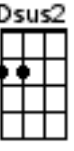
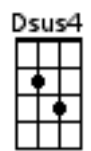


Eve of Destruction

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[D] [Dsus4 //] [Dsus2 //] [D] [Dsus4 //] [Dsus2 //] [G] [A]

The [D] eastern world, [G] it is e-[A]-xplodin'

[D] Violence flarin' [G] bullets [A] loading

You're [D] old enough to kill, [G] but not for [A] votin'

You [D] don't believe in war, but [G] what's that gun you're [A] totin'

And [D] even the Jordan River has [G] bodies [A] floating, but you

[D] Tell me, [G] over and [A] over and [D] over again, my [Bm] friend

Ah, you [G] don't believe, we're [A] on the eve of des-[D]-truction

[Dsus4 //] [Dsus2 //] [D] [Dsus4 //] [Dsus2 //] [G] [A]

[D] Don't you understand what I'm [G] tryin' to [A] say

[D] Can't you feel the fears I'm [G] feelin' to-[A] day

If the [D] button is pushed there's [G] no running a-[A] way

There'll be [D] no one to save with the [G] world in a [A] grave

Take a [D] look around you boy, it's [G] bound to scare you [A] boy, and you

[D] Tell me, [G] over and [A] over and [D] over again, my [Bm] friend

Ah, you [G] don't believe, we're [A] on the eve of des-[D]-truction

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Yeah, [D] my blood's so mad, feels [G] like coagu-[A]-lating

[D] I'm sitting here, just [G] contem-[A] plating

[D] I can't twist the truth, it [G] knows no regu-[A]-lation

[D] Handful of senators don't [G] pass legis-[A]-lation

And [D] marches alone can't [G] bring inte-[A] gration

When [D] human respect is [G] disinte-[A]-grating

This [D] whole crazy world is [G] just too frus-[A]-trating, and you

[D] Tell me, [G] over and [A] over and [D] over again, my [Bm] friend

Ah, you [G] don't believe, we're [A] on the eve of des-[D]-truction

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[D] Think of all the hate there [G] is in red [A] China

Then [D] take a look around to [G] Selma, Ala-[A]-bama

[D] You may leave here for [G] four days in [A] space

But [D] when you return it's the [G] same old [A] place

The [D] pounding of the drums, the [G] pride and dis-[A]-grace

You can [D] bury your dead, but [G] don't leave a [A] trace

Hate your [D] next door neighbour, but [G] don't forget to say [A] grace, and

[D] Tell me, [G] over and [A] over and [D] over and over again, my [Bm] friend

Ah, you [G] don't believe, we're [A] on the eve of des-[D] truction

[D] No, no, you [G] don't believe, we're [A] on the eve of des-[D]-truction

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