

Purple Rain.txt

Purple Rain  
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Capo at first fret throughout - standard tuning  
 Key tonality - G minor blues / Bb Major

General Chords

<b>Bbsus</b>	<b>Bbsus/G</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Ebsus</b>
0 E-A-D-G-B-E =====	0 E-A-D-G-B-E =====	0 E-A-D-G-B-E =====	6 E-A-D-G-B-E =====
X C-----C-C	--C-----C-C	C-----C-C	x-1-----1-1
-----	-----	-----1-----	-----
---1-2---	T---1-2---	--2-3-----	---3-3---
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<b>F7</b>	<b>Bb</b>		
0 E-A-D-G-B-E =====	0 E-A-D-G-B-E =====		
C---C---C-C	--C-----		
-----1---	-----		
--2-----	---1-1-1--		
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Beginning Riff

<b>Bbsus</b>	<b>Bbsus/G</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Ebsus</b>
E   --1--1-----	-----1-1-----	-----	-----6-6-----6-
B   --1-----1-1-1-1-1-1-3-1-1-----	-----1-1-3-1-1-----	-----	-----x-6-6-----6-
G   --3-----3-3h5-3-----3-----3-----	-----3-----3-----	-----	-----x-----x-8-8-----8-
D   --3-----3-----	-----3-----	1--10--10--10-10-x-	8-8--8-8-
A   --1-----	-----	10h12-10h12--12-12-x-	6--6--6--6--
E   -----	-----3-----3-----1-----	-----	-----

Verse

Bbsus - Bbsus/G - F - Ebsus (repeat)

Prechorus

Bbsus - Bbsus/G - F7 (add dominant 7 4th fret b str) - Bb(stop)

Chorus

Ebsus - Bbsus - Bbsus/G - F - F7 - Bb(stop)

Solo Rhythm Notes

After Bbsus/G, drag thumb up on 6th string from 3rd to 5th fret, then to 6th, then fret 5th string 5th fret before F for bass emphasis.

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Solo Run to outro

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E|-----1---
B|-----1---
G|--3-1-----3---
D|-----3-1-----3---
A|-----5-3-1---1---
E|-----5-----
    
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Outro Rhythm

Bbsus Bbsus/G F Ebsus

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E|--1-----1-----1-----1-----|
B|--1-----1-----1-----4-----4-----|
G|--3-----3-----2-----3-----3-----|
D|--3-----3-----3-----1-----1-----:-|
A|--1-----1-----3-----1-5-3-1-5-3-|
E|-----3-----1-----|
    
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