

# Burden

Chorus

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♩ = 168

Soprano Solo

Baritone Solo

Tenor 1 *claps*

Tenor 2 *claps*

Baritone *claps*

Bass

5 **A** INTRO / INTERLUDE 1

S.

Bar.

T1.

T2.

Bar.

B. *mf*

dm dm ba dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm V.S.

9 **B** *mf* VERSE 1

S. *was nev-er a wild child, 'til you un - tamed me.*

Bar.

T1.

T2. *pp*  
la la la la la la la la la la la la

Bar.

B. *dm dm ba dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm*

12

S. *A cold - blood-ed crea - ture, 'til you in -*

Bar.

T1. *pp*  
la la la la la la la la la la la la la la la la

T2. *la la la la la la la la la la la la*

Bar.

B. *dm dm dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm*

## Chorus

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15

S.   
fla - med me. \_\_\_\_\_ Bash - ful and self - con-tained,

Bar. 

T1.   
la la la la la la la la la la la

T2.   
la la la la la la la la la la la la la la la la

Bar. 

B.   
dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm

18

S.   
'til you \_\_\_\_\_ un-a - shamed me. \_\_\_\_\_

Bar. 

T1.   
la la la la la la la la la la la la

T2.   
la la

Bar. 

B.   
dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm da dm da V.S.

## Chorus

21 *mf*

S. No - bo-dy, No - bo-dy, No - bo-dy 'til you named me, —

Bar.

T1. 8 la

T2. 8 la

Bar.

B. dm dm ba dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

24 **C** PRECHORUS 1

S. un - til you named me.

Bar.

T1. 8 la la la la la la la la la la la la

T2.

Bar.

B. dm dm da dm da dm dm ba dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm

## Chorus

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**D** CHORUS 1

*f*

S. Now you are the air\_\_ that fills my\_lungs, you are the breath that

Bar. *f* Now you are the air\_\_ that fills my\_lungs, you are the breath that

T1. *f* Now you are the air!\_\_

T2. *f* Now you are the air!

Bar. *f* Now you are the air!\_\_

B. dm ba dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm do do dm\_\_

32

S. makes me strong, you are the catch that sticks in my throat,

Bar. makes me strong, you are the catch that sticks in my throat,

T1. ah, the catch, the catch in my

T2. ah, the catch, the catch in my

Bar. ah, the catch, the catch in my

B. dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm V.S.

## Chorus

35

S. you are the bur - den of my song, you are the bur-den of \_\_\_\_\_ my-

Bar. you are the bur-den! you are the bur-den!

T1. throat bur-den! you are the bur-den!

T2. throat bur-den! you are the bur-den!

Bar. throat bur-den! you are the bur-den!

B. dm dm ba dm dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm ba do dm dm ba

39 **E** INTERLUDE 2

S. song.

Bar. *mp* I can

T1. *claps*

T2. *claps*

Bar. *claps*

B. dm dm ba dm dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm

43 **F** VERSE 2 *p*

S. *da na na da na na da na na da na na da na na*

Bar. *bare - ly re-mem-ber a time be - fore you,*

T1. *p continue clapping*  
oo

T2. *p continue clapping*  
oo

Bar. *p continue clapping*  
oo

B. *dm dm ba dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm*

46

S. *da na na da na na da na na da na na da na na*

Bar. *and these arms were in-vent-ed just to re - as -*

T1. *p*  
oo

T2. *p*  
oo

Bar. *p*  
oo

B. *dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm*

## Chorus

49

S. *da na na da na na da na na*

Bar. *sure you, and these eyes were de - vided spe-*

T1. *ah* *mp*

T2. *ah* *mp*

Bar. *ah* *mp*

B. *dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm*

52

S. *da na na da na na da na na da na na da na na*

Bar. *ci-fic-ally to ad-ore you, see-ing*

T1.

T2.

Bar.

B. *dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm dm da dm da*



## Chorus

9

55

S. *mf* *p*  
oo ah

Bar. *f*  
No-bo-dy, No-bo-dy, No - bo-dy 'til they saw you, un-til they

T1. *mf* *p*  
No-bo-dy, No-bo-dy, No - bo-dy oo

T2. *mf* *p*  
No-bo-dy, No-bo-dy, No - bo-dy oo

Bar. *mf* *p*  
No-bo-dy, No-bo-dy, No - bo-dy oo

B. *mf* *p*  
dm dm ba dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm dm dm da dm da

59 **G** PRECHORUS 2

S. *mp*  
oh Now

Bar. *mp*  
saw you.

T1. *mp*  
x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x

T2. *mp*  
x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x

Bar. *mp*  
x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x x

B. *mp*  
dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm V.S.

63 **H** CHORUS 2

S. you are the air that fills my lungs, you are the breath that makes me strong, you are the catch that

Bar. *p* Now you are the air!\_ oo the

T1. *stop clapping* *p* Now you are the air!\_ oo the

T2. *stop clapping* *p* Now you are the air!\_ oo the

Bar. *stop clapping* *p* Now you are the air!\_ oo the

B. oo oo

68

S. sticks in my throat, you are the bur-den of my song, you are the bur-den

Bar. catch, the catch in my throat oo oo

T1. *8* catch, the catch in my throat oo oo

T2. *8* catch, the catch in my throat oo oo

Bar. catch, the catch in my throat oo oo

B. oo oo

## Chorus

11

72

S. *f* **I**  
of my\_ song you are the air\_ that fills my\_lungs, you are the breath that

Bar. *f*  
you are the air\_ that fills my\_lungs, you are the breath that

T1. *clap on last three beats, continue* *f*  
Now you are the air!\_

T2. *clap on last three beats, continue* *f*  
Now you are the air!

Bar. *clap on last three beats, continue* *f*  
Now you are the air!\_

B. *f*  
ka do da do ka don dm dm ba dm dm dm dm do do dm

76

S. makes me strong, you are the catch that sticks in my throat,

Bar. makes me strong, you are the catch that sticks in my throat,

T1. ah, the catch, the catch in my

T2. ah, the catch, the catch in my

Bar. ah, the catch, the catch in my

B. dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm V.S.

79

S. you are the bur - den of my song, you are the bur-den of my\_ song

Bar. you are the bur-den! you are the bur-den!

T1. throat bur-den! you are the bur-den!

T2. throat bur-den! you are the bur-den!

Bar. throat bur-den! you are the bur-den!

B. dm dm ba dm dm dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm do do

83 **J** BRIDGE

S. *p* oo oo oo

Bar. *p* oo oo oo oo

T1. *pp* stop clapping oo oo oo oo

T2. *pp* stop clapping oo oo oo

Bar. *pp* stop clapping oo oo oo oo

B. *improvised bass solo* do...

## Chorus

13

90 K

S. *p* la da da da la

Bar.

T1. *p* You are my hook, my life's re -

T2. *p* You are my hook, my life's re -

Bar.

B. dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da

94 *p* *mf*

S. la la la la la la la

Bar.

T1. frain, and I know you'll come a - round a -

T2. frain, and I know you'll come a - round a -

Bar.

B. dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da V.S.

## Chorus

98

S. *la la la* *la u du du da da la la*

Bar. *claps*

T1. *gain. You are my hook, my life's re -*

T2. *gain. You are my hook, my life's re -*

Bar. *claps*

B. *dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da*

*cresc. poco a poco*

*mp*

*mf*

102

S. *la* *la la la la la la round*

Bar.

T1. *frain, and I know you'll come a - round*

T2. *frain, and I know you'll come a - round*

Bar.

B. *dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da dm ba dm ba dm dm da*

*f*

*mf*

*mf*

## Chorus

## L CHORUS 3

106

S. hey! hey! you are the air that fills my lungs, you are the breath that

Bar. hey! hey! you are the air that fills my lungs, you are the breath that

T1. hey! hey! Now you are the air!\_

T2. hey! hey! Now you are the air!

Bar. hey! hey! Now you are the air!\_

B. dm ba dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm do do dm

110

S. makes me strong, you are the catch that sticks in my throat, you are the bur - den

Bar. makes me strong, you are the catch that sticks in my throat, you are the bur - den!

T1. ah, the catch, the catch in my throat bur - den!

T2. ah, the catch, the catch in my throat bur - den!

Bar. ah, the catch, the catch in my throat bur - den!

B. dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

V.S.

## Chorus

114

S. of my song, you are the bur - den of my song, you are the bur - den of my -

Bar. you are the bur - den! you are the bur - den!

T1. you are the bur - den! you are the bur - den!

T2. you are the bur - den! you are the bur - den!

Bar. you are the bur - den! you are the bur - den!

B. dm dm ba dm ba dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm ba dm dm dm dm

119 **M** OUTRO

S. *song.*

Bar.

T1.

T2.

Bar.

B. *dm do nm dm do nm dm dn dn bn*



## Chorus

17

124

S.

Bar.

T1.

T2.

Bar.

B.

dn do dn do bn dm b dm b d dm dm bn dm dm dm