

Nirvana

Nirvana was an American [rock](#) band formed in [Aberdeen, Washington](#), in 1987. Founded by lead singer and guitarist [Kurt Cobain](#) and bassist [Krist Novoselic](#), the band went through a succession of drummers, most notably [Chad Channing](#), before recruiting [Dave Grohl](#) in 1990. Nirvana's success popularized [alternative rock](#), and they were often referenced as the figurehead band of [Generation X](#). Despite a short mainstream career spanning only three years, their music maintains a popular following and continues to influence modern rock culture.

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All Apologies

Tuning: Db Ab Db Gb Bb Eb

[Intro]

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eb|-----|-----|-----|-----|
Bb|-----|-----|-----|-----|
Gb|-----|-----|-----|-----11-11-9----|
Db|-----|-----/12-12-10-9-|-----|-----12-|
Ab|---9-10-9-/12-12-10-9-|---9-10-9-----|---9-10-9-/12-12-10-9-|---9-10-9-----|
Db|-0-----|0-----|0-----|0-----|
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[Intro]

C C C C

[Verse 1]

C
What else should I be; all apologies
C
What else could I say; everyone is gay
C
What else could I write; I don't have a right
C
What else should I be; all apologies

[Chorus]

F
In the sun, in the sun I feel as one
F G
In the sun, in the sun I'm married
G
Buried (yah, yah, yah, yeah)

[Verse 2]

C
I wish I was like you; easily amused
C
Find my nest of salt; everything's my fault
C
I'll take all the blame; aqua sea foam shame
C
Sunburn with freezer burn
C
Choking on the ashes of her enemies

[Chorus]

F
In the sun, in the sun I feel as one
F G
In the sun, in the sun I'm married
G
Buried (yah, yah, yah, yeah)
G G
Married, Buried (yah, yah, yah, yeah)

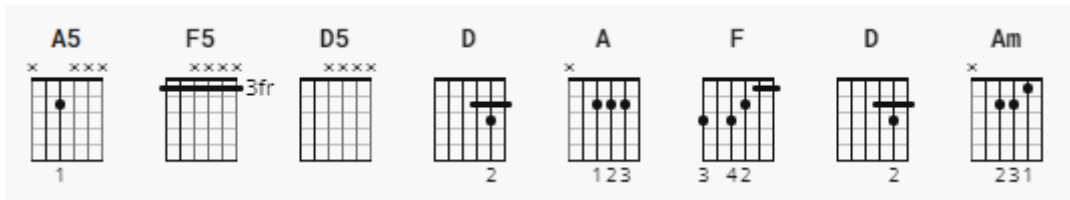
C C C C x2

[Outro]

C
All in all is all we are (x16)

Heart Shaped Box

Tune down a 1/2 step + drop D = Drop Db - Db Ab Db Gb Bb Eb



[Intro]
A5 F5 D5 A5 F5 D

[Verse]
A F D A F D
She eyes me like a pisces when I am weak
A F D A F D
I've been locked inside your heart-shaped box for weeks
A F D A F D
I've been drawn into your magnet tarpit trap
A F D A F D
I wish I could eat your cancer when you turn black

[Chorus]
A5 F5 D
Hey! Wait! I got a new complaint,
A5 F5 D5
forever in debt to your priceless advice
A5 F5 D
Hey! Wait! I got a new complaint,
A5 F5 D5
forever in debt to your priceless advice
A5 F5 D
Hey! Wait! I got a new complaint,
A5 F5 D5 F D
forever in debt to your priceless advice,
F D
Your advice
Am F

[Verse]
A F D A F D
Meat-eating orchids forgive no one just yet
A F D A F D
Cut myself on angel hair and baby's breath
A F D A F D
Broken hymen of your highness I'm left black
A F D A F D
Throw down your umbilical noose so I can climb right
back

[Chorus]
A5 F5 D
Hey! Wait! I got a new complaint,
A5 F5 D5
forever in debt to your priceless advice
A5 F5 D
Hey! Wait! I got a new complaint,
A5 F5 D5
forever in debt to your priceless advice
A5 F5 D
Hey! Wait! I got a new complaint,
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F D
Your advice
Am F

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A5 F5 D5
forever in debt to your priceless advice
A5 F5 D
Hey! Wait! I got a new complaint,
A5 F5 D5
forever in debt to your priceless advice
A5 F5 D
Hey! Wait! I got a new complaint,
A5 F5 D5 F D
forever in debt to your priceless advice,
F D
Your advice
Am F

Solo

-----5-7-7b8-7-5-4-5---5p4-2p0-2h4p2-----
--5-7-----
-----/
-----slide-----

-----5-5-5-5-5p3-----
-----7---7-5-7-----5-3---3-5--3--3p1p0---2--
-----5---7---7-----5-----5-----2--
---5-7-----0--
--7-----

Guitar Backing Track

Vocal Backing Track

Lithium

Tab

[Intro]

	G#5	C#5	A5	C5	D5	B5	D5
D	-----			-----			
A	-----			-----			
F	-----6-----			-5---5-5-5/7-7-7-0-4---4-4-4/7-7-7-0-			
C	-----6-----7---			-5---5-5-5/7-7-7-0-4---4-4-4/7-7-7-0-			
G	-----6-x---4---x---7-----			-3---3-3-3/5-5-5-0-2---2-2-2/5-5-5-0-			
D	-0---x-0-4-----0-----0-5-----0-			-----			
	PM-----	PM-	PM-----	-----			

[Verse 1]

	G#5	C#5	A5	C5	D5	B5	D5
D	-----			-----			
A	-----			-----			
F	-----6-----			-----5-----7-----4-----7-----			
C	-----6-----7---			-----5-----7-----4-----7-----			
G	-----6-x---4---x---7-----			-3-----3/5-----0-2-----2/5-----			
D	-0---x-0-4-----0-----0-5-----0-			-----0-----			

x3

	G#5	C#5	A5	C5	D5	B5	D5
D	-----			-----			
A	-----			-----			
F	-----6-----			-----5-----7-0-4---4-4/7-7-7-0-			
C	-----6-----7---			-----5-----7---0-4---4-4/7-7-7-0-			
G	-----6-x---4---x---7-----			-3-----3/5-----0-2---2-2/5-5-5-0-			
D	-0---x-0-4-----0-----0-5-----0-			-----			

[Chorus]

	E5	G#5	C#5	A5	C5	D5	B5	D5
D	-----			-----				
A	-----			-----				
F	-----6---6-0-----			-5---5-5-5/7-7-7-0-4---4-4-4/7-7-7-0-				
C	-2---2-0-6---6-0-6---6-0-7-7-7-0-			-5---5-5-5/7-7-7-0-4---4-4-4/7-7-7-0-				
G	-2---2-0-6---6-0-4---4-0-7-7-7-0-			-3---3-3-3/5-5-5-0-2---2-2-2/5-5-5-0-				
D	-0---0-0-4---4-0-----			5-5-5-0-				

x3

[Verse 2]

G#5 C#5 A5 C5 D5 B5 D5
D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----6-----|-----5-----7-----4-----7-----|
C|-----6-----7-----|-----5-----7-----4-----7-----| x3
G|-----6-x---4---x---7-----| -3-----3/5-----0-2-----2/5-----|
D| -0---x-0-4-----0-----0-5-----0-|-----|

G#5 C#5 A5 C5 D5 B5 D5
D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----6-----|-----5-----7-0-4---4-4/7-7-7-0-|
C|-----6-----7-----|-----5-----7---0-4---4-4/7-7-7-0-|
G|-----6-x---4---x---7-----| -3-----3/5-----0-2---2-2/5-5-5-0-|
D| -0---x-0-4-----0-----0-5-----0-|-----|

[Chorus]

E5 G#5 C#5 A5 C5 D5 B5 D5
D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----6---6-0-----| -5---5-5-5/7-7-7-0-4---4-4-4/7-7-7-0-|
C| -2---2-0-6---6-0-6---6-0-7-7-7-0-| -5---5-5-5/7-7-7-0-4---4-4-4/7-7-7-0-| x3
G| -2---2-0-6---6-0-4---4-0-7-7-7-0-| -3---3-3-3/5-5-5-0-2---2-2-2/5-5-5-0-|
D| -0---0-0-4---4-0-----5-5-5-0-|-----|

[Post-Chorus]

A5 C5 A5 C5
D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----0-5---5-0-|-----0-5-5-5-0-|
C| -7---7-0-5---5-0-| -7---7-0-5-5-5-0-| x8
G| -7---7-0-3---3-0-| -7---7-0-3-3-3-0-|
D| -5---5-----| -5---5-----|

D5 B5
D|-----|
A|-----|
F| -7-7-7-7-7-7-0-4-4-4-4-4-----|
C| -7-7-7-7-7-7-0-4-4-4-4-4-----|
G| -5-5-5-5-5-5-0-2-2-2-2-2-----|
D|-----0-3b-0-|

[Pre-Verse] (bass arranged for guitar)

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D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----|-----|
C|-----| -5-----5-7---7-\-----|
G| -7----7-6----6-4----4-----| -----2--2-/-5-5-5-5-|
D|-----5-3-5-5-|-----|

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[Verse 3] (bass arranged for guitar)

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D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----|-----|
C|-----| -5-----5-7---7-\-----| x3
G| -7----7-6----6-4----4-----| -----2-2-2-2-5-5-5-5-|
D|-----5--5---|-----|

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D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----|-----|
C|-----| -----5-----7-----|
G| -7----7-6----6-4----4-2-0----| -3-3---3-5-5---5-2-2-2-2-5-5-5-5-|
D|-----3-|-----|

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[Chorus]

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      E5      G#5      C#5      A5      C5      D5      B5      D5
D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----6--6-0-----| -5---5-5-5/7-7-7-0-4---4-4-4/7-7-7-0-|
C| -2---2-0-6---6-0-6---6-0-7-7-7-0-| -5---5-5-5/7-7-7-0-4---4-4-4/7-7-7-0-| x3
G| -2---2-0-6---6-0-4---4-0-7-7-7-0-| -3---3-3-3/5-5-5-0-2---2-2-2/5-5-5-0-|
D| -0---0-0-4---4-0-----5-5-5-0-|-----|

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[Post-Chorus]

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      A5      C5      A5      C5
D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F|-----0-5---5-0-|-----0-5-5-5-0-|
C| -7---7-0-5---5-0-| -7---7-0-5-5-5-0-| x8
G| -7---7-0-3---3-0-| -7---7-0-3-3-3-0-|
D| -5---5-----| -5---5-----|

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      D5      B5
D|-----|-----|
A|-----|-----|
F| -7-7-7-7-7-7-7-0-4-4-4-4-4-----|-----|
C| -7-7-7-7-7-7-7-0-4-4-4-4-4-----|-----|
G| -5-5-5-5-5-5-5-0-2-2-2-2-2-----|-----|

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D|-----0-3b---|-0-----|

| / Slide up
| \ Slide down
| b Bend
| x Dead note
| PM Palm mute

[Verse 1]

I'm so happy, 'cause today I found my friends
They're in my head
I'm so ugly, that's okay, 'cause so are you
Broke our mirrors
Sunday mornin' is every day for all I care
And I'm not scared
Light my candles in a daze 'cause I've found God

[Chorus]

Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah, yeah

[Verse 2]

I'm so lonely, that's okay, I shaved my head
And I'm not sad
And just maybe, I'm to blame for all I've heard
But I'm not sure
I'm so excited, I can't wait to meet you there
And I don't care
I'm so horny, that's okay, my will is good

[Chorus]

Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah, yeah!

[Bridge]

I like it, I'm not gonna crack
I miss you, I'm not gonna crack
I love you, I'm not gonna crack
I killed you, I'm not gonna crack
I like it, I'm not gonna crack
I miss you, I'm not gonna crack
I love you, I'm not gonna crack
I killed you, I'm not gonna crack

[Bass Solo]

[Verse 1]

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And I'm not scared
Light my candles in a daze 'cause I've found God

[Chorus]

Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah, yeah!

[Outro]

I like it, I'm not gonna crack
I miss you, I'm not gonna crack
I love you, I'm not gonna crack
I killed you, I'm not gonna crack
I like it, I'm not gonna crack
I miss you, I'm not gonna crack
I love you, I'm not gonna crack
I killed you, I'm not gonna crack

