

I WANT LOVE

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Music by Elton John

*us
for
giz*
♩ = 72



The first system of music features a guitar part with five chord diagrams: A, F#m, C#m, C, and D. The piano accompaniment is written in treble and bass clefs, with a 4/4 time signature and a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The tempo is marked as ♩ = 72.



The second system of music continues the piano accompaniment from the first system, maintaining the same chord progression and notation.



The third system of music includes a vocal line with the lyrics: "I want love ——— but it's im - pos - si - ble: ———". The piano accompaniment continues with the same chord progression. The guitar part uses chord diagrams for A, F#m, and E.

C#m F#m D C#

a man like me's — so ir-res-pon-si-ble. — A man like me is

F#m B7sus4 B7 Bm7 E7

dead in plac-es oth-er men — feel li-ber-at-ed. And

A F#m E

I can't love, shot full of holes. —
 I want love, love on my own terms. —
 (Verse 3 see block lyric)

C#m F#m D C#

Don't feel no-thing, — I just feel cold. — Don't feel no-thing, —
 af-ter ev-'ry-thing I've ev-er learned.. Me, I car-ry —

F#m **B7sus4** **B7** **Bm7** **E7**

just old— scars: tough-en-ing up a - round my— heart— } But
 too much— bag - gage: oh man I've seen so much traf-fic. }

A **G/A** **D/A** **Dm/G**

I want love,— just a diff-'rent kind.— I want love, won't break me down,— won't—

A/C# **F#7** **Bm7**

brick me up,— won't fence me in.— I want a love that don't mean a thing;— that's the

Bm7/E **E7** **To Coda** **C6** **D** **C6** **D** **C/E**

love I want.— I— want— love. love.

F C G

So bring it on,— I've— been— bruised.— Don't give me love that's

C Cm7 Bb

clean— and smooth.— I'm rea - dy for the rough - er stuff.—

F/A D/F# E7/G# D.% al Coda

No sweet ro - mance,— I've had e - nough.—

♠ Coda C6 D A G/A

love. I want love,— just a diff-'rent kind.—

D/A Dm/G A/C# F#7

I want love, won't break me down,— won't brick me up,— won't fence me in.— I want a

Bm7 Bm7/E E7 C6 D

love that don't mean a thing;— that's the love I want.— I want love.

A F#m C#m C D A

Verse 3:
(Instrumental)
 A man like me is dead in places
 Other men feel liberated.
 And I want love etc.