

THE END OF THE INNOCENCE

Intro: |Ab | | IBbm IFm IEb IDb Dbmaj7 | X2

Ab **Db** **Dbmaj** **Dbsus2** **Absus2 Ab Absus2** **Ab**
 Remember when the days were long, And rolled beneath a deep blue sky Didn't have a care in the world,
Db **Eb** **Ab** **Db** **Dbmaj7** **Dbsus2**
 With mommy and daddy standing by When happily ever after fails, And we've been poisoned by these fairy tales
Absus2 Ab Absus2 **Ab** **Fm** **Db** **Eb** **Ebsus** **Fm** **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db**
 The lawyers dwell on small details, Since daddy had to fly Ah, but I know a place where we can go,
Fm **Db** **Eb** **Ebsus** **Fm** **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db** **Fm** **Db** **Eb** **Ebsus**
 Still untouched by men We'll sit and watch the clouds roll by, And the tall grass waves in the wind

Ab **Eb** **Db** **Fm** **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db**
 You can lay your head back on the ground, Let your hair fall all around me
Ab **Eb** **Db** **Fm** **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db** **Eb** **Ab**
 Offer up your best defense, This is the end, This is the end ... of the innocence

Repeat Intro : | (Ab) | | IBbm IFm Eb IDb Dbmaj7 | |

Ab **Db** **Dbmaj7**
 Oh, beautiful for spacious skies, Now those skies are threatening
Ab **Db** **Eb**
 They're beating plowshares into swords, For this tired old man that we elected king
Ab **Db** **Dbmaj7** **Dbsus2**
 Armchair warriors often fail, And we've been poisoned by these fairy tales
Ab **Fm** **Db** **Eb** **Ebsus**
 The lawyers clean up all details, Since daddy had to lie
Fm **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db** **Fm** **Db** **Eb** **Ebsus**
 Oh but I know a place where we can go, And wash away this sin
Fm **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db** **Fm** **Db** **Eb** **Ebsus**
 We'll sit and watch the clouds roll by, And the tall grass waves in the wind

Ab **Eb** **Db** **Fm** **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db**
 You can lay your head back on the ground, Let your hair spill all around me
Ab **Eb** **Db** **Fm** **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db** **Eb** |Ab | | IBbm IFm Eb IDb | |
 Offer up your best defense, This is the end, This is the end of the innocence

Sax Solo: IBbm IDb Cm IFm IEb Db IBbm IBbsus2 Bbm IFm IEb Db ICm Db | |

Ab **Db** **Dbmaj7** **Dbsus2** **Absus2** **Ab** **Absus2** **Ab**
 Well, who knows how long this will last, Now we've come so far, so fast But somewhere back there in the dust,
Db **Eb** **Ab** **Db** **Dbmaj7** **Dbsus2**
 That same small town in each of us I need to remember this So baby, give me just one kiss
Absus2 Ab Absus2 **Ab** **Fm** **Db** **Eb** **Ebsus**
 And let me take a long last look, Before we say goodbye

Ab **Eb** **Db** **Fm** **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db**
 Just lay your head back on the ground, Let your hair fall all around me
Ab **Eb** **Db** **Fm** **Cm7** **Bbm7** **Db** **Eb** **Ab**
 Offer up your best defense, This is the end, This is the end ... of the innocence

OUTRO: (Ab) Bbm7 Fm Eb Db Dbmaj7 X4

Sax Solo: IBbm IDb Cm IFm IEb Db IBbm IBbsus2 Bbm IFm IEb Db ICm Db I I

14	13 13	13	11
13	15-15	13-13	13-10
13-1315			