

I'M BAD, I'M NATIONWIDE ZZ TOP

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C5 **B \flat 5** **B5** **F5** **B \flat /D**

C/G **F/A \vee** **G/D** **C/E** **E \flat 5** **F/A**

A Intro (0:00)
Moderate Rock $\text{♩} = 104$

C5 **B \flat 5** **B5** **C5**
 Gr. 1 (elec. w/dist.) *full* $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ *let ring -* *full* *full*

 Gr. 2 (elec. w/dist.) *(repeat prev. chord)*

 Bass

Tempo 2 $\text{♩} = 80$

B Tempo 1 $\text{♩} = 104$ (0:10, 2:35)

4 N.C.(C7) (F5) (E \flat 5) C5
 Gr. 3 plays Fill 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ *grad. release*

 P.M. P.M. P.M.

 Bass

Fill 1 (0:07, 0:55, 1:33, 2:32, 3:19)

Gr. 3 (acous.) (C7) (F5) (E \flat 5)

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27 C5 Eb5 F5 F/A

grad. release 1/2 pick and fingers

end Rhy. Fig. 1 1/4

P.M. let ring-

end Bass Fig. 1

29 C5 Eb5 F5 C5 Eb5 F5

Gtr. 2 plays Rhy. Fig. 1 twice (see meas. 25)

1/2 grad. full release pick and fingers

Bass plays Bass Fig. 1 twice (see meas. 25)

31 C5 Eb5 F5 F/A C5 Eb5 F5

1/2 grad. release pick and fingers 1/2 full pick and fingers

34 C5 Eb5 F5 C5 Eb5 F5 F/A

1/2 pick and fingers

(2:04) C5 Eb5 F5 C5 Eb5 F5 C5 Eb5 F5

Gtr. 4 plays Rhy. Fill 1 eight times

37 Gtr. 1 1/4 grad. bends 1/4 P.H. full P.H. 1/4 1/2 pick and fingers

Gtr. 2 P.M. P.M. P.M. Rhy. Fig. 2 P.M. P.M. P.M. pitch: D D

Bass Bass Fig. 2

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C5 Eb5 F5 C5
 Gtr. 2 plays Rhy. Fig. 2 five times (see meas. 38)

Eb5 F5 C5

Eb5 F5 C5

Eb5 F5

40 Gtr. 1

Bass plays Bass Fig. 2 five times (see meas. 37)

44 Gtr. 1

Gtr. 2

Bass

D.S.
 (go back to)

Tempo 2 ♩ = 80

N.C.(C7)

Gtr. 3 plays Fill 1 (see first page)

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Bass

Rhy. Fill 1 (2:04) F/A C/G

Gtr. 4
 (elec. w/light dist.) > >

