

Swift Guitar Lessons



"Love Me Tender" As performed by Elvis Presley

Standard Tuning | Key of D | Music by Georg Poulton | Lyrics by Ken Darby

Verse #1: Grey text indicates alternating bass notes

D /A E7 /B A7 D /A
 Love me tender, love me sweet, never let me go,
 D /A E7 /B A7 /E D /A
 You have made my life complete and I love you so.

Chorus #1:

D F#7/C# Bm D7/A G Gm6 D /A
 Love me tender... love me true... all my dreams fulfill,
 D B7 E7 /B A7 /E D /A
 For my darling, I love you and I always will.

Verse #2:

D /A E7 /B A7 D /A
 Love me tender love me long take me to your heart,
 D /A E7 /B A7 /E D /A
 For it's there that I__ belong and we'll never part.

Chorus #2:

D F#7/C# Bm D7/A G Gm6 D /A
 Love me tender... love me true... all my dreams fulfill,
 D B7 E7 /B A7 /E D /A
 For my darling, I love you and I always will.

Verse #3:

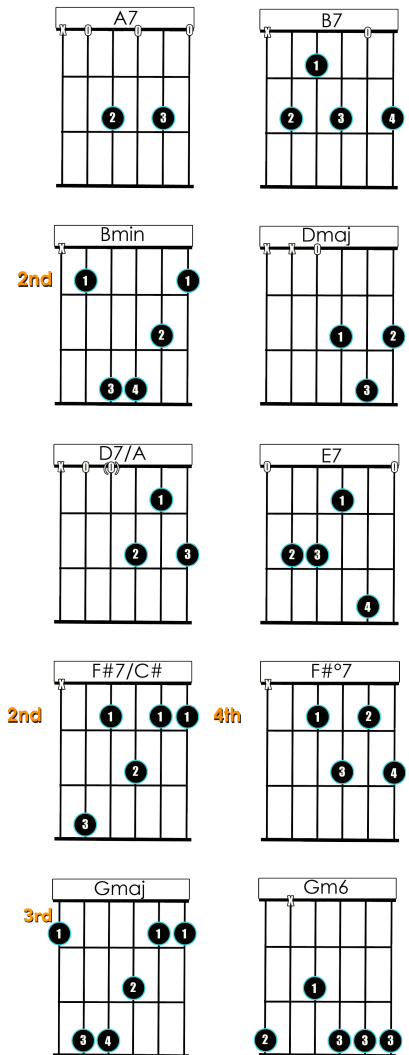
D /A E7 /B A7 D /A
 Love me tender love me dear__ tell me you are mine,
 D /A E7 /B A7 /E D /A
 I'll be yours through all the years, till the end of time.

Chorus #3: Red text indicates full strum

D F#7/C# Bm D7/A G Gm6 D /A (sweep)
 Love me tender... love me true... all my dreams fulfill,
 D F#7 B7 E7 /B A7 /E D /A
 For my__darling, I love you and I always will.

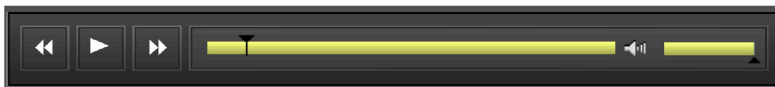
Outro Melody:

E | ---5--5--2- |
 B | ----- |
 G | -2----- |





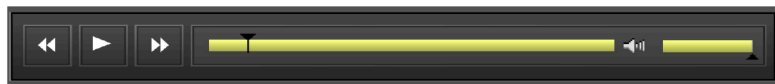
Verse Tablature:



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|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----------------|
| D | /A | E7 | /B | A7 | D | /A |
| E -----2-----2--- -----0-----0--- -----0-----0--- -----2-----2--- | B -----3-----3--- -----3-----3--- -----2-----2--- -----3-----3--- | G -----2-----2--- -----1-----1--- -----0-----0--- -----2-----2--- | D -0-----0----- -----2-----2--- -----2-----2--- -0-----0----- | A -----0----- -----2----- -----0----- -----0----- | E -----0----- -----0----- -----0----- -----0----- | |
| 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & |
| <i>Love me</i> | <i>ten_der</i> | <i>love me</i> | <i>sweet</i> | <i>nev_er</i> | <i>let me</i> | <i>go...</i> |

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| D | /A | E7 | /B | A7 | /E | D | /A |
| E -----2-----2--- -----0-----0--- -----0-----0--- -----2-----2--- | B -----3-----3--- -----3-----3--- -----2-----2--- -----3-----3--- | G -----2-----2--- -----1-----1--- -----0-----0--- -----2-----2--- | D -0-----0----- -----2-----2--- -----2-----2--- -0-----0----- | A -----0----- -----2----- -----0----- -----0----- | E -----0----- -----0----- -----0----- -----0----- | | |
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| <i>You have made my</i> | <i>life com_plete</i> | <i>and I</i> | <i>love you</i> | <i>so...</i> | | | |

Chorus Tablature:



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|---|---|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| D | F#7/C# | Bm | D7/A | G | Gm6 | D | /A |
| E -----2-----2--- -----2-----2--- -----3-----3--- -----2-----2--- | B -----3-----2--- -----3-----1--- -----3-----3--- -----3-----3--- | G -----2-----3--- -----4-----2--- -----4-----3--- -----2-----2--- | D -0-----0----- -----4----- -----5-----2--- -0-----0----- | A -----4----- -----2-----0--- ----- -----0----- | E ----- ----- -----3-----3--- ----- | | |
| 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & |
| <i>Love me</i> | <i>ten_der</i> | <i>love me</i> | <i>true...</i> | <i>all my</i> | <i>dreams ful_fill</i> | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| D | B7 | E7 | /B | A7 | /E | D | /A |
| E -----2-----2--- -----0-----0--- -----0-----0--- -----2-----2--- | B -----3-----0--- -----3-----3--- -----2-----2--- -----3-----3--- | G -----2-----2--- -----1-----1--- -----0-----0--- -----2-----2--- | D -0-----0----- -----2-----2--- -----2-----2--- -0-----0----- | A -----2----- -----2----- -----0----- -----0----- | E -----0----- -----0----- -----0----- -----0----- | | |
| 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & | 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & |
| <i>For my dar_ling,</i> | <i>I love you</i> | <i>and I</i> | <i>al_ways</i> | <i>will.</i> | | | |