## by Red Hot Chili Peppers

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UNIVERSALLY SPEAKING (Bassline)
As recorded by Red Hot Chili Peppers
(From the 2002 Album BY THE WAY)
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Gtr I (E A D G) - 'Flea'
Intro
 Moderately Q=124
 EEEEEEE EEEEQE +E EEEEEE EEEEQ E
|-7---7---|-7---6--7-|-(7)---7---7---|-7---6--7-|
|-----|-----5-----|
|---5---5---5-|---5-----|------|
 Q EEEEEE EEEEQE Q EEEEEE EEEEQE
|----7---|-7----6--7-|-
|-----|----5-----|
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 Chorus
  Q EEEEEE EEEEQE Q EEEEEE EEEEQ E
| | -----|
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|-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-|-5-5-5-5-5-5-5---||
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 Bridge
E E E E E E E E +E E +E E +E Q. E E E E E E E E E | | -----14- | - (14) -----16- (16) -14--- | ------14- |
||0-7-7-7-7-7514----|-----14-(14)------|-7-7-7-7-7-7-7514----|
||0-----|----|-----|
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|-(14)----18-16-(16)-14-----|------|-----
|----14-----14\--|-5--5--5-5-|---9-9--9--9--0||
|-----|-----|
                    To Coda
 EEEEEEE Eeq H W
                     +W
I - - - - - - | - - - - - | - - - - - | - - - - - | - - - - - | - - - - - | I
|-----|
|-9-9-9-9-9-9-9-1-----|
|----|-0----|-(0)----|
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EEEEEEE EEEEQE +E EEEEEE EEEEQ E
|-7---7---|-7---|-7----6--7-|-(7)---7---7---|-7---7--
+E EEEEEE EEEEQ E Q EEEEEE EEEEQ E
Verse
                                                                        D.S. al Coda
     Q EEEEEE EEEEQE Q EEEEEE EEEEQ E
||0-5---5--5--5-|--5--5----|-7---7--7-|--7--7-|
||-----|----|
       EEEEEE EEEEQE Q EEEEEE EEEEQE 3x
||----7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7---|-7
||0-5---5--5--5-|--5--5----|-7---7--7-|--7--7-|
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  O E E E E E E E E E E E
|----7---7---|-7---7---| |
|---|---|---|
|-5---5---5-|---5---5---||
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   Outro-Guitar Solo
      \hbox{\tt E} \quad \hbox{\tt E}
|--14-----14----|-12-----12-----12----
| | 0---14---14- (14) ----14-- | ----12-----12-----12-|
||0----12-----|----10-----10-----
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   |-12-----|
|-----10-----10-----|-5----5-(5)-5-5----|
|-----|----|
   E E E E E O
                                  EEEEEEE
|-14-----14----|-12------12-----|
|----14----14-(14)----14--|----12------12-|
|-----12------|-----10------|
E E E E E E E E W
|----12-------12\-|-----*|
|-----|-5----*|
Duration Legend
W - whole; H - half; Q - quarter; E - 8th; S - 16th; T - 32nd; X - 64th; a - acciaccatura
+ - note tied to previous; . - note dotted; .. - note double dotted
Uncapitalized letters represent notes that are staccato (1/2 duration)
Irregular groupings are notated above the duration line
Duration letters will always appear directly above the note/fret number it represents the
duration for. Duration letters with no fret number below them represent rests. Multi-
bar rests are notated in the form Wxn, where n is the number of bars to rest for. Low
melody durations appear below the staff
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Tablature Legend
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h - hammer-on
p - pull-off
b - bend
pb - pre-bend
r - bend release (if no number after the r, then release immediately)
/\ - slide into or out of (from/to "nowhere")
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s - legato slide S - shift slide