



"ENTER SANDMAN" Metallica

As heard on *Metallica* (ELEKTRA)

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Say your prayers, little one
Don't forget, my son, to include everyone
I tuck you in, warm within
Keep you free from sin 'til the sandman he comes

Sleep with one eye open, gripping your pillow tight

chorus:
Exit light, enter night
Take my hand, we're off to never-never land

Something's wrong, shut the light
Heavy thoughts tonight, and they aren't of Snow White
Dreams of war, dreams of liars, dreams of dragons' fire
And the things that will bite, yeah

Sleep with one eye open, gripping your pillow tight

chorus, guitar solo

Now I lay me down to sleep, pray the Lord my soul to keep
If I die before I wake, pray the Lord my soul to take

Hush little baby, don't say a word
And never mind that noise you heard
It's just the beasts under your bed
In your closet, in your head

Exit light, enter night, grain of sand
Exit light, enter night
Take my hand, we're off to never-never land

We're off to never-never land, take my hand (2x)
We're off to never-never land (4x)

A Intro (0:00)

Moderate Rock ♩ = 120

Em A5V Em A5V Em A5V Em A5V Em A5V Em A5V Em

Riff A -----
*Gtr. 1 (clean elec.) let ring ----- (play 3 times)
Gtr. 2 (elec. w/dist. and wah) ----- (rock wah in specified rhythm)

1
T 4
A 4
B 4

*doubled

wah notation: + = toe down
o = toe up

Gtr. 2 A5V Em A5V Em A5V Em A5V E5
(wah off)

Gtr. 1 let ring ----- (repeat previous measure) ----- w/dist.

Bass w/pick Bass Fill 1

(0:24) E5 (play 3 times) N.C.(E5) F5 (play 3 times)

P.M. ----- (play 3 times) *repeat previous chord P.M. ----- (play 3 times)

Bass Fill 2 (play 3 times)

