

Bell Bottom Blues

Tempo: 66 BPM

Strumming: DDD, DU

Fingerstyle Guide: (always remember this can be played very loosely)

C E Am C/G F5 G

Gtr1

After the above you'll play this measure below:

Gtr1

At the same time the rhythm above is played, this riff is played as well:

Full

This riff ALSO comes in after the 2/4 time change further down.

Lead Added (in addition to the extra riff above):

This part comes in right after the Am. Just count one 8th rest and play it. The "5" in the next measure should sound at the F chord. This riff can be played at ANY Am in the progression.

Chorus Riff:

This riff is played twice, and then we play this riff to go back into the verse:

(You played this at the end of the intro)

Additional Chords Used:

A: x02220
E: 022100
F#m: 244222
D: xx0232
A7: x02020

Intro:

C - E - Am - C/G - F - G - F - C - G

Verse 1:

 C E Am
Bell Bottom Blues you made me cry
C/G F G F C G
 I don't wanna lose this feeling
 C E Am
If I could choose__ a place to die
C/G F G
 It would be in your arms

Chorus:

A E F#m D E
Do you wanna see me crawl across the floor to you
A E F#m D E
Do you wanna hear me beg you to take me back? I'd gladly do it because
A A7 D E
I don't want to fade away__ give me one more day please
A A7 D E F G
I don't want to fade away__ in your heart I want to stay

Verse 2:

C E Am
It's all wrong, but it's all right
C/G F G F C G
 The way that you treat me baby
 C E Am
Once I was strong, but I lost the fight
C/G F G
 You won't find a better loser

(Repeat Chorus)

Verse 3:

C E Am
Bell Bottom Blues don't say goodbye
C/G F G F C G
We're surely gonna meet again
 C E Am
And if we do, don't be surprised
C/G F G
You find me with another lover

(Repeat Chorus, but at the end play F - G - C to end)