The Man Who Sold the World
David Bowie (1970)

**Intro**

- A 
- Dm 
- F 
- Dm 

8 beats     8 beats     8 beats    ^(Tacet)

**Intro - Accompanying Riff**

Repeat Riff for each chord

**Verse 1**

- A 
  We passed upon the stair
  Dm
  We spoke of was and when
  A
  Although I wasn't there
  F
  He said I was his friend
  C
  Which came as some surprise
  A
  I spoke into his eyes
  Dm
  I thought you died alone
  C
  A long long time ago  (*continue chord thru Pre-chorus)
Pre-chorus Accompanying Riff (starts on the chord above)

Chorus (Accompanied by Pre-chorus Riff)

C \hspace{1cm} F
Oh no, not me
Bbm6 \hspace{1cm} F
I never lost control
C \hspace{1cm} F
You're face to face
Bbm6 \hspace{1cm} A
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Verse Intro (also played with Accompanying Riff)

A \hspace{0.5cm} Dm \hspace{0.5cm} F \hspace{0.5cm} Dm
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Verse 2

A
I laughed and shook his hand
Dm
And made my way back home
A
I searched for form and land
F
For years and years I roamed
C
I gazed a gazely stare
A
At all the millions here
Dm
We must have died alone
C
A long long time ago (*continue chord thru Pre-chorus)
**Pre-chorus Accompanying Riff** (starts on the chord above)

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**Chorus (Accompanied by Pre-chorus Riff)**

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**Interlude**

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**Outro (Repeating and fading; end on Dm)**

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