



JoniMitchell.com Transcription for Guitar

# Tiger Bones

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This song is simply the just the guitar track from Taming The Tiger sans vocals, which are included here for timing.

Intro:

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0xxxxx 0 14 14 0 x x 0 12 12 0 x x

002200 01100 0000xx

0 14 14 14 14 x 0 12 12 12 12 0 xxx000

002200 001100 xx0000

Verse 1:

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I stepped outside to breath the air

777777

And stare up at the stars

998000

Big Dipper, hanging there

777777 555555

Over the rent-a-car, over the rent-a-car

5577xx 5555xx

I'm a runaway from the record biz

5577xx 5555xx 0000xx

From the hoods in the hood and the whiny white kids

Chorus:

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222222 555555 0 12 12 12 12 0

Boring, the old man is snoring and I'm Taming the Tiger

xxx000 002200 001100 00xxxx

(You can't tame the tiger) Tiger, tiger, burning brightly

0 14 14 0 x x 0 12 12 0 x x 002200 001100 xx0000

Nice kitty, kitty. Tiger, tiger, burning bright.

Verse 2:

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(Same chords as verse 1)

Sophia says "It's hard to catch  
And harder still to ride  
The time to watch the beast the best  
Is when it's purring at your side"  
Purring at your side  
Accolades and honors  
One false move and you're a goner

Chorus:

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222222 555555 0 12 12 12 12 0

Boring, the old man is snoring and I'm Taming the Tiger

xxx000 002200 001100 0000xx

(You can't tame the tiger) Tiger, tiger, burning brightly

0 14 14 14 x x 0 12 12 12 x x 002200 001100

Nice kitty, kitty. Tiger, tiger, burning bright

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In the forest of the night

Middle 8:

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The moon shed light on my hopeless plight

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As the radio blared so bland

222200            5555xx                    000000

Every disc, a poker chip, every song just a one night stand

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Formula music,        girly guile, genuine junkfood for juveniles

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Up and down the dial,        mercenary style

Verse 3:

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(Chords same as verse 1)

I watched the stars chuck down their spears  
And a plane went blinking by  
And I thought of Anna, wild and dear  
Like fireworks in the sky  
Fireworks in the sky  
I'm so sick of this game, it's hip, it's hot!  
Life's too short, the whole thing's gotten

Chorus:

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222222    555555                                    0 12 12 12 12 0

Boring! The old man is snoring and I'm taming the tiger

                  xxx000            002200            001100            00xxxx

(You can't tame the tiger) Tiger, tiger burning brightly

0 14 14 x x x      0 12 12 0 x x                      002200                      001100  
Nice,                      kitty, kitty (Boring!) Tiger, tiger burning bright

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Oh,    be nice,                      kitty, kitty (Boring!)

002200                      001100      00xxxx      0 14 14 0 x x      0 12 12 0 x x  
Tiger, tiger burning brightly. Nice,                      kitty, kitty

002200                      001100  
Tiger, tiger burning bright (Fight to the light, fight to the light)

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In the forest of the night

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