

# CRYIN' WON'T HELP YOU

As recorded by B.B. King

(From the 1956 Album SINGIN' THE BLUES)

## A Intro

$\text{♩} = 98$  (♩-♩♩)  
N.C.

1

(El. Gtr. w/ light dist.)  
Gtr I

Full

10 8 11 8

10 8 10 8 10 8 8 9

10 7

P H H

5

8va

Full

11 13 13 13 13

(13) 13

11 12 13 11 12 13 12 13

11 12 13 11

10

P sl.

8

8va 8va 8va

8 8 11 8 10 8 10 10 18 15 14 13 13 11 12 13

10 8 9 8

10

H sl.

## B 1st Verse

N.C.

11

13 11 8 10 8 8 11 8 10 8

8 9 7 8 8 9 10 10

sl. sl.

14

C N.C.

T 8 8 8 8

A 9 9 9 9

B 10 10 10 10

18

Full

T 8 11 11 8 8 8 8 11

A 10 8 11 11 8 10 8 9 9 8 11

B

H H

21

T 11 8 10 10 11 8 8

A 10 8 10 8 11 8 10

B

**C** 2nd Verse  
N.C.

24

T 8 9 7 8 8 9 8 9

A 8 9 8 9 8 9 8 9

B

H sl.

28

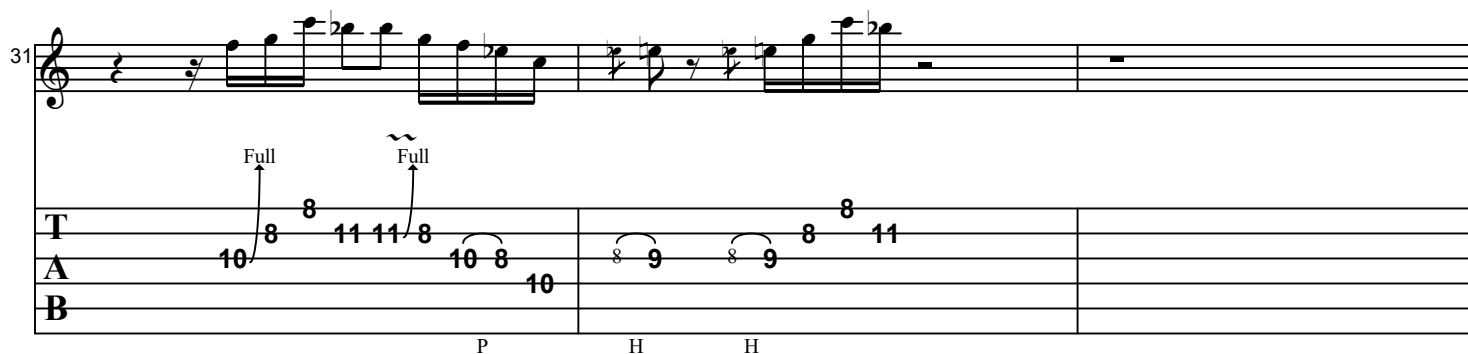
N.C.

T 8 8 8 8

A 9 9 9 9

B 10 10 8 10 8

31

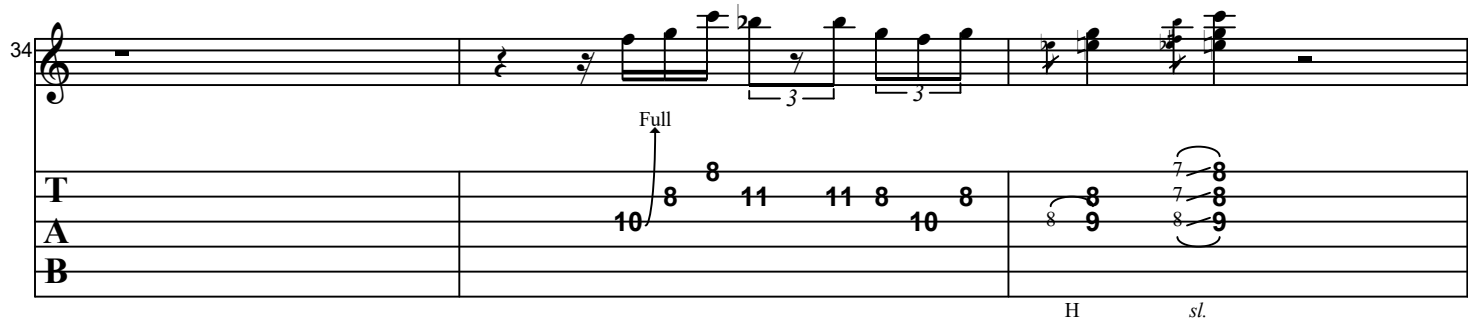


T  
A  
B

Full  
Full

P H H

34



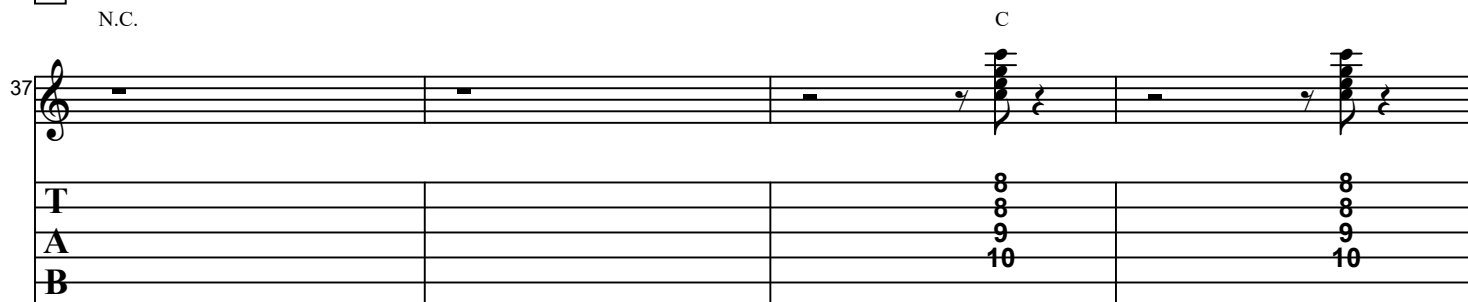
T  
A  
B

Full

H sl.

**D** 3rd Verse  
N.C.

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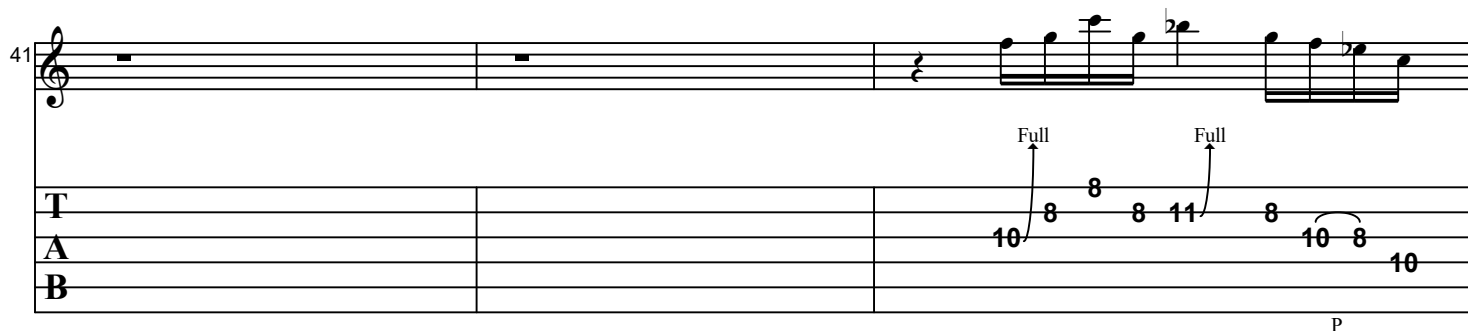


T  
A  
B

C

N.C.

41

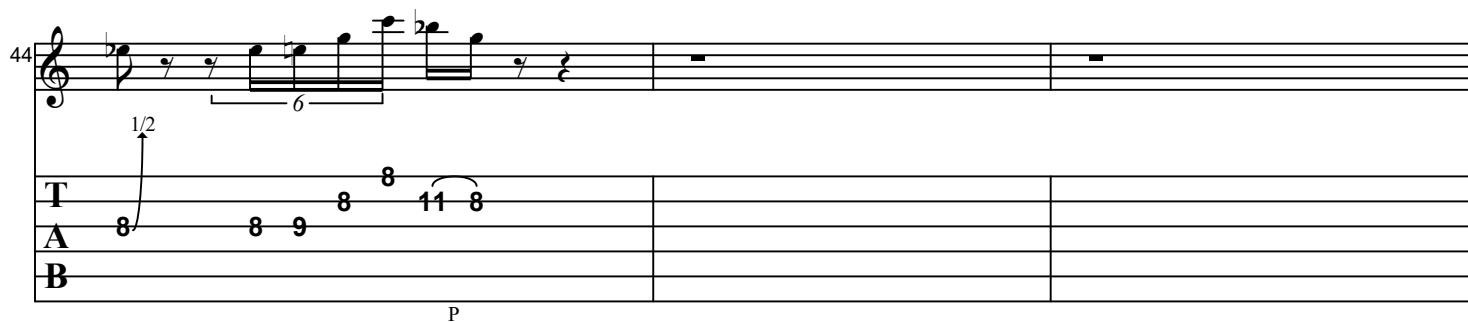


T  
A  
B

Full  
Full

P

44



T  
A  
B

1/2

P

**[E] Guitar Solo**

47

Full

8 11 8 10 8 8 8 13 13 8

P H sl.

50

8 13 13 13 13 11 13 13 13 11 18

sl. sl.

53

8va

15 15 18 15 18 15 18 15 14 13 11 13 13 13 12 13 12 13 12 13 12 13 13 13

sl. H P

56

12 13 12 13 8 10 8 10 10 8 10 8 10 8 10 8 10 8 10 8 11 11 8

sl. H P

## F 4th Verse

N.C.

59

T 8 13 11 8 8 10 8 8 9 8 9

A

B

H sl.

63

C N.C.

T 8 8 8 8

A 9 9 9 9

B 10 10 10 10

67

Full

T 10 8 11 11 14 13 8 10 8 8 9 8 9 8 11 8

A

B

sl. sl. P H H P

71

D7 C7

T 8 11 8 10 8 9 8 9 8 8 9 8

A

B