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Key: E

Genre: Blues

Harp Type: Diatonic

Skill: Expert

Hold On! I'm Comin' (Diatonic Duet)

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By Isaac Hayes & David Porter

From the Album: Riding With The King Featuring Eric Clapton and B.B. King

Key of E Major Range: E3 to B6

This duet includes both Eric Clapton's and B.B. King's lyrics as well as guitar intros, bridges, and outro-guitar solos (adapted for diatonic harmonicas).

Tabbed for a Key of Low E Richter Tuned diatonic and a Key of Standard E Richter Tuned Diatonic. Both players start with Low E.

Tab notations:

none = blow - = draw ob = overblow od = overdraw



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' = \frac{1}{2} step bend " = full step bend
(-5\sim-6\sim7\sim-9) = rolled, or arpeggiated, chord
-56= -5 is a grace note; 6 is the main note
~~~ = trill = hold
-8 -(86) = start with draw 8, slur to draw 6&8 held
(765) = blow chord - (65) = draw chord
6 7 = slur; slide smoothly from one note to next
-678ob-9 = play each note in extremely rapid succession
Harp #1 is Eric Clapton's part & requires both a Low E & E.
Harp #2 is B.B. King's part & requires both a Low E & E.
Intro (start with Low E)
#1: -56 7 8_ 6ob -5 4ob -5 4ob 4_ 7__ -56 8 7_ 5ob 8ob_
#2: (-5~-6~7~-9) 7
#1: 5ob 7_ -5 -8_-(86)____ -5 1 4ob5 -5 6 6ob_-7_7 7 6
#2:
#1: -5 4ob 4 -3'~-3 1 (76) (76) -56 6ob 6-5 4ob 4 (41)
#2: -88ob-87 -6
#1: (76) 8ob -2"~-2 1 (765) (765) 6 -56 6ob 6-5 4ob 4
#2: -6 7~~ 8ob-87-6 7~~-8
#1: (76) 6ob7~~ 8ob 7~~ (76) 7 8ob 7 6 -5 4ob~~5
#2: -9 8ob -8 7 8ob -9 -99
#1: (431) -2"-2 -3'_4 1_ (765) 7 -56 6-5 4ob_ 4ob~~-4
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#2: -99 7~ -8 8ob -6 7 -8 9-109 -9 8ob
#1: 6ob -7 7 6ob 6 7 8ob 7 6 -5 4ob~-4
#2: 9-109 -9 8ob 7 7~~~~~
#1: 1 7 1 - (65) (65) (41) (41) 1 (41) 1 (41) 1
#2: 6 7~~~7 7~ -88ob 7
#1: (41)ob lob (41)ob lob (41)ob lob (41)ob lob
#2: -9 -9 8ob
#1: -2" -5 -2" -5 -2" -5 1 4 (41) 1 (41) 1 (41) 1
#2: -9 7 7 8ob -9 -9 -99
#1: (41) 1 3
#2: 7 7~ 8ob 8ob 8ob 9 8ob -9 -9od -99
#1: 4 4ob -5 6 6 -5 4ob 5 7 7 7
Now don't you ev-er be sad. Lean on me
#2: -88ob-87 -6 7~ -44ob 7
#1: 4 -5 4 4ob 8ob 7
when times are bad.
#2: -6 7~ -6 -6 8ob 6ob 7
When the day__ comes___
#1: 8ob 7 8ob 7
#2: -6 7 7 8ob -6 -6 7 7 7 8ob8 8ob
and you're in doubt in a riv-er of trou-ble
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#1: 7 7 6ob
Hold on,_
#2: -6 7 6ob 8ob_8_ 8ob (76)_____ 7_-6 6_7_
a — bout to drown... Hold on,
#1: 7 7 8 7 7
I'm com-ing. Hold on,
#2: 5ob 8ob 5ob 8ob 5ob 5ob 7
I'm com-ing. Hold___ on,__
#1: 6ob 7 6ob
I'm com-ing,
#2: 5ob 8ob 8ob
I'm com-ing.
#1: 4 4ob -5 6 6 -5 4ob 5 7 7 7 7
I'm on my way, your lov-er If you get cold,
#2: 7~ -44ob 7
#1: 4 -5 4 4ob
yeah, I'll be your cover.
#2: -6 7~ 7
#1: 8ob_ 7_
#2: -6 -6 -6 8ob 6ob7
Don't have to wor_ry,__
#1: 8ob 7
#2: -6 7 7 8ob
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be-cause I'm here.
#1: 8ob 7 8ob (76)
#2: -6 7 7 8ob88ob -6 7 6ob 8ob 8
Don't need to suf-fer, 'cause I'm here.
#1: 7 7 6ob 7 7 8 7 7
Hold on, I'm com-ing Hold on,
#2: _(76)____ 7_-6 6_7_ 5ob 8ob 5ob
Hold on, I'm com-ing
#1: 6ob 7 6ob 7 7 6ob
I'm com-ing Hold on,
#2: 8ob 5ob 5ob 7 6ob 8ob 8ob
Hold___ on,__ I'm com-ing
#1: 7 7 8 8ob9 8 7
I'm com-ing. Hold on,
#2: 8ob 6ob 6ob76 6ob 8ob 8ob
Hold___ on,__ I'm com-ing
#1: 6ob 7 6ob
I'm com-ing
#2: 8ob x -6 -8 8ob
Hold on I'm com-ing.
#1: 4ob -5 -5 -6 6 -5 -5 -6 -5 -6'
Reach out to me for sat-is -fac-tion.
#2:
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#1: 6 6 6ob 6
Call my_ name_____
#2: -88ob -8 -8 -6 7~ 7 -6 7 7
#1: 6 6 -6 6 6ob 7 8ob 6
(for a) quick re - ac — tion. Hey, hey, hey.
#2: -6 7
#1: 9 -9 8ob 7
Hey, hey.____
#2: 8ob -99 9-10 10' 9 -9 8ob 7 7 -6 7 -88ob
#1:
#2: -8 7 -6 7 -8 -6 910" -99 -9 8ob -9 8ob -9 8ob -99' -9
#1: 7 6ob 6 6 6ob 7 7 6ob 6 6 6ob 7
Do, do, do do, do, do, do, do, do, do.
#2: 7~~~~~ 7 -8 8ob -8 -8 8ob-88ob -89
#1: 7 6ob 6 6_____ 6ob 7
Do, do, do do, ____ do, do.
#2: -6-98ob 7 8ob -87-6 7
#1: 4 4ob -5 6 6 -5 4ob 5
Now don't you ev-er feel sad.
#2: 7 6ob 6 6_ 6ob 7 7~
Do, do, do, do, do.
#1: 7 7 7 4 -5 4 4ob
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Lean on me when times are bad.
#2: -44ob_ 7~ -677 7
#1: 8ob_ 7_ 8ob_ 7¬_
#2: -6 -6 8ob_ 6ob_7__ -6 7 7 8ob_
When the day comes and you're in doubt,
#1: 8ob 7 -8
#2: -6 -6 7 7 7 8ob 88ob -6 7 6ob 8ob 8
in a riv-er of trou-ble and a — bout to drown...
#1: -6 7 7 -8 7 7 -8
Well, hold on, I'm com-ing.
#2: 8ob 7 7 6 6ob 8ob 8ob
Hold on, I'm com-ing
#1: 8ob-9 -8 7 7 7 8ob
Hold_ on,_ I'm com-ing.
#2: -9 7 7 6-6 6ob 8ob 8ob
Hold on, _ I'm com-ing
#1: 6ob7 8 7 7 7 8ob 7 -8 7
Hold on__ I'm com-ing Hold on,_
#2: -9 7 7 6-6 6ob 8ob 8ob
Hold on, I'm com-ing
#1: 7 7 8ob 7 -8 7
I'm com-ing Hold on
#2: -9 7 7 6-6 6ob 8ob 8ob
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Hold on, I'm com-ing
#1: 7 7 8ob 7 -8 7
I'm com-ing Hold on,
#2: -9 7 7 6-6 6ob 8ob 8ob -9 7 7 6-6
Hold on, I'm com-ing Hold on,
#1: 7 7 8ob 7 8 7
I'm com-ing. Hold on.
#2: 6ob 8ob 8ob -9 7 7 6-6
I'm com-ing. Hold on,
#1: 7 7 8ob 6ob7 8 7
I'm com-ing. Hold on.
#2: 6ob 8ob 8ob -9 7 76-6
I'm com-ing. Hold on.
#1: 6 7 -6 8ob 7 8ob
I'm com-ing. Take it, yeah.
#2: 6ob 7 7
I'm com-ing
#1:
#2: 7 8ob -99 7-9 8ob 7~ -8 -6 8ob -9 -99 9 -9 8ob
#1:
#2: 7~ -6 10____ -9 8ob -98ob -99 -98ob -99_ 7 7~ -6
#1: (14) 1 (14) 1 -67 7 7 8ob-9 -99 4 4 4ob 10" 9 -9 8ob
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#2: 6ob7 -(65)(65)ob-54ob 4 7
#1: 78ob 7 7 7 8ob9 8ob 7~ 78ob8ob-9 8ob8
#2: 4 -88ob 8ob-9 8ob 7~~~~
#1: 7~~~~ 8ob9' 9 8ob 7~~ 7 8ob 8ob
#2: 6ob6-5 4ob 4 -3' -2 8ob9' 8ob 7~
#1: 7~ 7 8ob-9 8ob~~ 8ob9 8ob
#2: 7 8ob 8ob-9 8ob 8ob 7 8ob 8ob-9 8ob
#1: 7~~ 66ob7 8ob 8ob 7~~~~~~
#2: 6ob6 -(65)(65)ob -5 4ob 4 -3" 4 -44ob 4~~
#1: -56 -5 4ob 4 -3' 4~ 6ob6 -55ob-54ob4 4 4ob
#2: 7 4
#1: -56-54ob4-3' 4 4ob~ 44ob-5 4ob
#2: -44ob -44-3" 4 4 -3" 4-3" 4 -44ob -3" 4
#1: 44 44ob-5 4ob~ 44_ Low E -99ob-98ob-98ob77_8ob
#2: 7~-55ob 4ob 4 7 7 -5 76ob6
#1: 6ob76ob 6-5 4ob 4 -3' 1_ (431)(5431)
#2: -5 4ob 4-3" 6ob7 6ob7 6ob7 6ob7
#1: (431)(431) (431)(5431) (5431)
#2:
Begin fade
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#1:
#2: -5 -5 4ob~ 4 6ob 7 7 -5 7 776ob-5 7 8ob-9 8ob8 7~~
#1:
#2: -55ob -5 -5 4ob5_ 4-3'3 4ob -5 -5 6 -(65) 6 -(65) 4 6 -6
Fade out

Lyrics