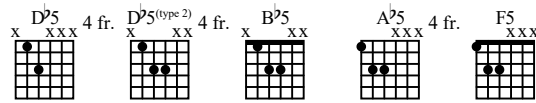


# LETTING THE CABLES SLEEP

As recorded by Bush

(From the 1999 Album THE SCIENCE OF THINGS)



## A Intro

Moderately ♩ = 102

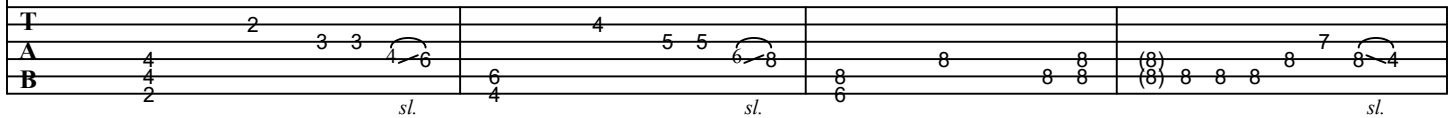
G<sup>b</sup>

A<sup>b</sup>

B<sup>b</sup>



Gtr I *mp* Clean tone w/amp tremolo

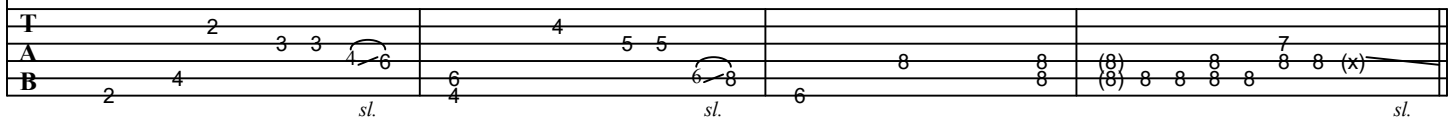


Some chord names are implied

G<sup>b</sup>

A<sup>b</sup>

B<sup>b</sup>

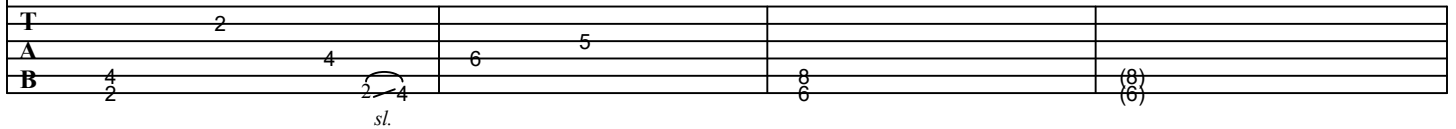


## B Verse

G<sup>b</sup>

A<sup>b</sup>

B<sup>b</sup>



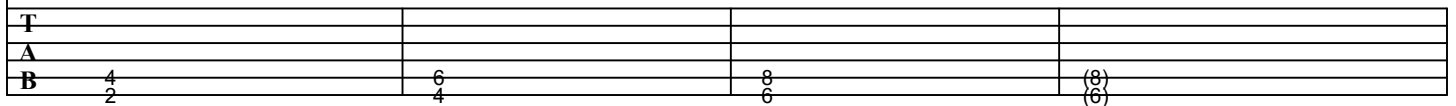
G<sup>b</sup>

A<sup>b</sup>

B<sup>b</sup>



\* w/slide effects ad lib (Gtr. II)



\* Gtr. II (dist. tone w/echo) produces a combination of fdbk. and sound effects created by scraping slide across strings ad lib (periodically throughout)

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G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>

T  
A  
B

3 4 2 3-5 4 6-7 8 6 (8) (x) (x) sl.

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G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>

T  
A  
B

3 4 2 3-5 4 6-7 8 6 (8) (6) (x) (x) sl.

**C** Pre-Chorus

25

G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup>

T  
A  
B

4 4 4 4-6 6 6-4 4 4 4 4 4-6 6 6 6-4 4-2 sl.

Play all guitar figures w/slight variations ad lib  
when repeated or recalled (throughout).

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G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>

T  
A  
B

4 4 4 4-6 6 6 6 6 6-8 8 7 (7) 6-9 sl.

**D** Chorus

33

D<sup>2</sup> F A<sup>2</sup> B<sup>2</sup>m

Gtr II *mp* Gtr. II w/slide

T  
A  
B 4 4 4 4 8 8

sl.

Gtr I

T  
A  
B 11 11 11 11 11 3 3 3 3 3 3 6 6 6 6 8 8 8 8 11 11

sl. sl. sl. sl.

37

D<sup>2</sup> F D<sup>2</sup> F

Trem. pick 15mb \*Fdbk \*microphonic

T  
A  
B 6 (6) 10 0 3

sl.

\*Fdbk. pitch: C

T  
A  
B 11 11 11 0 2 3 3 3 3 6 6 6 6 0 3 3 (x)

sl.

**E** Pre-Verse

G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>

41

Gtr I

T 3 2 2 3 5 4 5 7 7 (7) 7 8 8

A 4 4 4 6 6 6 8 8

B 4 4 4 6 6 6 8 8

2 2 2 4 4 4 6 6

sl. sl. sl.

Gtr III *p*

T 3 4 6 (6)

A 4 5 7 (7)

B 4 6 8 (8)

2 4 6 (6)

G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>

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T 2 3 2 4 5 6 7 (7)

A 4 4 3 4 6 6 8 8

B 4 4 4 6 6 6 8 8

2 2 2 4 4 4 6 6

sl. sl. sl.

T 3 4 6 (6)

A 4 5 7 (7)

B 4 6 8 (8)

2 4 6 (6)

**F** Verse

49

T 4

A 4

B 4

53

G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>

Gtr I

T 2 4 5 7

A 4 5 5 7

B 2 4 sl. 4 sl. 8 (8) (x) (x) sl.

Gtr III *p*

T 3 5 7 6 4 6 5

A 4 5 7 6 4 6 5

B 4 6 6 6 6 6 5

**G** Pre-Chorus

57

G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup> G<sup>b</sup> A<sup>b</sup>

Gtr I

T 4 4 4 4 6 6 4 4 4 4 4 6 6 6 6 4

A 2 2 2 2 4 4 2 2 2 2 2 4 4 4 4 4

B 4 4 4 4 6 6 4 4 4 4 4 6 6 6 6 4

Gtr II

\* don't pick

\* vibrato causes note to sound

Gtr III *pp*

T 4 6

A 4 6

B 4 6

## **H Chorus**

The musical score for "The Sound of Silence" is presented in three systems. The first system includes a guitar part with a key signature of one flat and a 12-string texture, a vocal line with lyrics, and a piano accompaniment. The second system continues the vocal and piano parts. The third system features a guitar solo with a key signature change to two flats and a piano accompaniment. The score includes various musical notations such as chords, scales, and dynamic markings.

**System 1:**

- Guitar:** Chords D<sup>b</sup>, F, A<sup>b</sup>, B<sup>b</sup>m. Melody: G4, A4, B4, C5, D5, E5, F5, G5, A5, B5, C6, D6, E6, F6, G6, A6, B6, C7, D7, E7, F7, G7, A7, B7, C8, D8, E8, F8, G8, A8, B8, C9, D9, E9, F9, G9, A9, B9, C10, D10, E10, F10, G10, A10, B10, C11, D11, E11, F11, G11, A11, B11, C12, D12, E12, F12, G12, A12, B12, C13, D13, E13, F13, G13, A13, B13, C14, D14, E14, F14, G14, A14, B14, C15, D15, E15, F15, G15, A15, B15, C16, D16, E16, F16, G16, A16, B16, C17, D17, E17, F17, G17, A17, B17, C18, D18, E18, F18, G18, A18, B18, C19, D19, E19, F19, G19, A19, B19, C20, D20, E20, F20, G20, A20, B20, C21, D21, E21, F21, G21, A21, B21, C22, D22, E22, F22, G22, A22, B22, C23, D23, E23, F23, G23, A23, B23, C24, D24, E24, F24, G24, A24, B24, C25, D25, E25, F25, G25, A25, B25, C26, D26, E26, F26, G26, A26, B26, C27, D27, E27, F27, G27, A27, B27, C28, D28, E28, F28, G28, A28, B28, C29, D29, E29, F29, G29, A29, B29, C30, D30, E30, F30, G30, A30, B30, C31, D31, E31, F31, G31, A31, B31, C32, D32, E32, F32, G32, A32, B32, C33, D33, E33, F33, G33, A33, B33, C34, D34, E34, F34, G34, A34, B34, C35, D35, E35, F35, G35, A35, B35, C36, D36, E36, F36, G36, A36, B36, C37, D37, E37, F37, G37, A37, B37, C38, D38, E38, F38, G38, A38, B38, C39, D39, E39, F39, G39, A39, B39, C40, D40, E40, F40, G40, A40, B40, C41, D41, E41, F41, G41, A41, B41, C42, D42, E42, F42, G42, A42, B42, C43, D43, E43, F43, G43, A43, B43, C44, D44, E44, F44, G44, A44, B44, C45, D45, E45, F45, G45, A45, B45, C46, D46, E46, F46, G46, A46, B46, C47, D47, E47, F47, G47, A47, B47, C48, D48, E48, F48, G48, A48, B48, C49, D49, E49, F49, G49, A49, B49, C50, D50, E50, F50, G50, A50, B50, C51, D51, E51, F51, G51, A51, B51, C52, D52, E52, F52, G52, A52, B52, C53, D53, E53, F53, G53, A53, B53, C54, D54, E54, F54, G54, A54, B54, C55, D55, E55, F55, G55, A55, B55, C56, D56, E56, F56, G56, A56, B56, C57, D57, E57, F57, G57, A57, B57, C58, D58, E58, F58, G58, A58, B58, C59, D59, E59, F59, G59, A59, B59, C60, D60, E60, F60, G60, A60, B60, C61, D61, E61, F61, G61, A61, B61, C62, D62, E62, F62, G62, A62, B62, C63, D63, E63, F63, G63, A63, B63, C64, D64, E64, F64, G64, A64, B64, C65, D65, E65, F65, G65, A65, B65, C66, D66, E66, F66, G66, A66, B66, C67, D67, E67, F67, G67, A67, B67, C68, D68, E68, F68, G68, A68, B68, C69, D69, E69, F69, G69, A69, B69, C70, D70, E70, F70, G70, A70, B70, C71, D71, E71, F71, G71, A71, B71, C72, D72, E72, F72, G72, A72, B72, C73, D73, E73, F73, G73, A73, B73, C74, D74, E74, F74, G74, A74, B74, C75, D75, E75, F75, G75, A75, B75, C76, D76, E76, F76, G76, A76, B76, C77, D77, E77, F77, G77, A77, B77, C78, D78, E78, F78, G78, A78, B78, C79, D79, E79, F79, G79, A79, B79, C80, D80, E80, F80, G80, A80, B80, C81, D81, E81, F81, G81, A81, B81, C82, D82, E82, F82, G82, A82, B82, C83, D83, E83, F83, G83, A83, B83, C84, D84, E84, F84, G84, A84, B84, C85, D85, E85, F85, G85, A85, B85, C86, D86, E86, F86, G86, A86, B86, C87, D87, E87, F87, G87, A87, B87, C88, D88, E88, F88, G88, A88, B88, C89, D89, E89, F89, G89, A89, B89, C90, D90, E90, F90, G90, A90, B90, C91, D91, E91, F91, G91, A91, B91, C92, D92, E92, F92, G92, A92, B92, C93, D93, E93, F93, G93, A93, B93, C94, D94, E94, F94, G94, A94, B94, C95, D95, E95, F95, G95, A95, B95, C96, D96, E96, F96, G96, A96, B96, C97, D97, E97, F97, G97, A97, B97, C98, D98, E98, F98, G98, A98, B98, C99, D99, E99, F99, G99, A99, B99, C100, D100, E100, F100, G100, A100, B100, C101, D101, E101, F101, G101, A101, B101, C102, D102, E102, F102, G102, A102, B102, C103, D103, E103, F103, G103, A103, B103, C104, D104, E104, F104, G104, A104, B104, C105, D105, E105, F105, G105, A105, B105, C106, D106, E106, F106, G106, A106, B106, C107, D107, E107, F107, G107, A107, B107, C108, D108, E108, F108, G108, A108, B108, C109, D109, E109, F109, G109, A109, B109, C110, D110, E110, F110, G110, A110, B110, C111, D111, E111, F111, G111, A111, B111, C112, D112, E112, F112, G112, A112, B112, C113, D113, E113, F113, G113, A113, B113, C114, D114, E114, F114, G114, A114, B114, C115, D115, E115, F115, G115, A115, B115, C116, D116, E116, F116, G116, A116, B116, C117, D117, E117, F117, G117, A117, B117, C118, D118, E118, F118, G118, A118, B118, C119, D119, E119, F119, G119, A119, B119, C120, D120, E120, F120, G120, A120, B120, C121, D121, E121, F121, G121, A121, B121, C122, D122, E122, F122, G122, A122, B122, C123, D123, E123, F123, G123, A123, B123, C124, D124, E124, F124, G124, A124, B124, C125, D125, E125, F125, G125, A125, B125, C126, D126, E126, F126, G126, A126, B126, C127, D127, E127, F127, G127, A127, B127, C128, D128, E128, F128, G128, A128, B128, C129, D129, E129, F129, G129, A129, B129, C130, D130, E130, F130, G130, A130, B130, C131, D131, E131, F131, G131, A131, B131, C132, D132, E132, F132, G132, A132, B132, C133, D133, E133, F133, G133, A133, B133, C134, D134, E134, F134, G134, A134, B134, C135, D135, E135, F135, G135, A135, B135, C136, D136, E1

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D<sup>b</sup> F A<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>m

Gtr I

**T**

**A**

**B** 11 11 11 11 11 3 3 3 3 3 6 6 6 4 8 8 8 11  
9 9 9 9 9 1 1 1 1 1 4 4 4 6 6 6 9  
sl. sl. sl.

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D<sup>b</sup> F D<sup>b</sup> F

Gtr I

T

A

B

11 11 11 0 2 0 6 6 6 0 3 3 (x)

9 9 9 4 1 1 1 4 0 1

sl.

Gtr II

T

A

B

6 6 6 (6) (9)

sl. sl. sl.

Gtr IV \* Clean tone w/amp vibrato.

T

A

B

**I Bridge/Verse**

D<sup>b</sup>5 B<sup>b</sup>m A<sup>b</sup> F

Gtr I *mp*

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Gtr III *mp*

T

A

B

5 6 5 6 2 4 2 4 5 6 5 6 3 1 3 1

4 1 4 1

81

D<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>m A<sup>b</sup> F

Gtr I

T  
A 6 3 6 (6) 3 0  
B 4 1 4 4 (4) 1

sl.

Gtr III

T  
A 5 6 5 6 2 4 2 4 5 6 5 6 3  
B 4 1 4 4 4 1

D<sup>b</sup>5 (type 2) B<sup>b</sup>5 A<sup>b</sup>5 F5

Gtr IV

85

Gtr I

T  
A 6 6 3 3 0 6 6 6 3 3  
B 4 4 1 1 0 4 4 4 1 1

sl.

**J** Chorus

D<sup>b</sup>5 (type 2) F D<sup>b</sup> F

Gtr IV

89

Gtr I

T  
A 6 4 0 2 6 6 6 (6) 10 10  
B 4 4 0 1 4 4 4 8 8 8

sl.

Gtr II

T  
A 10 10 10  
B 10 10 10



**K** Verse

D<sup>7</sup>5 (type 2)  
Gtr IV

B<sup>7</sup>5

A<sup>7</sup>5

F5

93

Gtr I

T	0	6	6	3	3	3	6	6	6	6	3	3	3	0
A	6	6	6	3	3	3	6	6	6	6	3	3	3	0
B	4	4	4	1	1	1	4	4	4	4	1	1	1	0

sl. sl. sl.

D<sup>7</sup>5 (type 2)

B<sup>7</sup>5

A<sup>7</sup>5

F5

97

T	0	6	6	3	3	3	6	6	6	6	3	3	3	2
A	6	6	6	3	3	3	6	6	6	6	3	3	3	2
B	4	4	4	1	1	1	4	4	4	4	1	1	1	2

sl. sl. sl.

**L** Outro

N.C.

F5

N.C.

F5

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Gtr V

T	6	6	5	6	5	6	6	5	5	6	5
A	6	6	5	6	5	6	6	5	5	6	5
B	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

Gtr I

T				4
A				
B				

Gtr IV \* vol. knob swells.

T			
A			
B			

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N.C. F5 N.C. F5

Gtrs V, VI

T A B

6 6 5 6 5 6 6 5 5 6 5

4

Gtr IV

T A B

Gtr I

T A B

109

F5 F5

Gtr IV

T A B

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

4

111

F5 F5

Gtr IV

T A B

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

4