

# Riders On The Storm

## The Doors

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Key: Em

Tempo: 104

Chords needed: Em, A, Am, Bm7, C/A, D/A, D, C

Suggested scales to shred: E Dorian, E minor pentatonic, E blues scale

Tutorial Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wgtuSMutCMo>

12 Bar Progression in style of keyboard

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
Em	D	Em	D
1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
Am	Bm7	C/A	D/A
1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
D/G D	C	Em	D

Strum Pattern Ideas for a more Ukulele style version

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
Em	D	Em	D
D X U D D	D X U D D	D X U D D	D X U D D
1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
Am	Bm7	C/A	D/A
D U X D U X	D U X D U X	D X U D D	D X U D D
1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
D/G D	C	Em	D
D D	D U	D X U D D	D X U D D

Riff using 3rds - This works great over the Em to D move throughout the song

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
Em	D
A   --2---2/4---4---   --5---4---4---	
E   3---3---5---7-   ---7---5---	
C   -----   -----	
G   -----   -----	

Two Tasty guitar licks - Note the harmony and note choice

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &	1 & 2 & 3 & 4 &
Em	D	Em	D
A   7-----7---5---   7-----   5-----2---0---   -----			
E   -----   -----   -----   3-----0---5---			
C   -----   -----   -----   -----			
G   -----   -----   -----   -----			

All Solos, intro follow the same chord progression. Outro is just the Em to D part repeated.

[Verse 1]

Em                    D        Em D  
Riders on the storm  
Em                    D        Em D  
Riders on the storm  
  Am            Bm7                    C/A D/A  
Into this house we're born  
  Em                                    D        Em D  
Into this world we're thrown  
                  D  
Like a dog without a bone  
          C  
An actor out on loan  
Em                    D        Em D  
Riders on the storm

[Verse 2]

                  Em                    D        Em D  
There's a killer on the road  
                  Em                    D        Em D  
His brain is squirming like a toad  
          Am                    Bm7 C D  
Take a long holiday  
Em                    D        Em D  
Let your children play  
          D  
If ya give this man a ride  
          C  
Sweet memory will die  
Em                    D        Em D  
Killer on the road, yeah

[Verse 3]

Em                                    D        Em D  
Girl ya gotta love your man  
Em                                    D        Em D  
Girl ya gotta love your man  
Am                                    C D  
Take him by the hand  
Em                    D        Em D  
Make him understand  
          D  
The world on you depends  
          C  
Our life will never end

Em D Em D  
Gotta love your man, yeah

[Verse 4]

Em D Em D  
Riders on the storm  
Em D Em D  
Riders on the storm  
Am Bm7 C/A D/A  
Into this house we're born  
Em D Em D  
Into this world we're thrown  
D  
Like a dog without a bone  
C  
An actor out on loan  
Em D Em D  
Riders on the storm

[Outro]

Em D Em D  
Riders on the storm  
Em D Em D  
Riders on the storm  
Em D Em D  
Riders on the storm  
Em D Em D  
Riders on the storm  
Em D Em D  
Riders on the storm