

beatles - Because

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 Subject: 'Because' by 'The Beatles'

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Lennon/McCartney

Album: Abbey Road

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This version is pretty fun to play along with the vocal version on Anthology 3! Try using your pinky for the notes marked with a *. This version also sounds great on just an acoustic. I like to use a stiff pick to get a sharper attack sound, but finger picking is okay too. The song is almost entirely barre chords.

Chords:

C#m	G#7sus?	G#	A	A7	D	F#
EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE
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Main section:

C#m		G7sus?		G#	
e	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----5-----	-----5-----	-----4-----	-----4-----	-----4-----
G	-----6---6-----	-----6---6-----	-----6---6-----	-----5---5-----	-----5---5-----
D	--6-----6---6---6	--6-----6---6---6	--4-----4---4---4	--6-----6---6---6	--6-----6---6---6
A	4-----7*-----	4-----7*-----	6-----7*-----	6-----7*-----	6-----7*-----
E	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----4-----

A		C#m		A7	
e	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----5-----	-----5-----	-----8-----	-----7-----	-----7-----
G	-----6---6-----	-----6---6-----	-----6---6-----	-----6-----	-----6-----
D	--7-----7-----	--6-----6-----	--5-----5---5---5	--5-----5-----	--5-----5-----
A	-----7-----	4-----4-----	-----7-----	-----7-----	-----7-----
E	5-----	-----	5-----	5-----	5-----

D			
e	-----2-----	-----2-1-----	
B	-----3---3-----	-----3-----	
G	--2-----2---2---2	--2-----	- Repeat main section
D	0-----4*-----	0-----	
A	-----	-----	
E	-----	-----	

"Ahhh, Ahh.. "

"Because the (etc.)..."

Lyrics (not necessarily in order):

Because the world is round, it turns me on
 Because the world is round, ahhh
 Because the wind is high, it blows my mind
 Because the wind is high, ahhh
 Love is old, love is new
 Love is all, love is you
 Because the sky is blue, it makes me cry
 Because the sky is blue, ahhh

Part with "Love is old, love is new...":

	F#		G#	
e	-----	-----	-----	-----4-
B	-----2-----	-----2-----	-----4-----	-----7-----
G	----3--3-----	----3--3-----	----5--5-----5-	----5-----
D	--4-----4--4-	--4-----4--4-	--6-----6-4--	--4-----
A	-----4-----	-----4-----	-----	-----
E	2-----	2-----	4-----	4-----