

Pearl Jam - I Got Id (album: Merkin Ball (1995))

Intro/verse: [D, A#, D, A# | D, A#, C, C]

My lips are shaking my nails are bit off.

Been a month since I've heard myself talk.

All the advantage this life's got on me.

Picture a cup in the middle of the sea. *[measure of C]*

Bm Bm F# G | Bm Bm F# G

And I fight back in my mind. Never lets me right out.

I got memories. I got *ID*, so much it don't show.

D Am C G

Oh, I walked the lie when you held me in that night.

I walked the line when you held my hand that night.

[solo over verse chords]

On empty shell seem so easy to crack.

Got all these questions. Don't know who I could even ask.

So I'll just lie alone and wait for the dream

where I'm not ugly and you're looking at me. *[m of C]*

Bm Bm F# G Bm Bm F# G

And I stay in bed. Oh, in a little while I'll see you.

If just once I could feel love, oh, stare back at me. Yeah.

D Am C G

But I walked the lie when you held me in that night.

Oh, I walked the lie when you held my hand that night.

Oh, I walked the lie when you held me close that night.

I paid the price. Never held you in real life.

[solo over verse chords]

My lips are shaking...

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INTRO: (Is also played throughout the song as well as the solo)

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e|-10-----10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10-8-----|
b|-10-----10-10-10-10-10-11-11-10-10-10-10-10-10-11-11-10-10-8-----|
g|-11-----11-11----11-10----11-11-----11-10----11-11---9--9--9-|
d|-12-----12-12----12-12----12-12-----12-12----12-12--10-10-10-|
a|-----|
e|-----|

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The solo: just mess around with these notes:

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e-10-----12--13-----
B-10-11--12--13-----
G-10-11--12--13-----
D-10-----12-----
A-10-----12-----

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a COMMON RIFF in this solo is:

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e-----
B-11--10-----11--10-----11--10-----
G-----12--11--10-----12--11--10-----12--11--10-s-8--
D-----

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Solo 1:

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|-----11--10----11--10-----|
|-10-----12--\9-----3-2---0---3-2--0-----|
|-12--12-----2---0-----3-----3-2--|
|-----2-----|
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Solo 2:

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|-----11--11-11--11-10--11p10-----11-11--11-11-11-10-----|
|-10-----12-10---10-----12--10\9-|
|-12-----12-----|
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|-----11-10-----11-10-----|
|-12b14--12b14-12b14-----12b14-----12b14-----0---|
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|-----10-12-----|
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|-----| -10-----|
|-----11vvvv--10---|
|--10-10-10-11--10-10-10-11\-----| -12b-10---10-----|
|---x--x--x--x--x--x--x--x--10-| -12---12-----|
|---8--8--8--9--8--8--8--9\---x-|-----|
|-----8-|-----|

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-----11--p10-----	-----13b15---15r13--13b15
-12-10-----12-10--12*--*-----	-----
-----12-----	-----
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|-----12b13r12--12---12b13r12--13-13p12-10-10-10----10----10----10|
-11-----11-----13b15---15---15---

hold bend-----|

|-----12b13-----12b13---12-13-12-10-----10-----10|
-15r13-10-13-10-----11\10-11-10-----11-----13b15---13b15-

|-----10-13b14--|
-15r13-10-13b15-----



