

Everybody Wants to Rule the World by Tears for Fears

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[Intro]

intro riff (2 bars) then A/D G/D x2

[Verse 1]

A/D G/D | G/D | (A/D)
Welcome to your life
| A/D G/D | G/D | (A/D)
There's no turning back
| A/D G/D | G/D | (A/D)
Even while we sleep
| A/D G/D | G/D |
We will find you

[Chorus 1]

Em F#m
Acting on your best behaviour
G F#m
Turn your back on mother nature
Em F#m G A | A/D G/D | G/D | A/D G/D | G/D
Everybody wants to rule the world

[Verse 2]

| A/D G/D | G/D | (A/D)
It's my own design
| A/D G/D | G/D | (A/D)
It's my own remorse
| A/D G/D | G/D | (A/D)
Help me to decide
| A/D G/D | G/D |
Help me make the ...

[Chorus 2]

Em F#m
... most of freedom and of pleasure
G F#m
Nothing ever lasts forever
Em F#m G A
Everybody wants to rule the ...

[Bridge]

G D D A A
There's a room where the light won't find you
G D D A A (G)
Holding hands while the walls come tumbling down
G D D A A
When they do I'll be right behind you

[Chorus 3]

Em F#m
So glad we've almost made it
G F#m
So sad they had to fade it
Em F#m G A
Everybody wants to rule the world

[Interlude]

| A/D G/D | G/D | A/D G/D | G/D |
| A/D G/D | G/D | A/D G/D | G/D |
(gtr solo?)

[Chorus 4]

Em F#m
I can't stand this indecision
G F#m
Married with a lack of vision
Em F#m G A
Everybody wants to rule the ...

[Chorus 5] (variation)

Em F#m
Say that you'll never never never need it
G F#m
One headline, why believe it
Em F#m G A | A/D G/D | G/D | A/D G/D | G/D |
Everybody wants to rule the world

[Chorus 6]

Em F#m
All for freedom and for pleasure
G F#m
Nothing ever lasts forever
Em F#m G A (A/D)
Everybody wants to rule the world

| A/D G/D | G/D | A/D G/D | G/D |
| A/D G/D | G/D | A/D G/D | G/D |