

# Sultans Of Swing

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T																			
A		2	2	2	2	X	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	5	5				
B		0	0	0	0	X	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	X	5			
																5			

6


11


18




51

6 5 X 5  
5 5 X 5  
7 5 X 5

5 10 10 8 8 8 8

6 5 3  
7 5 3  
7 5 3

6 5 7

55

6 5 X 5  
5 5 X 5  
7 5 X 5

5 5 5 X 5 7 5 7 5

1 7 1 7

60

9 8 9 8 8 9 10 10 10 10 10 10

7 5 5 5 8 9 8 7 8 X

full full full full full full

65

8 8 6 7 9 8 8 6 6 6 6 6 6 7 7

full

71

10 8 9 10 10 10 X 3 X 6 X 3 3 3 3 5 3 5 3 5 3 5

5 7 5 7 5 7

75

5 7

8 7

5 5 5

full full full full

81

full

12 9 10 9 10 9

7 6 7 5 4 0

8 8

5 5 5

5 5 5

full

86

X X 6 6 5 X 3

X X 5 5 5 X 3

X X 7 7 5 X 3

5 7 7 6 5 4 7

3 3 3

6 3 3

3 3 3

91

3 3 3

3 3 3

3 3 3

X X X 3

6 3 3

3 3 3

5 5 5

5 5 5

5 5 5

5 5 5

95

6 6 5 3

7 7 5 3

6 6 5 X 5

7 5 X 5

5 10

10 8 0 8

99

Pull Off

104

110

Don't hit that 2, just slide from 7

117

121

126

10	8	8	8	8	6	5	3	6	6	5	X	5	5
10				9	7	5	3	5	7	5	X	5	5
													X

130

full full full full

5	7	5	7	5	8	9	8	9	8	8	6	8	6	5	6	5	
																	11
																	X X

134

full let ring

9	10	9	12	10	10	10	10	13	11	13	11	9	10	X	11	X	X
							12										

138

full full full

9	10	10	10	10	12	13	12	13	13	12	10	10	12	13	12	13	12	14	12

142

full full full full full

13	13	13	13	13	13	13	15	13	13	10	13	10	10	10	13	X	10

146

let ring -----|

let ring -----

12 10 3 3 3 6 3 | 5 5 5 6 8 6 5 | 6 8 3 3 3 6 3

149

full full

3 5 5 7 5 7 8 7 5 7 7 (7) 6 5 3 6  
3 5 5 7 5 7 8 7 5 7 7 (7) 7 5 3 5  
3 5 5 7 5 7 8 7 5 7 7 (7) 7 5 3 7

153

6 5 X 5 5 10 10 8 8 8 8 6 5 3 6  
5 5 X 5 5 10 10 8 8 8 8 7 5 3 5  
7 5 X 5 5 10 10 8 8 8 8 7 5 3 7

157

6 5 X 5 5 5 5 7 5 5 X 5 7 5 X 3 3 2 2 10 12  
5 5 X 5 5 5 5 5 7 5 5 5 7 5 3 3 2 2 5 11 11 11 12  
7 5 X 5 5 5 X 5 7 5 5 5 7 5 3 3 2 2 5 11 11 11 12

162

14 14 14 14/17 17 15 15 17 9 9 9  
14 14 17 15 17 17 8 8 8  
14 14 17 15 17 17 9 9 9



169

Musical staff for measure 169, featuring a melodic line with a sharp sign and a fermata over an eighth note.



7 9	8 9 8 8	10 11 (10)	5 7 7 6 7 6 7
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174

Musical staff for measure 174, featuring a complex rhythmic pattern with many beamed notes and rests.

7 7 X 3	6 X 3	3 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	5 5 X 3	6 X 3	3 5
7 X 3	3 X X	3 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	5 5 X 3	3 X X	3 5
			5 5 X 3	3 X X	3 5

179

Musical staff for measure 179, featuring a melodic line with various articulations and a fermata.

6 6 5 3	6	6 5 X 5	5 10	10 8 8 8 8
7 7 5 3	5 7	5 5 X 5		10 8 8 8 9
7 7 5 3		7 5 X 5		

183

Musical staff for measure 183, featuring a melodic line with a sharp sign and a fermata.

6 5 3	6	6 5 X 5 5			X
7 5 3	5 7	5 5 X 5 5			
7 5 3		7 5 X 5 5	X		

5 7 5 7 5

187

Musical staff for measure 187, featuring a melodic line with a sharp sign and a fermata.

8	8 6 8	6 7	8	8 5 8 5 3 5 3	5 7
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full (pointing to first 8)

full (pointing to second 8)



190

5 5 7 5 5 7 5 X X 10 8 10 8 10 7 7 7 7/9

193

8 10 8 8 10 8 8 10 8 8 10 8 8 10 8 8 10 8 8 10 8 12 10 13 10 12 10 12 10 12 10 10

full

196

12 X X 10 0 X 11 X X 11 12 11 11 10 X X

full full

199

13 10 10 13 10 10 13 10 10 13 10 10 13 10 11 10 13 10 11 10 13 10 11 10 13 X X

201

15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 10 10

203

13 10 10 13 10 10 13 10 10 13 10 10 13 10 11 10 13 10 11 10 13 10 11 10 13 X X

205

15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 13 12 15 12 12 15 15 13 15

208

13 15 13 13 15 12 15 12 13 13 15 13 10 13 10 9 12 9 6 5 3 7 5 3 7 5 3

212

6 5 7 6 5 X 5 5 5 10 10 8 8 8 8 9 6 5 3 7 5 3 7 5 3

216

6 5 7