

# Livin' On A Prayer

## Intro:

KEYS + BASS + RIDE BELL (4 BARS)

|Em | % | % | % |

BAND IN

|Em | % | % | % |

|C |D |Em | % |

|C |D |Em | % |

## Verse 1:

Tommy used to work on the docks  
Union's been on strike  
He's down on his luck...  
It's tough, so tough

|Em | % | % | % |

Gina works the diner all day  
Working for her man,  
She brings home her pay  
For love, for love

|Em | % | % | % |

|C |D |Em | % |

## Bridge:

She says, "We've gotta hold on to what we've got.  
It doesn't make a difference if we make it or not.  
We've got each other and that's a lot.  
For love we'll give it a shot."

|C D |D Em |C D |D Em |

|C D |D Em |C |D |

## Chorus:

Whoa, we're half way there  
Whoa, livin' on a prayer  
Take my hand and we'll make it - I swear  
Whoa, livin' on a prayer

|Em C |D |G C |D |

|Em C |D |G C |D |

|Em | % | % | % |

## Verse 2:

Tommy's got his six string in hock  
Now he's holding in  
What he used to make it talk  
So tough, it's tough

|Em | % | % | % |

|C |D |Em | % |

Gina dreams of running away  
 When she cries in the night  
 Tommy whispers,  
 "Baby, it's okay, someday..."

|Em | % | % | % |  
 |C |D |Em | % |

## Bridge:

...We've gotta hold on to what we've got.  
 It doesn't make a difference if we make it or not.  
 We've got each other and that's a lot.  
 For love we'll give it a shot."

|C D |D Em |C D |D Em |  
 |C D |D Em |C |D |

## Chorus:

Whoa, we're half way there  
 Whoa, livin' on a prayer  
 Take my hand and we'll make it - I swear  
 Whoa, livin' on a prayer

|Em C |D |G C |D |  
 |Em C |D |G C |D |

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|C |C |

## Guitar Solo:

|Em C |D |G C |D |  
 |Em C |D |G C |Em |  
 |Em |

## Bridge:

We gotta hold on, ready or not...  
 You live for the fight when it's all that you've got...

**3/4 bar!!!**  
 |C D |D Em |C |D |

## Chorus (Key Change!):

Whoa, we're half way there  
 Whoa, livin' on a prayer  
 Take my hand and we'll make it - I swear  
 Whoa, livin' on a prayer

|Gm Eb |F |Bb Eb |F |  
 |Gm Eb |F |Bb Eb |F |

## Outro Chorus w/Guitar Adlib

Whoa, we're half way there  
Whoa, livin' on a prayer  
Take my hand and we'll make it - I swear  
Whoa, livin' on a prayer

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Gm	Eb	F	Bb	Eb	F	
Gm	Eb	F	Bb	Eb	F	
Eb		Eb				