
Lovers Are Mortal - Be Bop Deluxe

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Intro:

Strum freely, I've just highlighted the accents. It's a 12/8 feel.

Em Em7/G Cmaj7/G

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e|0-----0-----|0-----|
B|0-----0-----|0-----|
G|0-----0-----|0-----|
D|-2-----0-----|-2-----|
A|-2-----2-----|-3-----|
E|0-----3-----|-3-----|

| 1 - & - 2 - & - 3 - & - 4 - & - | 1 - & - 2 - & - 3 - & - 4 - & - |
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"In the.."

Em Em7/G Cmaj7/G

"Back of your car where the light from the stars..." (etc)

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e|0-----0-----|0-----|
B|0-----0-----|0-----|
G|0-----0-----|0-----|
D|-2-----0-----|-2-----|
A|-2-----2-----|-3-----|
E|0-----3-----|-3-----|
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D Dsus4 D Dsus4

"Lovers like us have to..."

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e|-2-----3---2---3--|
B|-3-----3---3---3--|
G|-2-----2---2---2--|
D|0-----0---0---0--|
A|-----|
E|-----|
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Am Asus2 Am Asus2

"Do..."

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e|0-----0-----|0-----|
B|-1-----0-----|-1-----|
G|-2-----2-----|-2-----|
D|-2-----2-----|-2-----|
A|0-----0-----|0-----|
E|-----|
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Repeat verse more or less the same until:

Am	Asus2	A
"Dark.."		
e -0-----0-----		-0-----0-----
B -1-----0-----		-2-----0-----
G -2-----2-----		-2-----0-----
D -2-----2-----		-2-----0-----
A -0-----0-----		-0-----0-----2-----4-----
E -----		-----

Chorus:

D	D/C#	Bm	D
"Lovers are mortal their hearts are the size of night..."			
e -2-----2-----		-2-----2-----	
B -3-----3-----		-3-----3-----	
G -2-----2-----		-4-----2-----	
D -0-----x-----		-4-----0-----	
A -----4-----		-2-----0-----	
E -----		-----	

A		
"clouds..."		
e -0-----0-----		-0-----0-----
B -2-----2-----		-2-----2-----
G -2-----2-----		-2-----2-----
D -2-----2-----		-2-----2-----
A -0-----0-----		-0-----0-----2-----4-----
E -----		-----

Repeat last four bars, then:

Bm	G5	Bm	G5
"Lovers are losers and who knows the bruises they..."			
e -2-----3-----		-2-----3-----	
B -3-----3-----		-3-----3-----	
G -4-----0-----		-4-----0-----	
D -4-----0-----		-4-----0-----	
A -2-----x-----		-2-----x-----	
E -----3-----		-----3-----	

D	E	
"Bear..."		
e -2-----2-----		-0-----0-----
B -3-----3-----		-0-----0-----
G -2-----2-----		-1-----1-----
D -0-----0-----		-2-----2-----
A -----		-2-----2-----
E -----		-0-----0-----2-----

G5	D	
"Lovers are mortal as frail as the breath that they..."		
e -3-----3-----		-2-----2-----
B -3-----3-----		-3-----3-----
G -0-----0-----		-2-----2-----
D -0-----0-----		-0-----0-----
A -x-----x-----		-----
E -3-----3-----		-----

	G5	G5	C	D
"Share..."				
e	-3-----3-----0----	-2-----		
B	-3-----3-----1----	-3-----		
G	-0-----0-----0----	-2-----		
D	-0-----0-----2----	-0-----		
A	-x-----x-----3----	-----		
E	-3-----3-----	-----		
1 - & - 2 - & - 3 - & - 4 - & - 1 - & - 2 - & - 3 - & - 4 - & -				

Repeat intro chord sequence, finish on Cmaj7/G.

	Em	Em7/G	Cmaj7/G
e	-0-----0-----	-0-----	
B	-0-----0-----	-0-----	
G	-0-----0-----	-0-----	
D	-2-----0-----	-2-----	
A	-2-----2-----	-3-----	
E	-0-----3-----	-3-----	

Charlie's iconic bass line at the end...

G	-9---9---7---7---5---5-----
D	-----7---7---5---5-----
A	-----7---7--\3-----
E	-----

Words and music by Bill Nelson.