

Sick of You by Lou Reed (1989)

A

I was up in the morning with the TV blaring; brush my teeth, sittin' watchin' the news.

All the beaches were closed, the ocean was a Red Sea, but there was no one there to part in two.

D

There was no fresh salad because there's hypos in the cabbage. Staten Island disappeared at noon

A

They say the Midwest is in great distress, And NASA blew up the moon.

G

D

The ozone layer has no ozone anymore, and you're gonna leave me for the guy next door?

A

I'm sick of you. I'm sick of you.

A

They arrested the Mayor for an illegal favor: Sold the Empire State to Japan.

A

And Oliver North married William Secord and gave birth to a little Teheran.

D

And the Ayatollah bought a nuclear warship, If he dies he wants to go out in style.

A

And there's nothing to eat that don't carry the stink of some human waste dumped in the Nile.

G

D

Well, one thing is certainly true. No one here knows what to do

A

And I'm sick of you. I'm sick of you

[Solo] **AAAA D D A A G D A A** (follow verse)

A

The radio said there were 400 dead in some small town in Arkansas.

A

Some whacked out trucker drove into a nuclear reactor and killed everybody he saw.

D

Now he's on Morton Downey and he's glowing and shiny. Doctors say this is a medical advance.

A

They say the bad makes the good and there's something to be learned in every human experience.

G

D

Well I know one thing that really is true. This here's a zoo and the keeper ain't you.

A

And I'm sick of it. I'm sick of you.

A

They ordained the Trumps and then he got the mumps and died being treated at Mt. Sinai.

A

And my best friend Bill died from a poison pill some wired doctor prescribed for stress.

D

My arms and legs are shrunk. The food all has lumps. They discovered some animal no one's ever seen.

A

It was an inside trader eating a rubber tire after running over Rudy Giuliani.

G

D

They say the President's dead but no one can find his head. It's been missing now for weeks.

A

But no one noticed it! He had seemed so fit! And I'm Sick of it.

G

I'm sick of you

D

A

I'm so sick of you "Bye, bye, bye" {Repeat outro]

[Intro]

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e|-----|
B|-----|
G|-----|
D|-----|
A|-----0h3p0-----0-----|
E|-0h3-----3-----|

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[Verse]

Played on every A

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e|-----|
B|-----2--2-2-----2-2-2-2-----|
G|-----2--2-2-----2-2-2-2-----|
D|-----2--2-2-----2-2-2-2-----|
A|-----0h3p0-----0--0-0-----0h3p0-----0-0-0-0-----|
E|-0h3-----3-----0h3-----3-----|

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[Solo]

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e|-----|
B|-4/5--8-8--8h10--10-8--4/5--8-8--8-8--8h10--10-8-----|
G|-5/6--9-9--9-----9-9-----5/6--9-9--9-9--9-----9-9-----|
D|-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|

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e|-----|
B|-9-/10--13-13--13h15--13h15--13--9--9-----9--9-----|
G|-10/11--14-14--14-----14-----14-----12-----12-----|
D|-----12p10h12-----12p10h12-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|

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e|-----|
B|-7/8--7/8--5---7/8--7/8--5-----|
G|-8/9--8/9--6---8/9--8/9--6-----|
D|-----|
A|-----|
E|-----|

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Outro

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e|-----|
B|-3/4--3/4--2--2-2--3/4--3/4--2--2-2-----|
G|-4/5--4/5--2--2-2--4/5--4/5--2--2-2-----|
D|-----2-2-2-----2-2-2-----|
A|-----0-0-0-----0-0-0-----|
E|-----|

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