Styrofoam Boots – Modest Mouse

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TbZQbPhya1A>

Key G

Intro:

e|---3-----3-----------|----3-----3---------------|----3------3-------------|

B|---0-----0-----------|----0-----0---------------|----0------0-------------|

G|---0-----0-------2p0-|----0-----0-2p0-----------|----0------0--------2p0--|

D|--------------2p0----|----------------2p0-(2p0)-|----------------2p0------|

A|2-----2-----2--------|-2------2-----------------|-2------2-----2----------|

E|3-----3-----3--------|-3------3-----------------|-3------3-----3----------|

(Fill:)

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|-2p0---------------2p0---|

|-----3p0-2p0-2p0-3-------| x2

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\*The (2p0) is played the second time around

DDDUDUDDUDUDDUDUD

Verses:

Verse A

e|-3-3-3-33-33-3-|-33-33-3-33-33-3-|-3-3-3-33-33-3-|-33-33-3-33-33-3-|

A|-3-3-3-33-33-0-|-33-33-3-33-33-3-|-3-3-3-33-33-0-|-33-33-3-33-33-3-|

D|-0-0-0-00-00-0-|-00-00-0-00-00-0-|-0-0-0-00-00-0-|-00-00-0-00-00-0-|

G|-2-2-2-22-22-2-|-22-22-2-22-22-2-|-0-0-0-00-00-0-|-00-00-0-00-00-0-|

B|-2-2-2-22-22-2-|-22-22-2-22-22-2-|-2-2-2-22-22-2-|-22-22-2-22-22-2-|

E|-0-0-0-00-00-0-|-00-00-0-00-00-0-|-3-3-3-33-33-3-|-33-33-3-33-33-3-|

Verse B

e|----3-----3-----3-----3-|----3-----3-----3-----3-|

B|----0-----0-----0-----0-|----0-----0-----0-----0-|

G|----0-----0-----0-----0-|----0-----0-----0-----0-|

D|------------------------|------------------------| (Usually x2)

A|-2-----2-----2-----2----|-2-----2-----2-----2----|

E|-3-----3-----3-----3----|-3-----3-----3-----3----|

Verse C (x1)

(Same as Intro)

\*Verse A: The strumming pattern changes at various places throughout the song. Most the

time it's the same as above,

but just listen for it and you'll be fine. Repeats for different lengths throughout the

song. Usually its x2.

\*Verse B: Usually repeats twice. Occasionally the fill gets played at the end of Verse B.

Again, just listen for it. The song ends on this.

\*Verse C: The intro gets played again at about 1:10 in the song. Just gets played once.

**G**

Well all’s not well

But i’m told that it’ll all be quite nice

**Em**  **G**

You’ll be drowned in boots like  Mafia

**Em**  **G**

But your feet will still float like Christ’s

And i’ll be damned

They were right

I’m drowning upside down

My feet afloat like Christ’s

I’m in heaven

Trying to figure out which stack

**B**  **G**

They’re going  to stuff us atheists into

When Peter and his monkey laugh

And i laugh with them

**C#dim**  **G**

I’m not sure what at

They point and say

We’ll keep you in the back

**Em**  **G**

Polishing halos, baking manna and gas

**Em**  **G**

Well some guy comes in looking a bit like everyone i ever seen

**Em**  **G**

He moves just like crisco disco

Breath 100% listerine

He says looking at something else

**Em** **G**

But directing everything to me

**Em**

Ever time anyone gets on their knees to pray

**Dm**

Well it makes my telephone ring

**F**

And i’ll be damned

**Gm**

He said you were right

**G**

No one’s running this whole thing

He had a theory too

He said that god takes care of himself

And you of you

It’s all nice on

**Em**

ice

**G**

alright

And it’s not

**Em**

day

And it’s not night

But it’s

**G**

all nice on ice alright