

# GUITAR LESSON III

All songs to be played with the power chord shape on the bottom E string. Make sure your guitar is now tuned in standard tuning, with the bottom string as an E. Index finger of your fretting hand should be on the low E string (the string closest to you) on the fret number indicated.

Then place your 3rd finger (wedding ring finger) on the A string (5th string) 2 frets higher than your 1st finger, and, if you want, your pinky (4th finger) on the same fret as your 3rd finger but on the D string.

## NOW TUNED IN STANDARD TUNING E A D G B E

Smoke on the Water:

main riff: 3 - 6 - 8 | 3 - 6 - 9-8 | 3 - 6 - 8 - 6 - 3

Verse: 3 (hold or x13) then add 1-1-2 - back to 3

Chorus: 8 - 4 - 3 | 8 - 4 - into main riff

Sweet Home Alabama: 10 - 8 - 3

Sex on Fire:

Verse: 0 - 9

Chorus: 0 - 9 - 5

Dakota:

Verse: 0 - 9 - 5 - 0

Chorus: 5 - 0

I don't know: 0 - 7 - 5

Highway to Hell:

main riff: 5-5-5 - 2-2-3 - 2-2-3-2-2-3 - 2 - 55

before chorus: hold the 0 then move into the chorus

chorus: 5-5 - 10 - 3-2

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# OLD SONGS AS POWER CHORDS

Here's how to play all the songs we've learned so far with power chords so you can now start playing these songs with power chords too!

Remember we've changed the tuning of our bottom string so now you need to take away 2 from the 1 finger version. For example fret 5 for 1 finger would be fret 3 for power chords.

But here's all the songs we've learned so far so you don't have to do the math!

## NOW TUNED IN STANDARD TUNING

**E A D G B E**

## ALL CHORDS PLAYED AS POWER CHORDS ON THE LOW E

Happier: 8 - 1 - 6

Shotgun: 1 - 6 - 10 - 8

Leave a Light On: 10 - 6 - 1 - 8

Radioactive: 7 - 10 - 5 - 0

500 miles:

Verse & da de dum dums: 0 - 5 - 7 - 0

Chorus: 0 - 5 - 7

Counting Stars: 9 - 0 - 7 - 5

Galway Girl: 2 - 5 - 0 - 10

Shape of You: 9 - 2 - 5 - 7

All Star: 2 - 9 - 4 - 7

Sky Full of Stars: 11 - 7 - 2 - 6

# OLD SONGS AS POWER CHORDS II

**NOW TUNED IN STANDARD TUNING**

**E A D G B E**

**ALL CHORDS PLAYED AS POWER CHORDS ON THE LOW E**

Twist & Shout: 10 - 3 - 5

Budapest:

Verse: 1 - 6

Chorus: 8 - 6 - 1

With or Without You: 10 - 5 - 7 - 3

Let Me Entertain You: 0 - 3 - 5 - 0

Leave Song 2 for now, we're going to come back to that one!

Valerie:

Verse: 11 - 1 (or 13)

Chorus: 4-3 - 4-3 - 4-3 - 6

Mr. Brightside:

Verse: 9 - 8 - 2

Bridge: 6 - 4 - 2 - (4)

Chorus: 9 - 2 - 6 - 4

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