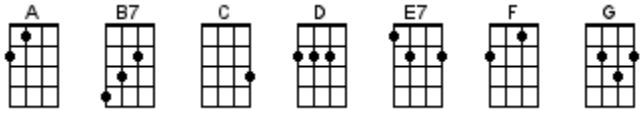
Time Warp v1

Richard O'Brien 1973 (as recorded for The Rocky Horror Picture Show in 1975)



Verse 1: **<speak>** It's a-**[A]**stounding **[A]** time is **[B7]** fleeting **[B7]**
[G] Madness **[D]** ..takes its **[A]** toll **[A] ..**But listen **[A]** closely **[A]** Not for very much **[B7]** longer **[B7] [G]** ***I've*** got to **[D]** keep con-**[A]**trol

<speak> I re-**[A]**member, **[A]**doing the **[B7]** Time Warp **[B7] [G]** Drinking
[D] those moments **[A]** when **[A]** The blackness would **[A]** hit me
[A] And the void would be **[B7]** calling **[B7]**

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[E7] You bring your knees in **[A]** ti-i-ight **[A]** But it's the pelvic
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Verse 2: It's so **[A]** dreamy, **[A]** oh fantasy **[B7]** free me **[B7]**
So you can't **[G]** see me **[D]** no **[A]** not at **[A]**all
In another di-**[A]**mension, **[A]** with voyeuristic in-**[B7]**tention **[B7]**
Well se-**[G]**cluded **[D]** I see **[A]** all **[A]** With a bit of a **[A]** mind flip
[A] You're into the **[B7]** time slip **[B7]**
And **[G]** nothing **[D]** can ever be the **[A]** same
[A] You're spaced out on sen-**[A]**sation **[A]** Like you're under se-**[B7]**dation **[B7]**

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Bridge: Well I was **[A]** walkin' down the street, just a-**[A]** havin' a think
When a **[A]** snake of a guy gave me an **[A]** evil wink. He **[D]** shook-a me up, he took me **[D]** by surprise. He had a **[A]** pick-up truck and the **[A]** devil's eyes
He **[E7]** stared at me and I **[D]** felt a change
[A] Time meant nothin' never would again

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