Ramble On – Led Zeppelin (chord version)

Chords Used: I'll be providing you with the chord names by section to make it easier.

Intro/Verse/Interlude 1 Theme:

E                079900
Dadd9         097770
B7sus4        097900
G               x05430
A               x07650
Asus4          x07750

Pre-Chorus:

E                022100
C#              x4x6xx
B/D#          x6447x
A               x07650

Chorus:

E                x7999x
G5              xx503x
A5              xx705x
D               xx0232
Dsus4        xx0233

Interlude 2:

This is a series of “N.C.” (no chord) with the exception of the A7. Here’s the quick tab on it just to help you play the chord progression. It's played x2.

(A7)

-----0---------0-----------0---------0---------0---------
-----2---------3---------5---------3---------3---------
-----0---------0---------0---------0---------0---------
-----2---------4---------5---------4---------4---------
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Structure:

- Intro (x4)
- Verse 1 (x8)
- Pre-Chorus (x2)
- Chorus (x4)
- Verse 2 (x4)
- Interlude 1 (x4)
- Chorus (x4)
- Interlude 2 (x2)
- Verse 3 (x8)
- Pre-Chorus (x2)
- Chorus (played until end – end on E)

Intro: E – Dadd9 – B7sus4 | G / A / Asus4 – A (x4)

Verse 1: (same as intro)

E          Dadd9          B7sus4          G / A / Asus4 – A
Leaves are falling _______ all around....
E          Dadd9          B7sus4          G / A / Asus4 – A
It's time I was _____ on my _____ way.
E          Dadd9          B7sus4          G / A / Asus4 – A
Thanks to you_____ I'm much obliged......
E          Dadd9          B7sus4          G / A / Asus4 – A
for such a _____ pleasant ____ stay.
E          Dadd9          B7sus4          G / A / Asus4 – A
But now it's ______ time for me to go.....
E          Dadd9          B7sus4          G / A / Asus4 – A
The autumn moon _____ lights ______ my way.
E          Dadd9          B7sus4          G / A / Asus4 – A
For now I _____ smell the rain, and with it pain....
E          Dadd9          B7sus4          G / A / Asus4 – A
and it's headed _____ my _____ way.

Pre-Chorus:

E – C# - B/D# | A – C# - E
ah _____sometimes I grow so....
E – C# - B/D# | A C# – E
tired_______...but I know I've got one thing I got to do...
Chorus:

E (xxxx)              G5           A5           G5       D-Dsus4
Ramble on! And now's the time, the time is now....
E (xxxx)              G5           A5           G5       D--- Dsus4
Sing my song! I'm goin' 'round the world - I got to find my girl!
E (xxxx)              G5           A5           G5       D--- Dsus4
On my way! I've been this way ten years to the day!
E (xxxx)              G5           A5           G5       D--- Dsus4
Ramble on! Gotta find the queen of all my dreams.

Verse 2:

E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
Got no time for __________ spreadin' roots....
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
the time has come to be __________ gone.
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
And though our health we drank a thousand times,
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
it's time ______ to ________ ramble on.

Interlude 1 (repeat intro/main theme x4)

Chorus (repeated from above)

Interlude 2 (x2 <this is the A7 part>)

Verse 3:

E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
..........Mine's a tale that _____ can't be told.....
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
my freedom I hold ___ dear.
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
How years ago in __________days of old, when magic.....
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
filled _____ the ___ air.
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
T'was in the darkest depths of Mordor, I met a ..... 
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
girl ___ so ______ fair.
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
But Gollum, and the ____evil ______ one crept up and ....
E       Dadd9        B7sus4             G / A / Asus4 – A
slipped away with her, ______her________her, her....yeah.
Pre-Chorus

E – C# - B/D# | A – C# - E

E – - - - - - - C# - B/D# | A ---------------- C# -------- E

ain't nothin' I can do – NO! I guess I'll keep on -

Chorus (longer – with different lyrics)

E (xxxx)                    G5             A5   G5        D-Dsus4
Ramblin' ! I'm gonna _______ sh-yeah-yeah-yeah-yeah....... 
E (xxxx)                    G5             A5   G5        D-Dsus4
yeah-yeah-yeah-yeah I gotta.....find my baby!
E (xxxx)
I'm gonna ramble on! I'm gonna sing my song – I'm gonna ..... 
G5             A5   G5        D-Dsus4
work my way all around the world!
E (xxxx)                    G5             A5   G5        D-Dsus4
Baby (baby baby – etc.)

Ending The Final Chorus:

Just play E (xxxx) – G5 – A5 – G5 – D-Dsus4 over and over and end on E.