

Mexican Guitars
The Menzingers

Mexican Guitars - The Menzingers - On The Impossible Past
Half Step Tuning (D#G#C#F#A#D#)
Arranged by Jack Cookson (Torn_Asunder)

Chords used:

Mute/Don't play the strings marked with an x

D (x00232)
A (x02220)
G (320033)
Bm (x24432)
F#m (244222)

Intro: **D, A, D, A, G**

Verse One:

D A G
You were an old friend
Bm G
The kind I could confide in
D A G Bm G
And drink with on random neighbour's porch steps
Bm G A G
Our glossy eyes painted portraits of the streets

Repeat Intro

Verse Two:

D A G
You were an old friend
Bm G
That covered up your innocence
D A G Bm G
With five tattoos of all the bands you loved in high school
Bm G A G
The ones you said that I had to listen to all the time

Verse Three:

D G D
I did what I did to get away from this
Bm G D
Cause everything that's happened has left me a total wreck

D **G** **D**
And everything that I do now is meaningless
 Bm **G** **D**
So I m off to wander around the world for a little bit
 F#m **G**
Without one hundred channels with nothing on the TV
 F#m **G** **A**
And the great pessimistic unknown

Chorus:

G **D**
So does anyone know the best way to go?
 A **Bm**
Which road that I could take to get to Mexico?
 G **D**
Cause I m so sick of living in this ditch
 A **Bm**
With only the memory in the back of my head

Outro:

G **Bm**
I m on cruise control and the radio was on
 G
Yeah, they were playing that song
 Bm
That we both learned on our Mexican guitars
 G **Bm**
I m on cruise control and the radio was on
 G
They were playing that song
 Bm
That we both learned on our Mexican guitars
 G **Bm**
On our Mexican guitars, on our Mexican guitars
 G **Bm**
On our Mexican guitars, on our Mexican guitars
 G **F#m**
You were my old friend