

BAD

Words & Music by U2

Moderate Rock ♩ = 100

Intro
Gtr. I

Riff A
Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

(w/Echo device)
mf

Gtr. II

Rhy. Fig. 1

mf (w/Echo device) Let ring

1st Verse
Repeat Riff A & Rhy. Fig. 1 (till next verse)

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

If you — twist and — turn a - way —

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

If you — tear your - self in two a - gain.

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

If I could, — yes I would, — if I could, — I — would let it go —

(Bass enters)
Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

— Sur - ren - der. — Dis - lo -

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

cate.

2nd Verse
Repeat Riff A (2 times) & Rhy. Fig. 1 (till next verse)

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

If I could throw this life - less life - line_ to the_ wind, leave_ this

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

heart of clay, see you walk, walk a - way_ in - to the_

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D w/Rhy. Fill 1 Dsus2 D

night. And through the_ rain, in - to the_

Repeat Rhy. Fig. 1 w/2nd half of Riff A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

half_ light, and through the_ flame.

w/Riff A w/Riff B (replaces last bar of Riff A) Dsus2 D

If I could, through my - self, set your spir - it free, I'd lead your

w/Riff A (2 times) w/Rhy. Fill 2 Dsus2 D

heart a - way_ s - see you break, break_ a - way_ in - to the_

Asus 4 A Repeat Rhy. Fig. 1 Dsus2 D w/Riff B (replaces last bar of Riff A) Dsus2 D

light and to the day.

Rhy. Fill 1

Riff B

Let ring

Rhy. Fill 2

w/Rhy. Fig. 1 & Riff A & Fill 1 (till next verse)

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D Asus4 A

— sleep - ing... Oh no,

Asus4 A Dsus2 D w/Riff B Dsus2 D

3rd Verse

Repeat Rhy. Fig. 1 & Riff A (till next fig.)

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D w/Rhy. Fill 2 Dsus2 D

If you should ask, then may - be they'd tell you what I would say, true

Resume Rhy. Fig. 1

Asus4 A Asus4 A Dsus2 D Dsus2 D

col - ors fly in blue and black, bruised silk - en sky, and burn - ing flag.

A D

Col - ors crash, col - lide in blood - shot eyes.

A D

If I could, you know I would, if I could, I would let it go.

Rhy. Fig. 2

Repeat Rhy. Fig. 2 (till next fig.)

A

This des - per - a - tion, —

A

ca - tion, —

D

sep - a - ra - tion, —

con - dem - na - tion, —

rev - e -

A

la - tion, in temp - ta - tion, i - so - la - tion, des - o - la - tion, let it go

D.S. al Coda

Coda

— sleep - ing, oh no, — oh — no.

Begin fade

(A)

(D)

Fade out