

## eric clapton - My Fathers Eyes

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My father's eyes - Eric Clapton

Music & text Eric Clapton  
 Album: Pilgrim (1998)

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INTRO:

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vibr.....
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e -----
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b -----5-----5-4--5/7-5-----5-----5-4--5/7-5-----
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g -1--4-----1--4-----4--2-----
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d -----6--
4-----
A -----
--7--6-
E -----
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e -----
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b -----5-p-4--5-5---9--7-p-5-----5-p-4--5-5-----
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g -4---/-6-----6--4-----4-p-6-7--4-
p-6-7--
d -----
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A -----
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E -----
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e -----|
b -----|
g -6--4--6--/-8-|
d -----|
A -----|
E -----|
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VERSE 1:

[B] Sailing down behind [F#] the sun [B]  
 [C#m] Waiting for [C#m7] my [F#] prince to come [B]

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[B] Praying [C#m7]for the [F#] healing rain [B]  
[C#m] To restore [Bm7] my soul [F#m] again [E] (Fill 1)

FILL 1:

e -----|  
b -----5-5--|  
g -1-/-4-----|  
d -----|  
A -----|  
E -----|

(Gtr.2 plays intro, with a few minor changes)

[E] Just a tour[A]ride, on [C#m] the run [B]  
[E] How did I [A] get here, what [C#m] have I done [B]  
[E] When will [A] all my hopes [C#m] arise [B]  
[E] And how will I [A] know him,  
[C#m] when I look in [B] my father's eyes [E]

CHORUS:

[E] Look into [A] my father's [C#m] eyes [B]  
My father's eyes [E] [A] [C#m] When I look in [B] my father's  
eyes[E]  
[E]Look into [A] my father's [C#m] eyes [B]  
My father's eyes [E] [A] [Bm7] [A] [E] [F#m] [B]

VERSE 2:

[B] Then the light begins [F#] to shine [B]  
[C#m] And I hear those [C#m7] ancient [F#] lullabies [B]  
[B] And as I [C#m7] watch the [F#] seedling grow, [B]  
[C#m] I feel my heart [Bm7] start to [F#m] overflow [E] (Fill 2)

FILL 2:

e -4-----2-p-0---|  
b -----2-|  
g -----|  
d -----|  
A -----|  
E -----|

[E] Where do I [A] find [C#m] the words to say [B]  
[E] And how do I [A] teach him, what [C#m] do we play [B]  
[E] Bit by [A] bit, [C#m] I realize [B]  
[E] That's when I [A] need them,  
[C#m] That's when I need [B] my father's eyes [E]

CHORUS:

[E] Look into [A] my father's [C#m] eyes [B]  
My father's eyes [E] [A] [C#m] That's when I need [B] my father's  
eyes[E]  
[E]Look into [A] my father's [C#m] eyes [B]  
My father's eyes [E] [A]

[Bm7] [A] [E] [F#m] [B]

BRIDGE:

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    let ring
e  -7-----9-----7--5---5-----12-p-11-12-12--
11--11-
b  -----5-5---9--9-p-75-----9---5-----
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g  -----
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d  -----
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A  -----
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E  -----
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SOLO:

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Gtr.1
e  -----12----12--11--12--12--12-11-12-p-14-12--12-p-11-12-12----
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b  -9---12-----
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g  -----
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d  -----
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A  -----
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E  -----
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Gtr.2
e  -----16b--14-p-12--12-----
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b  -----
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g  -----
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d  -----
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A  -----
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E  -----
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Gtr.1
e  -----
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b  --12---10-----
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g  -----13---11-----
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d  -----14---11--14/16-----
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A  -----
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E  -----
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VERSE 3:

[B] When the jagged edge [F#] appears [B]  
[C#m] Through the [C#m7] distant [F#] clouds of tears [B]  
[B] And, I'm like a bridge [C#m7] that was [F#] washed away [B]  
[C#m] My foundations were [Bm7] made of [F#m] clay [E] (Fill 2)

FILL 2:

vibr.....  
e -1-----/-----4-|  
b -----|  
g -----|  
d -----|  
A -----|  
E -----|

[E] And as my [A] soul [C#m] slides down to die [B]  
[E] How could I [A] lose him, what [C#m] did I try [B]  
[E] Bit by [A] bit, [C#m] I realize [B]  
[E] That he was here [A] with me,  
[C#m] and I looked into [B] my father's eyes [E]

CHORUS:

[E] Look into [A] my father's [C#m] eyes [B]  
My father's eyes [E] [A] [C#m] I looked into [B] my father's eyes[E]  
[E]Look into [A] my father's [C#m] eyes [B]  
My father's eyes [E] [A] [C#m] [B] my father's eyes  
[E] Look into [A] my father's [C#m] eyes [B]  
My father's eyes [E] [A] [C#m] I looked into [B] my father's  
eyes[E]\*

\*Fade out

I decided to post this tab, when I saw the other tab of  
"My father's eyes". I hope you'll think this one is better.  
It was hard to transcribe it, but if you think it's hard to play,  
follow my ordinary advice.

"-If you got the cd, listen to the song, and play!"

Enjoy! John.H (Visit <http://user.tninet.se/~jax696n/> for more  
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