

**Sweet Child O' Mine- Guns 'n' Roses- Appetite For Destruction**

**NOTE:** On recording, guitar is tuned down one half step, Key of "Gb"

**INTRO GUITAR RIFF (8 Measures - Play each phrase twice)**

**D**

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|---|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|
|   | 1  | + | 2  | +  | 3  | +  | 4  | +  |   |
| e |    |   |    |    | 15 |    | 14 |    |   |
| B | 15 |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | o |
| G |    |   | 14 | 12 |    | 14 |    | 14 |   |
| D | 12 |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |
| A |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | o |
| E |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |

**C**

|   |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |
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|   | 1  | + | 2  | +  | 3  | +  | 4  | +  |   |
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**G**

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|   | 1  | + | 2  | +  | 3  | +  | 4  | +  |   |
| e |    |   |    |    | 15 |    | 14 |    |   |
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| G | 12 |   | 14 | 12 |    | 14 |    | 14 |   |
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**D**

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|   | 1  | + | 2  | +  | 3  | +  | 4  | +  |   |
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| B | 15 |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | o |
| G |    |   | 14 | 12 |    | 14 |    | 14 |   |
| D | 12 |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |
| A |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | o |
| E |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |

**BAND IN**

|D |% |C |% |G |% |D |% |

**VERSE**

|D                            |%                            |  
 She's got a smile that it seems to me, re-  
 |C                            |%                            |  
 minds me of childhood memories, where  
 |G                            |%                            |  
 everything was as fresh as the bright blue  
 |D        |%        |  
 sky

**(VERSE)**

Now and then When I see her face  
 she takes me away to that special place,  
 and if I stared too long, I'll pro'ly break down and  
 cry.

**CHORUS**

|A            |C                            |D            |%            |  
 Whoa, Whoa - oh, sweet child o' mine.  
 |A            |C                            |D            |%            |  
 Whoa, oh, oh, oh, sweet child o' mine.

**GUITAR SOLO**

|D            |%            |C            |%            |G            |%            |D            |%            |

**VERSE**

She's got eyes of the bluest skies,  
 as if they thought of rain.  
 I hate to look into those eyes  
 and see an ounce of pain.  
 Her hair reminds me of a warm safe place  
 where as a child I'd hide,  
 And pray for the thunder and the rain  
 to quietly pass me by

**REPEAT CHORUS 2x**

**GUITAR SOLO**

|:D            |%            |C            |%            |G            |%            |D            |%            |

**REPEAT CHORUS 2x**

**GUITAR SOLO**

|:Em        |C            |B            |A            :|3x  
 |Em        |C            |B            |A            |A            |  
 |:Em        |G            |A            |C        D G :|4x

**BREAKDOWN (Play 8x - build up w/vocal ad libs)**

|:Em |G |  
Where do we go? Where do we go now  
|A |C D G :|8X  
Where do we go?

**END ON Em**

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