

Gimme Some Truth

John Lennon

Verse 1

♩ = 67

Score for "Gimme Some Truth" (Verse 1) by John Lennon. The score is written for a full band and includes the following parts:

- Vocals:** The lead vocal line, featuring the lyrics "I'm sick and tired of hear - ing things from".
- Guitar:** Includes a Rhythm Guitar (Gtr) part with a melodic line and a Solo Guitar (SGtr) part with a single-note line.
- Bass:** A bass line (Ba) providing a steady accompaniment.
- Drums:** A drum part (Dr) featuring a consistent pattern of eighth notes.
- Piano:** A piano part (P) consisting of a steady accompaniment of eighth notes.

The score is written in 4/4 time, with a tempo of 67 beats per minute. The key signature is one flat (Bb). The lyrics are: "I'm sick and tired of hear - ing things from Up-tight short sighted narrow minded hypocrites All I want is the truth,".

4

V_o

8

just gimme some truth I've had enough of reading things By

Gtr

8

SGtr

8

Ba

8

Dr

P

Detailed description: This system contains measures 1 through 4 of the song. The vocal line (V_o) begins with a 7-measure rest, then enters with the lyrics 'just gimme some truth'. The guitar (Gtr) plays a rising scale. The string guitar (SGtr) plays a single note. The bass (Ba) plays a rhythmic pattern. The drums (Dr) play a pattern of eighth notes. The piano (P) plays a pattern of eighth notes.

6

V_o

8

neu - ro-tic psy - chotic pig-headed po-li-ticians All I want is the truth,

Gtr

8

SGtr

8

Ba

8

Dr

P

Detailed description: This system contains measures 5 through 8 of the song. The vocal line (V_o) continues with the lyrics 'neu - ro-tic psy - chotic pig-headed po-li-ticians' and then 'All I want is the truth,'. The guitar (Gtr) plays a rising scale. The string guitar (SGtr) plays a single note. The bass (Ba) plays a rhythmic pattern. The drums (Dr) play a pattern of eighth notes. The piano (P) plays a pattern of eighth notes.

Chorus 1

8

V_o

just gimme some truth No short-haired, yellow-bellied Son of tricky dicky's Gonna

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

10

V_o

mo - ther hub - bard soft soap me With just a po - cket full of

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

11

V_o

8

hopes Money for dope, money for rope Woo hoo

Gtr

8

SGtr

8

Ba

8

Dr

P

14

Solo

V_o

8

Gtr

8

SGtr

8

Ba

8

Dr

P

4
17

V_o

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

19

V_o

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

Chorus 2

21

V_o

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

No short-haired, yellow-bellied, Son of tricky dicky's Gonna

23

V_o

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

mo - ther hub - bard soft soap me With just a po - cket full of

6
24

V_o

8 hopes Money for dope, money for rope

Gtr

8

SGtr

8

Ba

8

Dr

P

27

Verse 2

V_o

8 I'm sick to death of see - ing things from

Gtr

8

SGtr

8

Ba

8

Dr

P

28

V_o

Tight-lipped condescending mama's little chauvinists All I want is the truth,

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

30

V_o

just gimme some truth I've had enough of watching scenes from

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

8 32

V_o

Schizophrenic e-gocentric paranoiac primadonnas All I want is the truth

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

34

Chorus 3

V_o

just gimme some truth No short-haired, yellow-bellied Son of tricky dicky's Gonna

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

36

V_o

mo - ther hub - bard soft soap me With just a po - cket full of

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 36 and 37. The vocal line (V_o) features a melody with lyrics. The guitar (Gtr) and solo guitar (SGtr) parts provide harmonic support. The bass (Ba) line has a steady eighth-note pattern. The drums (Dr) play a consistent pattern with snare and bass drum. The piano (P) part features a simple accompaniment with chords and single notes.

37

V_o

hopes It's money for dope, money for rope Ah

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 37 and 38. The vocal line (V_o) continues the melody with lyrics. The guitar (Gtr) and solo guitar (SGtr) parts continue their harmonic support. The bass (Ba) line continues its eighth-note pattern. The drums (Dr) play a consistent pattern with snare and bass drum. The piano (P) part continues its accompaniment with chords and single notes.

Verse 3

Vo 8

I'm sick to death of hearing things from Uptight short-sighted narrow minded hypocrites

Gtr 8

SGtr 8

Ba 8

Dr 8

P 8

Vo 42

All I want is the truth now, just gimme some truth now

Gtr 8

SGtr 8

Ba 8

Dr 8

P 8

44

V_o

I've had enough of reading things By neu - ro-tic psy - chotic pig-headed po-liticians

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 44 and 45. The vocal line (V_o) features a melodic line with lyrics. The guitar (Gtr) and solo guitar (SGtr) parts provide harmonic support. The bass (Ba) line follows the vocal melody. The drums (Dr) play a consistent pattern of eighth notes. The piano (P) part consists of a steady accompaniment of chords.

46

V_o

All I want is the truth now, just gimme some truth now

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 46 and 47. The vocal line (V_o) continues the melody with the lyrics. The guitar (Gtr) and solo guitar (SGtr) parts continue their harmonic support. The bass (Ba) line follows the vocal melody. The drums (Dr) maintain the eighth-note pattern. The piano (P) part continues with the same accompaniment.

Outro

48

V_o

8

All I want is the truth now, just gimme some truth now

G_{tr}

SG_{tr}

8

B_a

8

Dr

P

50

V_o

8

All I want is the truth, just gimme some truth

G_{tr}

SG_{tr}

8

B_a

8

Dr

P

52

V_o

All I want is the truth, just gimme some truth

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P

54

V_o

All I want is the truth, just gimme some truth

Gtr

SGtr

Ba

Dr

P