Simon Simone
The Figgs

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                SIMON SIMONE â€" Mike Gent / The Figgs
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Main Riff is Barre chords: **B D** / **A** / **B**/ - **B D** / **A** / **B** / (repeats until chorus /
Middle 8)
Note: Often MG starts the riff B chord with a m(u)ted upstroke B (chord); also
other chords.
And sometimes MG slides chords from A to B or B to D etc.)

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INTR0:    B     D  /   A   /   B   /   B D / A / B /
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(rhythm: BAH, Ba-BAH, Ba-BAH, Ba-BAH).
VERSE1:
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B     D  /          A  / B  /   u B   u D  / A / u B  /
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Simon Simone didnâ€™t live alone. He came from Montre-al.
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        B     D   /   A  / B  /u B       D  /      A
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He was into our band, and made a plan, to put us in touch with Nancy
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B
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Ross.

CHORUS:
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E                    B               C#m        B
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Simon Simone, he was sitting at home, we were far a-way
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   E                          B          C#m
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But he never called, we were on our own; Simon Simone, Simon Simone:
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      B  D  /  A  /  B  /  - B  D  /  A  /  B  /
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Simon Simone.

VERSE 2:
Same Riff & chording as Verse 1.
When we arrived, the crowd was outside.
The line stretched across the street.
Covered with sweat, squeezing our guitar necks;
(the) audience began to scream.
Simon Simone was sitting at home, we were far away.
I started to laugh, cause his roommate was stabbed.
Simon Simone, Simon Simone:
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      B  D  /  A  /  B  /  - B  D  /  A  /  B  /
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Simon Simone.

MIDDLE 8:
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F#              B            C#m                    B    (Lick)
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Oh-h-h! And we drove,â€¦.almost three hundred miles that day.

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F#                B              C#m
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Oh-hâ€¦.Here we goâ€¦(to) see Simon Simone Simon Simone:
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      B  D  /  A  /  B  / - B  D  /  A  /  B  /
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Simon Simon

VERSE 3:
Same Riff & chording as Verse 1.
Simon Simone, called me at home,
said he really wanted to play.
He didnâ€™t understand, he couldnâ€™t be in the band;
he learned the WHOLE set anyway.
Simon Simone, he wasnâ€™t at home,
still fee(?) for the demand.
But he never called, we were on our own.
Simon Simone, Simon Simone: Simon !
ENDING:
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E                 B                C#m           B
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Simon Simone, was sitting at home, we were far a-way.
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  E                 B              C#m
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Toronto Tom wanted to get it on....Simon Simone, Simon Simone: Simon!
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F#                                B  D / A /  B  / -
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Simon Simone, Simon Simone, Simon Si-mone
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  B   D   /    A  s B / /
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Simon Si mo-one !

Lick: double note ascending b/d#, s c#/e, s d#/f#