

# Blind Guardian

Album: Somewhere Far Beyond  
Song: Theatre Of Pain

Transcribed by Peter Jerman  
e-mail: peter\_jerman@yahoo.com

\*\*\*\*\*

## Notation:

\*\*\*\*\*

- b = Bend
- bfr = Bend full and release
- x = Fret-hand muting
- . = Pick-hand muting
- h = Hammer-on
- p = Pull-off
- ~ = Vibrato
- t = Tap-on
- / = Slide up
- \ = Slide down
- A.H = Artificial Harmonics
- N.H = Natural Harmonics
- P.M = Palm Muting
- (9) = Ghost note
- " = Trem picking

\*\*\*\*\*

## INTRO:

\*\*\*\*\*

```
      4X          2X
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|---|-----|A.H-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|---|-----|8~-----|-----|8-10-11-11--10-11-11p10p8-|
|-3-|-3---4---3-|-----11-10-11-11p10p8---8h10-11-----|
|-1-|-1-6-2-6-1-|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|---|---4---4---|-----|-----|-----|-----|
```

```
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|-A...H-----A.H---A...H-----11-9-----|
|-13-13p11p10-11-10-8-11-10---11p14-----11-10-8-10-8-----A.H-----|
|-----13-13b(15)-----11-10h11p10p8---8-----|
|-----11--p9-9---11p9p8-|
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
```

```
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|-A.H-----A.H-----|
|-13-11-10h11p10-----13-11-10h11p10---|
|-----13-11-11h13-----13-|
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
```

\*\*\*\*\*

## Verse 1:

\*\*\*\*\*



PM . . . . .

\*\*\*\*\*

Solo:

\*\*\*\*\*

|-----|13bfr-14bfr-15bfr----|-18-18-18-18-18-18-18-18-18-16bfr~-|  
-16bf\ -16bf-14bf\ -16bf-	-16bfr-----	-----
-----	-----	-----
-----	-----	-----
-----	-----	-----

|-----|  
|-----14-13-----16-----16bfr-p14h16-14h16p14p13h14-|  
-11--15-13-----15-13--15--18-17----18-17-15-----
-----
-----

|-----|  
|-16-13-16bfr-p13h16--13-----|  
|-----16-16bfr-p14p13h14-----|  
|-----15-13-15-13----13-----|  
|-----15----15-13-11-13-----|  
-----13\11-11-----

|-----13\-----|  
|-----A.H-----14-13-14-16-14-16-----|  
|-----13\---15-13-15-17-15-17-----|  
|-----11-10-11-13-11-13-----|  
-13-11-13-15-13-15-----

|-----13-11-13--11-----13-11-13--11-----14-13-14-13h14p13p11----11---|  
|-----13-11--13b(14) r-11-----13-----13-14-13----9-11-|  
-----11--13b(15) r-11-----
-----
-----

2nd guitar

|-----9~-|  
|-----11p9h11----|  
|-----6~-----6p5-10p8-----|  
|-----8p6h8-----8p6-----|  
|-----4p3h4-8p6h8-----|  
|-6p4h6-----|

1st Guitar

|-----|  
|-----9bfr-9-----|  
-8-10-11~-----11---13p11p10-
-----
-----

\*\*\*\*\*

Verse 4:

\*\*\*\*\*

Like Verse 2

\*\*\*\*\*

Corus 2:

\*\*\*\*\*

4X

-----
-----
-3-3-----
-1-1---6-6-
-----4-4-

-----	-----20p18~-
-----16-	-----16-14-16-18-16-18-19~---
-----15-13-15-17-15-17-18-17-18---	-15-13-15-18-17-18-----
-16-15-16-18-16-18-----	-----
-----	-----

\*\*\*\*\*

Outro:

\*\*\*\*\*

|-13h16p13~-|-----|-----|  
-----	-----	-9bf- (11) - (11) - (11) -r (9) ~-
-----	-10--8--6--5--8-	-----
-----	-8--6--4--3--6-	-----
-----	-----	-----

\*\*\*\*\*

Lyrics:

\*\*\*\*\*

Intro:

Verse 1:

\*\*\*\*\*

The giant's lost  
And all round him  
Destructed for what  
They all knew what it meant  
But they couldn't change it  
Lord they had gone too far  
Leave them alone

\*\*\*\*\*

Verse 2:

\*\*\*\*\*

It's all gone  
What is left behind  
On a desert we called earth  
When the last whale went away  
Did they ever see the tears

\*\*\*\*\*

Corus 1:

\*\*\*\*\*

Don't fear Your last step  
From the theatre of pain  
And the children will love Your singing  
From the sea  
The sea is calling  
Now we've to leave it

\*\*\*\*\*

Verse 3:

\*\*\*\*\*

The sea was clear  
On the day I was stranded  
Answers I'd known  
To keep this all alive

But I can't change it

Forever

\*\*\*\*\*

Solo

|

Verse 4:

\*\*\*\*\*

Now I'm gone

And it seems that life had never existed

So we left the dark and cold

All I left behind are my tears

\*\*\*\*\*

Corus 2:

\*\*\*\*\*

Don't fear Your last step

From the theatre of pain

And the children will love Your singing

From the sea

The sea is calling

I hear them calling

\*\*\*\*\*

Outro:

\*\*\*\*\*

THE END

\*\*\*\*\*