Monkey Man – The Rolling Stones

Chords Used:

C#: x4666x
E: 022100
A: x02220 (or 577655)
B: x2444x (or 799877)

Strumming Pattern: This one is just groove-based, so ultimately it's just DDD, DU over and over. You can let chords ring as well if you wish. The real "magic" in this song is in the added parts for it, which are so crazy.

Tempo: 100 bpm

Notes: There are added guitar parts here, so be sure you grab the "added guitar parts" file.

Intro: C# (hold this for a while)

     E   C#
I`m a fleabit peanut monkey, all my friends are junkies - that`s not really true.
     E   C#
I`m a cold Italian pizza, I could use a lemon squeezer – like you do!
        A   B
I`ve been bit and I`ve been tossed around, by every she-cat (rat, bat) in this town....
     C#
Have you, babe?
   A   B   C#
Well I am just a monkey man, I`m glad you are a monkey woman too!

     E   C#
I was bitten by a boar, I was gouged and I was gored – I went along too!
       E   C#
Yes, I`m a sack of broken eggs, I always have an unmade bed – don't you?
   A   B
Well I hope we`re not too messianic, or a trifle too satanic
C#
We love to play the blues.
   A   B   C#
But I am just a monkey man, I`m glad you are a monkey woman too.

(hold C# here for a little while, then...)

E – B – A – B (x4)

(next you just say "I'm a monkey..." and play C# throughout to end the song)