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"WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS"

B 1st Chorus (0:35)

on and on and on and on We are the champions my friends and
 C5^{III} F5 A5 D5 Bb5 C5^{III}
 end Rhy. Fig. 1 Rhy. Fig. 2

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we'll keep on fighting 'til the end We are the champions we are the champions
 F5 A5 Bb5^{VI} F#°7 D/F# Gm C/G Bb5 N.C.(Db°7)

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No time for losers 'cause we are the champions of the world
 F5^{type2} Ebadd2/G Fm/Ab Bbsus²₄ C7sus4 end Rhy. Fig. 2

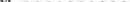
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I've taken my

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C 2nd Verse (1:18)

bows and my curtain calls You brought me fame and fortune and everything that goes with it I thanked
(C5) C7sus4^{III} (C5) C7sus4^{III} (C5) C7sus4^{III}
let ring throughout
(dist. off) P.M. 

[illegible]

25 you all But it's been no bed of roses no pleasure cruise I consider it a

(C5) C7sus4^{III} E^b E^bsus4 E^b E^bsus4

5 4 3 3 3 6* 6 8 8 8 8 9 8 8 (8)* 6* (6) 8 8 9 8 (8)*

17* 17 19 13 12 13* 13 13 6* 8 8 8 8* X 8 6* (6) 8 8

challenge	before all human race	and I'd	never	lose	and the meters go	on	and	on	and	on	and on	C5 ^{III}
E♭	B♭/D	C5	F5	B♭5								

Gtr. 2 plays Rhy. Fig. 1 (see meas. 7)
Gtr. 1 (w/dist.)

[illegible]

D 2nd Chorus (1:51)

We are the champions my friends

Gtr. 2 plays Rhy. Fig. 2 twice simile (see meas. 10)

and we'll keep on fighting 'til
F5 A5

31 *~~~~~ plays key, fig. 2 twice simultaneously*

the end We are the champions we are the champions
Bb5^{VI} F#°7 D/F# Gm C/G Bb5 (Db°7)

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12-13 12-10 12-14 15 (15) 10 (10) 11 13 13-13 11 (11)

6 5 3 (2) 3 5-3 5 3 (3) 6 (6) 4 7 10

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F5 type2 Eb add2/G Fm/Ab Bb sus 2/4 C7sus4 P.M.

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We are the champions my friends and we'll keep on fighting

F5 A5 D5 Bb5 C5 III F5 A5

40 Bass

'til the end Ah we are the champions

Bb5 VI F#°7 D/F# Gm C/G

43 Gtr. 1

Bass

we are the champions No time for losers 'cause

Bb5 1/2 (Db°7) F5 type2 Eb add2/G

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we are the champions

Fm/Ab Bb sus 2/4 C7sus4

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Rhy. Fill 1 (2:34)

Bb5 VI

N.C.(D/F#)

let ring

Gtr. 2

T 12

A 8

B 6

5 3 2 1 0 2 0