

The man who sold the world

1970, David Bowie

Intro: riff - over chords: **A* A* F* F* F* F* Dm↓**

A7 / Dm
 We passed upon the stair, we spoke of was and when
/ A7 / F
 Although I wasn't there, he said I was his friend
/ C / A
 Which came as some surprise, I spoke into his eyes
A - Dm / C /**
 I thought you died a-lone, a long, long time ago

C F B♭m6 F
 Oh no, not me, I never lost control
C F B♭m6 A* A* F* F* F* F* Dm↓
 You're face to face, with the man who sold the world

A7 / Dm
 I laughed and shook his hand, and made my way back home
/ A7 / F
 I searched for form and land, for years and years I roamed
/ C / A
 I gazed a gazely stare, at all the millions here
A - Dm / C /
 We must have died a-lone, a long long time ago

C F B♭m6 F
 Who knows, not me, we never lost control
C F B♭m6 A* A* F* F* F* F* Dm* Dm*
 You're face to face, with the man who sold the world
 (x2)

* Intro riff (bend string):

** Scale riff:

A	A7	B♭m6	C	Dm	F