

22 Acacia Avenue

Iron Maiden

The Number Of The Beast

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Music by Iron Maiden

Standard tuning

♩ = 84

dist. guit.

Intro

Verso Riff 1

Musical notation for measures 1-6. The Intro (measures 1-4) consists of a single chord (E5) in 4/4 time. Verso Riff 1 (measures 5-6) features a descending eighth-note pattern (G4, F4, E4) in 4/4 time.

T					
A				7	9
B				5	7

Musical notation for measures 7-11. Measure 7 continues the riff. Measure 8 has a rest. Measure 9 continues the riff. Measure 10 changes to 3/4 time. Measure 11 changes to 3/16 time with a tempo change to ♩ = 96.

T							
A	9	7		5	7	9	9
B	7	5	5	5	5	7	7

Verso Riff 2

Musical notation for measures 12-15. Measure 12 has a rest. Measure 13 starts with a slide (sl.) and a 'let ring' instruction. Measure 14 has a rest. Measure 15 continues with a slide and 'let ring'.

T							
A	5	7	7	9	9	9	9
B	3	5	5	7	7	7	7

Break

♩ = 84

Musical notation for measures 16-21. Measure 16 has a rest. Measure 17 starts with a slide and 'let ring'. Measure 18 has a rest. Measure 19 continues with a slide and 'let ring'. Measure 20 has a rest. Measure 21 ends with a single chord (E5).

T							
A	5	7	7	9	9	9	9
B	3	5	5	7	7	7	7

Verso Riff 1

Musical notation for measures 22-26. Measure 22 has a rest. Measure 23 continues the riff. Measure 24 has a rest. Measure 25 continues the riff. Measure 26 has a rest.

T					
A	9	7		9	7
B	7	5	5	7	7

Verso Riff 2

♩ = 96

27 28 29 30 31

sl. sl. let ring---+ 0

TAB: 5 7 9 9 9 9 9 8 5 7 7 7 7 7 7 9 9 8

B: 3 5 7 7 7 7 7 6 5 3 5 5 7 7 7 7 7 7 9

32 33 34 35

sl. let ring -----+ 0

TAB: 5 7 7 7 7 7 7 9 9 5 4 5 4 5 7 7 7 9 9 8

B: 3 5 5 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 9 9

Break

Riff A

♩ = 112

♩ = 100

36 37 38 39 40 41

sl. let ring -----+ 0

TAB: 5 7 7 7 7 7 7 9 9 5 4 5 4 5 7 7 7 9 9 8

B: 3 5 5 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 9 9

Verso Riff 3

42 43

P.M.-----+ P.M. P.M.-----+ P.M.-----+ P.M. P.M.-----+ P

TAB: 0 0 0 5 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 0 7 0 0 0 7 5 7

44 45

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P

TAB: 0 0 0 5 7 4 5 0 0 0 5 7 7 7 5 7 3 3 3 5 5 5 4 4 4 5 5 5 3 3 3 5 5 5 4 4 4 5 5 5

46 P

P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P P P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P

TAB
0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 7-5 7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 7-5 7

48 P

P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. P P 3-3-3 5-5-5 4-4-4 5-5-5 3-3-3 5-5-5 4-4-4 5-5-5

TAB
0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 7-7-5 7 3-3-3 5-5-5 4-4-4 5-5-5 3-3-3 5-5-5 4-4-4 5-5-5

Coro

50 P P

P.M. - - P.M.P.M. - - P.M. - - P.M.P.M. - - P P P.M. ----- P.M. -----

TAB
0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 7-5-0 5-7 4-5 5-7 7-9 7-9 5-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0 7-9 7-9 5-7 0-0-0-0-0-0-0

55 57

TAB
5-7 4-5 5-7 5-7 3-5 5-7 7-9 5-7 5-7 7-9 5-7 5-7 7-9 5-7

Verso Riff 3

58 P

P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. P P 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 7-5 7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 7-7-5 7

TAB
0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 7-5 7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 7-7-5 7

60 P

P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. P

T
A
B

0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 7-7-7-5 7 3-3-3 5-5-5-4-4-4-5-5-5 3-3-3 5-5-5-4-4-4-5-5-5

62 P

P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. P

T
A
B

0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 7-7-7-5 7 0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 7-5 7

64 P

P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. ---- P.M. ---- P.M. P.M. P

T
A
B

0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 7-7-5 7 3-3-3 5-5-5-4-4-4-5-5-5 3-3-3 5-5-5-4-4-4-5-5-5

Coro

66 P P

P.M. -- P.M.P.M. -- P.M. -- P.M.P.M. -- P P

T
A
B

0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0 4-5 0-0-0 5-7 7-5-0 5-7 4-5 5-7 7-9 7-9 7-9 7-9 0-0-0-0-0-0-0 0-0-0-0-0-0-0

71 72 73

T
A
B

5-7 4-5 5-7 5-7 7-9 7-9 3 5 2 3 3 5 5-7 7-9 7-9 5

Verso Riff 4

74

P H P H P

75

TAB

2 2 2 2 2 2 5 4 7 4 7 5 7 5 4 5 4 5

P.M. -----| P.M. -----|

7 9 7 9 7 9 7 9 5 7 7 9 7 9 5 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

76

P.M. -----|

77

P.M. -----| P.M. -----|

TAB

7 9 8 8 8 7 7 7 8 8 8 7 7 7 7 9 7 9 7 9 7 9 5 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

7 9 7 9 7 9 7 9 5 7 7 9 7 9 5 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

78

P.M. -----|

79

P.M. -----| P.M. -----|

TAB

7 9 8 8 8 7 7 7 8 8 8 7 7 7 7 9 7 9 7 9 7 9 5 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

7 9 7 9 7 9 7 9 5 7 7 9 7 9 5 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

80

P.M. -----|

81

P.M. -----| P.M. -----|

TAB

7 9 8 8 8 7 7 7 8 8 8 7 7 7 7 9 7 9 7 9 7 9 5 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

7 9 7 9 7 9 7 9 5 7 7 9 7 9 5 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Solo 1 Dave Murray

82

P.M. -----|

83

rall = 112 = 100

84

full H P

TAB

7 9 8 8 8 7 7 7 8 8 8 7 7 7 7 9 9 3 2 9 3 2 10 8 10 8 9 (9) 7 7 9 7 9 5 7 7 9 3 2 3 2 3 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

85

86 87

full full full full

H P H P

TAB 7-10 7-9 7-9 8-10 10-8 10-10 10-7 10-13 12 (12) 10-12 10-8 10-8 7-8 7 9-11 9-7

88

89 90

full full full full full

H P H P

TAB 7 11 9 12 10-12-10 9 7-9 10 10-12 14 12 15 12-15-14 15

91

92

full full

H P

TAB 12 15 14 12 14 12 14 12 15 12 12 9 11 12 9 11 12 10

93

94 95 96

full full full full full

H P P

TAB 10-10-12-10-12-14-12 14-15-14-15-17 17-15-17 (17)14 12-14-12 13 (13)-15 13-12 14

Puente

♩ = 112

97

98

TAB (14) (14)

Riff B

99 P 100 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P

TAB 4 5 7-7-7-5 7 4 5 7-7-5 7

0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0

101 P 102 P P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P P P

TAB 4 5 7-7-5 7 4 5 7-7-5 7 5 7-5

0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 7-7-5 7 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0 7-7-5 7 5 7-5

Verso Riff 5

103 P 104 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P

TAB 4 5 7-7-5 7 4 5 7-7-5 7

0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 7-7-5 7 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 7-7-5 7

105 P 106 P P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P P P

TAB 4 5 7-7-5 7 4 5 7-7-5 7 5 7-5

0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 7-7-5 7 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0 7-7-5 7 5 7-5

107 P 108 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. P

TAB 4 5 7-7-5 7 4 5 7-7-5 7

0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 7-7-5 7 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 0-0-0 5 0-7 0-0-0 7-7-5 7

109 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. p P

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 7-7-5 5 7-5

111 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 5-7 7-7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 5-7 7-7-7-5 7

Solo 2 Adrian Smith

113 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 5-7 7-7-5 7 5 7-5

115 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 5-7 7-7-7-5 7

117 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4-5 5-7 7-7-5 7 5 7-5

119 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 7-7-7-5 7

121 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. p P

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 7-7-5 7 5 7-5

123 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 7-7-7-5 7

125 P

P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. P.M. p P.M.----+ P.M. P.M.----+ P.M.----+ P.M. p P

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 7-7-5 7 5 7-5

Outro

127 P

P.M. --+ P.M.P.M. --+ P.M. --+ P.M.P.M. p P.M. --+ P.M.P.M. --+ P.M. --+ P.M.P.M. p P.M. --+ P.M.P.M. --+

TAB

0-0-0-0 5-7 4/5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 5-7 7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 7-7-7-5 7 0-0-0-0 5-7 0-0-0-0 4/5 3-2 3-2 3-2

♩ = 112 *rall*-----

rall ----- ♩ = 100

T	9	(9)	(9)	7-9	(9) \
A	9	(9)	(9)	7-9	(9) \
B	7	(7)	(7)	5-7	(7) \