

THE ROAD TO HELL – Chris Rea (Am)

GUITAR / KEYBOARD CHORDS:

Am=xo221o



Dm=xxo231



F=xx3211



E=o221oo



C=x32o1o



G=320oo3



G/B=x2ooo3



INTRO: Drum intro over Am 4 count

Am – Dm – F – E – Am X2

Am Dm
Well, I'm standing by a river...but the water doesn't flow
F E Am
It boils with every poison...you can think of
Am Dm
And I'm underneath the street light...the delight of joy I know
F E Am
Scared beyond belief...way down in the shadows

C
BRIDGE: And the perverted fear of violence

G
Chokes the smile on every face
F E
Common sense is ringing out the bells

Am Dm
CHORUS: This ain't no technological breakdown
F E Am
Oh no...this is the road to hell

LEAD GUITAR BREAK: Am – Dm – G – C – G/B Am – Dm – F – E – Am

BRIDGE: And all the ^C roads jam up with credit

And there's nothing you can do ^G

^F It's all just bits of paper...^E flying away from you

PRE-CHORUS: Oh, look out world, take a good look...what goes down here ^{Am} ^{Dm}

^F You must learn this lesson fast...^E and learn it well ^{Am}

ENDING CHORUS: This ain't no upwardly mobile freeway ^{Am} ^{Dm}

^F Oh no, this is the road...^E This is the road ^F ^E

^F This is the road ... ^E to hell ^{Am}

OUTRO: ^{Am} - ^{Dm} - ^F - ^E - ^{Am} x4 and fade out