

# (Sittin' On) The Dock of the Bay

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Standard tuning

♩ = 104

4x

E-Gt

18 *f*

TAB

15 15 16 (16) 16 16 16 17 17 16 15 14  
 14-16 14 17 16 (16) 16 16 16 17 17 16 15 14

21 *f* *f*

TAB

(14) 15 14 14 15 14 14 15 15 14-16 14-16 14 15 16  
 (14) 14 17 14 14 14 14 14 14-16 14-16 14 15 16

23 24 25

TAB

16 17 17 17 17 16 15 14 (14) 14  
 (16) 17 17 17 17 16 15 14 (14) (14) (14)

26 *f* *f* *f* 27 28 *f* *f* *f*

TAB

15 15 15 15 15 16 (16) 15 15 15 15 15 16  
 14-16 14-16 14-16 14 17 16 (16) (16) 14 14 14-16 14-16 14-16 14 17 16

29 30 *f* *f*

TAB

(16) 15 15 15 15 16 18  
 (16) 14-16 16 14-16 14 17 16 18

31 *f*

TAB

(18) 17 18 17 18 16-18 16 14 14 16

32 *f* 33

T (16) 15 16 15 15 16 14 16 14 13 16 18

A (15) (14) (16) (14)

B (16) (18) (18)

34 *f* 35 *f* 36 *f* *f*

T 5 7 5 7 7 5 (5) 5 5 7 5 7 5

A 5 7 5 7 7 5 (5) 5 5 7 5 7 5

B 5 7 7 5 (5) 5 5 7 7 5 7 5

37 38

T (5) 5 5 7 7

A (5) 5 5 7 7

B (5) 5 7 5 7

39 *f* 40

T 7 5 5 7 7 7 7 5 5 5 5 5 5

A (7) 5 5 7 7 7 (7) 5 5 5 5 5

B 5 5 7 7 7 (7) 5 5 5 5 5

41 *f* 42 *f* 43

T 10 10 10 10 15 15 15 16 16 (16) 16

A 11 11 11 11 14 16 14 16 14 17 16 (16) 16

B 11 11 11 11 17 16 16 16 16 14 17 16

44 45 46

T 17 17 16 15 14 (14) 15 15 15 15 15 16

A 17 17 16 15 14 (14) 16 16 16 16 14 17 16

B 17 17 16 15 14 (14) 16 16 16 16 14 17 16

Musical notation for measures 47-49. Treble clef, key signature of one sharp (F#). Measure 47 starts with a treble clef and a sharp sign. Measure 48 has a fermata. Measure 49 has a fermata. The guitar tablature below shows fret numbers: (16) 16 16 16 16 16 (16) 17 17 17 17 16 15 14 (14) (14).

Musical notation for measures 50-52. Treble clef. Measure 50 has a fermata. Measure 51 has a fermata. Measure 52 has a fermata. Dynamics: *f* *f* *f* *f* *f* *f*. The guitar tablature below shows fret numbers: 15 15 15 15 15 17 16 (16) 16 15 14 15 15 15 15 14 14 14 16 17 16.

Musical notation for measures 53-54. Treble clef. Measure 53 has a fermata. Measure 54 has a fermata. Dynamics: *f* *f*. The guitar tablature below shows fret numbers: (16) (16) 15 15 15 15 14 16 16 14 16 14 17 16 18.

Musical notation for measures 55-58. Treble clef. Measure 55 has a sharp sign. Measure 56 has a sharp sign. Measure 57 has a sharp sign. Measure 58 has a sharp sign. Dynamics: *f*. The guitar tablature below shows fret numbers: (18) 17 18 17 18 17 16 16 18 14 14 16.

Musical notation for measures 56-58. Treble clef. Measure 56 has a sharp sign. Measure 57 has a sharp sign. Measure 58 has a sharp sign. Dynamics: *f*. The guitar tablature below shows fret numbers: (16) 15 16 15 15 16 14 16 14 13 16 18 (18).

Musical notation for measures 59-64. Treble clef. Measures 59-64 are empty staves with a flat line. The guitar tablature below is empty.

Musical notation for measures 65-70. Treble clef. Measures 65-70 are empty staves with a flat line. The guitar tablature below is empty.

71 72 73

T  
A  
B

The image shows a musical score for three measures, numbered 71, 72, and 73. The top staff is a treble clef staff with a single note on the second line (D4) in each measure. The bottom staff is a guitar TAB staff with the letters 'T', 'A', and 'B' stacked vertically on the first line, indicating fretting instructions for the strings.