

The Pretender

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Picked, no drums: **Am - C - D - F**

Am **C** **D** **F**
Keep you in the dark You know they all pretend
Am **C** **D** **F**
Keep you in the dark And so it all began

strum and drums:

Am **C** **D** **F**
Send in your skeletons Sing as their bones go marching in... again
Am **C** **D**
The need you buried deep The secrets that you keep are ever ready
F
Are you ready?
Am **C** **D** **F**
I'm finished making sense Done pleading ignorance That whole defense
Am **C**
Spinning infinity, boy The wheel is spinning me
D **F**
It's never-ending, never-ending Same old story

[Chorus] *2

Am
What if I say I'm not like the others?
C **D**
What if I say I'm not just another one of your plays?
You're the pretender
F
What if I say that I'll never surrender?

2 Takte Interlude (Rock n Roll Pattern)

Am **C** **D** **F**
In time or so i'm told I'm just another soul for sale... oh, well
Am **C** **D**
The page is out of print We are not permanent We're temporary, temporary
F
Same old story

[Chorus] * 2

4 Takte Interlude (RocknRoll pattern - wird fortgesetzt)

Am **C**
I'm the voice inside your head You refuse to hear
Am **C**
I'm the face that you have to face Mirrored in your stare
Am **C**
I'm what's left, I'm what's right I'm the enemy
Am **C**
I'm the hand that will take you down Bring you to your knees
D **F** **D** **F**
So who are you? Yeah, who are you? Yeah, who are you? Yeah, who are you?

[slowly / picked]

Am **C** **D** **F**
Keep you in the dark You know they all pretend

[Chorus] *4 (zweimal dann 2 mal mir voriger Zeile als Zweitstimme)

D **F** **D** **F** **D** **F**
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[end on: **Am**]

Lick 2nd guitar ("Keep You in the Dark...")

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H |-----4-5-4-3--|  
G |-----2-0-----|  
D |--3-5-----|  
A |-----|  
E |-----|
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