
E -----|-----|
  ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .
Through the park in the af - ter - noon,
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      G5                      G5/F#
E -----|-----|
B -----3-----3--|-----|
G ---0-----0-----|-----|
D --0-----0-----0-----|-----|
A -----|-----|
E 03---03---03---03---|2-----|
  ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ . ^ .
wondering  where the hell      I      have      been...
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