

**Mystery Girl**  
**Yeah Yeah Yeahs**

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Chords:

EADGBe EADGBe EADGBe EADGBe EADGBe  
E7: 022130 A7: X02223 G: 355543 F#: 244322 F: 133211

EADGBe E A D G B e E A D G B e  
E: 022100 A: X 12 14 14 14 12 B: X 14 16 16 16 14

Here are some rhythm structures, they re not completely right, but they sound close. The are written above the notes.

This one I ll call E5:

1& 2& 3& 4 & 1 &2 &3 & 4  
A|-2--4--5--4-2-|---4--5--5--4-|  
E|-0--0--0--0-0-|---0--0--0--0-|

This is A5:

1& 2& 3& 4 & 1 &2 &3 & 4  
D|-2--4--5--4-2-|---4--5--5--4-|  
A|-0--0--0--0-0-|---0--0--0--0-|  
E|-----|

For the E-slide, start on the low E string at the 12th fret and tremolo pick while down to open.

INTRO:

| G | F# F | E-slide |

VERSE:

E5  
It was the struggle of the century  
A5  
And all the grown men came to see  
E5  
The girl who could tame the tiger, yeah, yeah  
A5  
The heart of the Southern lover  
E5  
They found her under the sea  
A5 A7  
She said she came from cell block 3

(On the last A5, stop at measure 2, beat 1&. Replace the remaining notes with A7 in rhythm.)

PRE-CHORUS:

(For the pre-chorus, hit the bass note twice, then the full chord, a total of four times chord)

E7  
The girl hit hot like a barracuda baby  
A7  
She floated on air like a crest of a wave  
E7  
She was a primal institution  
A7  
She was a danger to herself, yeah  
F# E  
Mad lovin by the cold hearted  
E-slide  
Take a deep breath, babe cause we ve just started

CHORUS:

The rhythm changes here:

E5\*:  
1& 2& 3 & 4 &  
A | -2--4--5-5-4-- |  
E | -0--0--0-0-0-- |

A5\*:  
1& 2& 3 & 4 &  
D | -2--4--5-5-4-- |  
A | -0--0--0-0-0-- |  
E | ----- |

E5\* A5\*  
E5\* A5\*  
Keep on fakin your mystery world  
E5\* A5\*  
Cause the mystery boys will be your toys, yeah  
E5\* A5\* G A B E-slide  
The mystery boys will be your toys

VERSE:

E5  
Not a day goes by I wanna disappear  
A5  
Into her a eyes of mother of pearl  
E5  
And my head feels dead from all this useless fightin  
A5 A7

But my heart ain t dead cause it keeps on lovin

PRE-CHORUS

CHORUS

OUTRO:

repeat G A B over the lyrics

The mystery boys will be your toys, yeah

The mystery boys will be your toys

They ll be your toys, yeah girls

They ll be your toys, alright...

End on E.