

## Red Hot Chili Peppers - Can't Stop (Album: By the Way (2002))

### **Em, D, Bm, C**

Can't stop addicted to the shin dig  
Cop top he says I'm gonna win big  
Choose not a life of imitation  
Distant cousin to the reservation  
Defunkt the pistol that you pay for  
This punk the feeling that you stay for  
In time I want to be your best friend  
Eastside love is living on the westend  
Knock out but boy you better come to  
Don't die you know the truth is some do  
Go write your message on the pavement  
Burnin' so bright I wonder what the wave meant  
White heat is screaming in the jungle  
Complete the motion if you stumble  
Go ask the dust for any answers  
Come back strong with 50 belly dancers

### **C: [G, D, Bm, C]**

**The world I love, The tears I drop  
To be part of, The wave can't stop  
Ever wonder if it's all for you  
The world I love, The trains I hop  
To be part of, The wave can't stop  
Come and tell me when it's time to**

Sweetheart is bleeding in the snowcone  
So smart she's leading me to ozone  
Music the great communicator  
Use two sticks to make it in the nature  
I'll get you into penetration  
The gender of a generation

The birth of every other nation  
Worth your weight the gold of meditation  
This chapter's going to be a close one  
Smoke rings I know your going to blow one  
All on a spaceship persevering  
Use my hands for everything but steering  
Can't stop the spirits when they need you  
Mop tops are happy when they feed you  
J. Butterfly is in the treetop  
Birds that blow the meaning into bebop  
**[Chorus]**

Wait a minute I'm passing out  
Win or lose, just like you  
Far more shocking than anything  
I ever knew, How about you  
10 more reasons why I need  
Somebody new, just like you  
Far more shocking than anything  
I ever knew, Right on cue

***[first 3 verses]***

Kick start the golden generator  
Sweet talk but don't intimidate her  
Can't stop the gods from engineering  
Feel no need for any interfering  
Your image in the dictionary  
This life is more than ordinary  
Can I get 2 maybe even 3 of these  
Come from space  
To teach you of the pliedes  
Can't stop the spirits when they need you  
This life is more than just a read thru

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Tablature: [Intro]

[Verses]

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e|-----|
B|-----|
G|-----7--9-----7--9-----7--9-----7--9-----|
D|-----0-----0-0-0-----0-0-0-----|
A|-7-7-----7-7-7-----7-7-7-----|
E|-----|
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e|-----|
B|-----|
G|-----7--9-----7--9-----7--9-----7--9-----|
D|-----| x4
A|-----|
E|-7-----7-7-7-----7-7-7-8-----8-8-8-----8-8-8-----|
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[Chorus]

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e|-3--3--5--5--5--2--2--3--3--3--3--3--5--5--5--2--2--3--3--3--|
B|-3--3--7--7--7--3--3--5--5--5--3--3--7--7--7--3--3--5--5--5--|
G|-4--4--7--7--7--4--4--5--5--5--4--4--7--7--7--4--4--5--5--5--|
D|-5--5--7--7--7--4--4--5--5--5--5--5--7--7--7--4--4--5--5--5--|
A|-5--5--5--5--5--2--2--3--3--3--5--5--5--5--5--2--2--3--3--3--|
E|-3--3-----3--3-----|
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e|-3--3--5--5--5--2--2--3--3--3--3--3--5--5--5--2--3--|
B|-3--3--7--7--7--3--3--5--5--5--3--3--7--7--7--3--5--|
G|-4--4--7--7--7--4--4--5--5--5--4--4--7--7--7--4--5--|
D|-5--5--7--7--7--4--4--5--5--5--5--5--7--7--7--4--5--|
A|-5--5--5--5--5--2--2--3--3--3--5--5--5--5--5--2--3--|
E|-3--3-----3--3-----|
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Verse 4 / REGGAE VIBE:

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e|--7--7--7--7--5--5--5--7--2--2--5--7--3--3--3--5-----|
B|--8--8--8--8--7--7--7--7--3--3--3--8--5--5--5--7-----|
G|--9--9--9--9--7--7--7--7--4--4--4--5--5--5--7-----|
D|-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|
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Off-Beat

[Solo]

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e|-----|
B|-15b17-----15b17--15--15--12--12-----|
G|-----12--12-----|
D|-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|
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e|-----|
B|-15b17-----17b19--15--15b17--12--15-----|
G|-----14p12--11-----|
D|-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|
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