

# Swift Guitar Lessons



## "Wild World" by Cat Stevens

Intro: Am // D7 // G // Cmaj7 // F // Dm // E // Esus4 //

### Verse:

Am                    D7                    G  
 Now that I've lost everything to you  
                                  Cmaj7                    F  
 You say you wanna start something new  
                                  Dm                    E  
 And it's breaking my heart you're leaving  
 (E)                    Esus4  
 Baby, I'm grieving  
 Am                    D7                    G  
 But if you wanna leave, take good care  
                                  Cmaj7                    F  
 Hope you have a lot of nice things to wear  
                                  Dm                    E                    G  
 But then a lot of nice things turn bad out there

### Chorus

C   G                    F                    (riff 1)  
 Oh, baby, baby, it's a wild world  
 G                    F                    C (riff 2)  
 It's hard to get by just upon a smile  
 C   G                    F                    (riff 1)  
 Oh, baby, baby, it's a wild world  
 G                    F                    C                    Dm   E  
 I'll always remember you like a child, girl

### Verse 2

Am                    D7                    G  
 You know I've seen a lot of what the world can do,  
                                  Cmaj7                    F  
 And it's breaking my heart in two,  
                                  Dm                    E  
 Because I never wanna see you sad, girl,  
 (E)                    Esus4  
 Don't be a bad girl....

### Strumming Pattern

Pattern #1 (= 2 Beats or Half Measure)

**1 e & a 2 e & a**  
 Bass                    Bass  
 ↓                    ↓                    ↓                    ↓                    ↑

Pattern #2 (= Played on the Following Chord)

**3 e & a 4 e & a**  
 ↓                    ↑                    ↓                    ↑                    ↑                    ↓

### Pre-Chorus Riff #1

	G		C
e	-----3-----		-----0-----
B	-----0-----		-----1-----
G	-----0-----	-----0-----	-----0-----
D	-----0-----	-----3-----	-----2-----
A	-----2-----	-----3-----	-----3-----
E	-----3-----		

### Chorus Riff #1

e	-----	
B	-----1-----	-----0-----
G	-----2-----	-----0-----
D	-----3-----	-----2-----
A	-----3-----	-----3-----
E	-----	-----

### Chorus Riff #2

e	-----	
B	-----	
G	-----	
D	-----	
A	-----0-----	-----3-----
E	-----3-----	-----3-----



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### Verse 2 (cont)

Am                      D7                      G  
But if you wanna leave, take good care,  
                                 Cmaj7                      F  
Hope you make a lot of nice friends out there,  
                                 Dm  
But just remember there's a lot of bad,  
E              G (Pre-Chorus Riff)  
And be - ware!

### Chorus

C   G                      F      (riff 1)  
Oh, baby, baby, it's a wild world  
G                      F                      C (riff 2)  
It's hard to get by just upon a smile  
C   G                      F      (riff 1 w/ Pause)  
Oh, baby, baby, it's a wild world  
G                      F                      C      Dm E  
I'll always remember you like a child, girl

**Instrumental:** Am // D7 // G // Cmaj7 // F // Dm // E // Esus4 //

Baby, I love you!

### Verse 2 (2<sup>nd</sup> half repeat)

Am                      D7                      G  
But if you wanna leave, take good care,  
                                 Cmaj7                      F  
Hope you make a lot of nice friends out there,  
                                 Dm  
But just remember there's a lot of bad,  
E              G (Pre-Chorus Riff)  
And be - ware!

### Chorus 2x

C   G                      F      (riff 1)  
Oh, baby, baby, it's a wild world  
G                      F                      C (riff 2)  
It's hard to get by just upon a smile  
C   G                      F      (riff 1 w/ Pause)  
Oh, baby, baby, it's a wild world  
G                      F                      C      (Dm E on first repetition of chorus)  
I'll always remember you like a child, girl