

**We Gotta Get Out Of This Place**  
**The Animals**

Verse:

It s best to play this song with bass accompaniment, but  
you can do the bass part on guitar like so:

(repeat through verses)

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E|-----  
B|-----  
G|-----3-2-0-----  
D|---5-----3-----  
A|-3---3-----  
E|-----
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occasionally, the guitar kicks in (listen for timing):

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E|-5--6--8--  
B|-5--6--8--  
G|-6--7--9--  
D|-----  
A|-----  
E|-----
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Chorus:

alternate between

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E|-----  
B|-10--3--5-----  
G|-10--3--5-----  
D|-10--3--5-----  
A|--8--1--3-----  
E|-----
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(obviously, you can do the Bb and C at the 6th and  
8th frets if you prefer, but this way you can add a  
bit of slide)

and

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E|-----  
B|-10--12-----  
G|-10--12-----  
D|-10--12--10-----  
A|--8--10--10-----  
E|-----8-----
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then, over girl, there s a better life... , strum and hold:

E|-1--  
B|-3--  
G|-2--  
D|-0--  
A|----  
E|----

and then repeat 2x before returning to the verse  
(single strums):

E|-----  
B|-10--8--3--5-----  
G|-10--8--3--5-----  
D|-10--8--3--5-----  
A|--8--6--1--3-----  
E|-----

WE GOTTA GET OUT OF THIS PLACE  
(Weil/Mann)

In this dirty old part of the city  
Where the sun refused to shine  
People tell me there ain't no use in tryin

Now my girl you're so young and pretty  
And one thing I know is true  
You'll be dead before your time is due, I know

Watch my daddy in bed a-dyin  
Watched his hair been turnin' grey  
He's been workin' and slavin' his life away  
Oh yes I know it

(Yeah!) He's been workin' so hard  
(Yeah!) I've been workin' too, baby  
(Yeah!) Every night and day  
(Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah!)

We gotta get out of this place  
If it's the last thing we ever do  
We gotta get out of this place  
cause girl, there's a better life for me and you

Now my girl you're so young and pretty  
And one thing I know is true, yeah  
You'll be dead before your time is due, I know it

Watch my daddy in bed a-dyin  
Watched his hair been turnin' grey, yeah  
He's been workin' and slavin' his life away  
I know he's been workin' so hard

(Yeah!) I've been workin' too, baby

(Yeah!) Every day baby  
(Yeah!) Whoa!  
(Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah!)

We gotta get out of this place  
If it s the last thing we ever do  
We gotta get out of this place  
Girl, there s a better life for me and you  
Somewhere baby, somehow I know it

We gotta get out of this place  
If it s the last thing we ever do  
We gotta get out of this place  
Girl, there s a better life for me and you  
Believe me baby  
I know it baby  
You know it too