COUNTDOWN TO EXTINCTION

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This is a real good and easy song, hope you enjoy it

Notation Legend.-

% = repeat last bar

/ = slide up

\ = slide down

. = palm mute

p = pull off

h = hammer on

/\/\/\ = vibrato (it's up to you if you want to use the bar or not)

b« = bend half step or equivalent

pb« = pre-bend

br« = bend and release

pbr« = pre-bend and release

Normal tunning

Moderately Rock = 126

Intro:

Gtr. 1 w/dist.

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|---0------2---3------8------2---3--------------------2--3----------|

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Gtr. 1 Let ring while Gtr.2 plays

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|--10----9----------------2--------|

|--10----9----------------2--------|

|---8----7---------3------0--------|

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Gtr. 2

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|--0--0--0--0--0--2/3/8--8--8--8--8--8--8--8---5--5--5--5--5--5--5--5------|

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Gtr. 2

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|--------------7--7--7--7\-----0--0--0--0--0--3/5h7-----|

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Gtr. 2

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|--8--8--8--8--8--8--7h8--7---5--5--5--5--5--5\3h5---------------7--7--7--7|

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Verse 1:

Clean

|---------------1----------2--------3-----0----|----------|

|---------------1----------3--------3-----0----|----------|

|---2-----------2----------2--------0-----1----|----%-----|

|---2-----------3----------0--------0-----2----|----------|

|---0------------------------------------------|----------|

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w/dist.

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|--2-------------10--------7-----------------9--|-----%------------|

|--2-------------10--------7---------5-------9--|-(without-slide)--|

|--0----3/--------8--------5---------5-------7--|------------------|

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|---2----------------10---------------------------------------------|

|---2----------------10---------------------------------------------|

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|---8----7---------3---------------|

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Verse:

Endangered species, caged in fright,

Shot in cold blood, no chance to fight,

The stage is set, now pay the price,

An ego boost, don't think twice.

Technology, the battle's unfair,

You pull the hammer without a care.

Squeeze the trigger that makes you Man.

Pseudo-safari, the hunt is canned...

The hunt is canned

Chorus:

Gtr. 1 on top, 2 on bottom

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|-------------------12-13------12------------------------------------------|

|--14-14-14--14--14--4--5--12---4----14-14-14---14-12-----12---------------|

|---7--7--7---7---7---------5---------7--7--7----7--5--15--5--15-14--------|

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Repeat six times then.-

Gtr. 1 on top, 2 on bottom

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|-----8--6--5------6--5------------5---------------------------------------|

|--2-----------7---------7--6---------7--6-----------7--6------------------|

|-----5--3--2------3--2--------8---2--------8----7---------8---7---5-------|

|--------------5---------5--4--1------5--4--1--------5--4--1---------------|

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|--7brfull--(7)------------------|-7-----+5------4-----------------|

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|--5brfull--(5)------------------|---------------------------------|

\*Gtr 1

+Gtr 2

Chorus:

All are gone all but one.

No contest no where to run.

No more left only one.

This is it, this is the

countdown to extinction.

Verse 2:

Gtr. 1&2

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|--2-------------10--------7-----------------9--|-----%-X3---------|

|--2-------------10--------7---------5-------9--|-(without-slide)--|

|--0----3/--------8--------5---------5-------7--|------------------|

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|Gtr. 3&4 |

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|--5--------------6--------7--------------------|------------------|

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|--2--------------3--------4--------------------|--(don't repeat)--|

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Gtr. 1&2

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|---2----------------10---------------------------------------------|

|---2----------------10---------------------------------------------|

|---0------2---3------8------2---3--------------------2--3----------|

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|--10----9-------------------------|

|--10----9-------------------------|

|---8----7---------3---------------|

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Verse 2:

Tell the truth, you wouldn't dare.

The skin and trophy, oh so rare.

Silence speaks louder than words.

Ignore the guilt, and take your turn.

Liars anagram is "liars,"

Man you were never even there.

Killed a few feet from the cages,

Point blank, your so courageous...

So corageous.

(repeat chorus, but without last bar)

Guitar solo 1:

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|--5---5---------7---7-----7----|--------|--5--5-------7--7---5------------|

|--5---5---------7---7-----7----|--%-X5--|--5--5-------7--7---5------------|

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|--7-/-----(7)-/----(7)\5----|

|--7-------(7)------(7)\5----|

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Interlude:

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|-------2---3---2/7-------------------2---3--2/7---------------|

|----0---------------7-----------------------------7--------0--|

|------------------------8--7-----3---------------------8------|

Hold-----ª

|--------0-----3/5---3-------------------------------------|

|--------3--------------5\3p1---3p1------1---3/5---3---1---|

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|---2---3---2/7---------------2--3--2/7-----------------2--3--2/7----------|

|----------------7-----1---2------------7---5--3--2---3------------7--6p5p3|

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Hold------------ª Interlude.-

|---------------3-------| One hour from now, another species of life

|------------3----------| form will disappear off the face of the planet,

|---------5-------------| forever, and the rate is accelerating.

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Guitar solo 2:

Gtr. 1

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|------5-------------------5---------------5----------------6--5----8--10--|

|---------7-------------------7---------------7-----5---4------------------|

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|Gtr. 2 |

|------8--7----------------8--7------------8--7-----5-------5-------7---5--|

|---------------5---6-------------6p5-------------------8------9-----------|

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Gtr. 1

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|---------7-------------------7---------------7-----5---4------------------|

|---------------5---7-------------7p5--------------------------------------|

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|Gtr. 2 |

|------8--7----------------8--7------------8--7-----5-------5-------7---5--|

|---------------5---6-------------6p5-------------------8------9-----------|

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Gtr. 1

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|---------15------------------15-------------------13--12------------------|

|--------------12--14------------14p12-------------------------------------|

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|Gtr. 2 |

|------8--7----------------8--7------------8--7-----5-------5-------7---5--|

|---------------5---6-------------6p5-------------------8------9-----------|

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Gtr. 1 |

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|---------15------------------15-------------------13--12------------------|

|--------------12--14------------14p12-------------------------------------|

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|Gtr. 2 |

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|---------------5---6-------------6p5-------------------8------9-----------|

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Repeat the second chorus and add this ending.-

Hold----------------ª

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Well... that's all for now see ya next tab