

1. In the Verses: For lyric spacing, I had to go with 3-bars-per-staff. Musically, they feel like 4+5.
2. Bass dilemma in "5-voices" section: Mike Love sings lead on this song, and he was always the bass singer. Wikipedia claims that five guys sing on this record, but this bass sounds like Mike too, especially as it seamlessly flows into the next section. Overdubbed? And due to the low recording fidelity, I've done some guessing as to how much is sung... Bass might only sing on: V1 "have a good time", V2 tacet, V3 "know I'm comin' back".

♩ = 143

Surfin'

BEACH BOYS

Refrain 1

Vocals (5 or 4)

Surf - in' is the on - ly life, the on - ly way for me, now surf, surf with
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me.
bomp bomp dip di-dip_ di-dip, bomp bomp dip di-dip I

Verse 1

Ooh surf - in' ooh
got up this morn - in', turned on my ra - di - o, I was check-in' out the surf - in' scene to
surf - in' Ooh surf - in'
see if I would go, and when the D. J. tells me that the surf - in' is fine,

5 voices

that's when I know my ba - by and I will have a good_ time.
that's when I know my ba - by and I will have a good_ time. an' we're go - in'
that's when I know my ba - by and I will have a good time

Chorus 1

Surf - in' surf - in' surf-in' surf-in'
Bomp bomp dip di-dip_ di-dip, bomp bomp dip di-dip (same lyrics)

Surf-in' (same lyrics) surf-in' (same lyrics) surf-in' surf-in'

Refrain 2

Surf - in' is the on - ly life, the on - ly way for me, now surf, surf with

me. bomb bomb dip di - dip di - dip, bomb bomb dip di-dip

Verse 2

Ooh surf - in' ooh From the ear - ly morn-in' to the mid-dle of the night, An - y time the surf is up, the

surf - in' Ooh surf - in' time is right. And when the surf is down, to take its place,

5 voices

we'll do the Surf - er Stomp, it's the lat - est dance. craze. then we're go - in' Tacet

Chorus 2

3

A^b

Surf - in' ____ surf-in' ____ surf-in' ____ surf-in ____

Bomp bomp dip di-dip_ di-dip, (same lyrics) di-dip, (same lyrics)

D^b **A^b**

Surf-in' ____ surf-in' ____ surf-in' ____ surf-in ____

(same lyrics) (same lyrics)

Refrain 3

E^b **D^b** **E^b** **D^b**

Surf - in' is the on - ly life, the on - ly way for me, now surf, surf with

Surf - in' is the on - ly life, the on - ly way for me, now surf, surf with

A^b

me.

bomp bomp dip di - dip_ di-dip, bomp bomp dip di-dip

Verse 3

A^b

Ooh surf - in' ____ ooh

Now the dawn is break-in' and we real - ly got - ta go, but we'll be back here ve - ry soon, _

D^b

surf - in' ____ Ooh surf - in' ____

that you bet - ter know, yeah my surf - in' knots are ris - in' and my board is los - in' wax,

5 voices

E^b

but that won't stop me ba - by 'cause you know I'm com - in' back. _____

but that won't stop me ba - by 'cause you know I'm com - in' back. _____ and go - in'

but that won't stop me ba - by 'cause you know I'm com - in' back. _____

Chorus 3

A^b

Surf - in' _____ surf - in' _____ surf - in' _____ surf - in' _____

Bomp bomp dip di-dip_ di-dip, bomp bomp dip di-dip. (same lyrics) di-dip,

D^b **A^b**

Surf - in' _____ surf - in' _____ surf - in' _____ surf - in' _____

(same lyrics) (same lyrics)

Refrain 4

E^b **D^b** **E^b** **D^b**

Surf - in' is the on - ly life, the on - ly way for me, now, Come on pret - ty ba - by, and surf with me. _

Surf - in' is the on - ly life, the on - ly way for me, now, Come on pret - ty ba - by, and surf with me, _ yeah

Vamps out

A^b

Ooh _____

Bomp bomp dip di - dip_ di - dip, bomp bomp dip di - dip.