

Step  
Vampire Weekend

[Intro]

Every time I see you in the world, you always step to my girl

**B Bmaj7 G#m F# E B E F#**

[Verse]

**B**

Back back way back

**Bmaj7**

**G#m**

**F#**

I used to front like Angkor Wat, Mechanicsburg, Anchorage and Dar es Salaam

**E**

**B**

While home from New York was champagne and disco

**E**

**F#**

Tapes from L.A. slash San Francisco

**B**

**Bmaj7**

But actually Oakland and not Alameda

**G#m**

**F#**

Your girl was in Berkeley with her communist reader

**E**

**B**

Mine was entombed within boombox and Walkman

**E**

**F#**

I was a hoarder but girl, that was back then

[Bridge]

**B Bmaj7 G#m F#**

[Chorus]

**B**

**Bmaj7**

**G#m**

The gloves are off, the wisdom teeth are out

**F#**

What you on about?

**E**

**B**

**E**

**F#**

I feel it in my bones, I feel it in my bones

**B**

**Bmaj7**

**G#m**

I m stronger now, I m ready for the house

**F#**

Such a modest mouse

**E**

**B**

**E**

**F#**

I can t do it alone, I can t do it alone

**B** **Bmaj7** **G#m** **F#**  
Every time I see you in the world, you always step to my girl

**E B E F#**

[Verse]

**B** **Bmaj7**  
Ancestors told me that their girl was better  
**G#m** **F#**  
She s richer than Croesus, she s tougher than leather  
**E** **B**  
I just ignored all the tales of a past life  
**E** **F#**  
Stale conversation deserves but a bread knife  
**B** **Bmaj7**  
And punks who would laugh when they saw us together  
**G#m** **F#**  
Well they didn t know how to dress for the weather  
**E** **B**  
I can still see them there huddled on Astor  
**E** **F#**  
Snow falling slow to the sound of the Master

[Chorus]

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The gloves are off, the wisdom teeth are out  
**F#**  
What you on about?  
**E** **B** **E** **F#**  
I feel it in my bones, I feel it in my bones

**B** **Bmaj7** **G#m**  
I m stronger now, I m ready for the house  
**F#**  
Such a modest mouse  
**E** **B** **E** **F#**  
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[Verse]

**B** **Bmaj7**  
Wisdom s a gift but you d trade it for youth  
**G#m** **F#**  
Age is an honour - it s still not the truth  
**E** **B**  
We saw the stars when they hid from the world  
**E** **F#**  
You cursed the sun when it stepped to your girl  
**B** **Bmaj7**

Maybe she's gone and I can't resurrect her

**G#m**

**F#**

The truth is she doesn't need me to protect her

**E**

**B**

We don't know the true death - the true way of all flesh

**E**

**F#**

Everyone's dying but girl - you're not old yet

[Chorus]

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