

SMOKE ON THE WATER

Am riff – chorus D Bb Am

or Gm riff – chorus

C Ab Gm

Intro = Riff 7 bar build up

We all came out to Montreux *Gm*
On the Lake Geneva shoreline *F C Gm*
To make records with a mobile
We didn't have much time
Frank Zappa and the Mothers
Were at the best place around
But some stupid with a flare gun
Burned the place to the ground

Smoke on the water *C Eb*
a fire in the sky *Gm*
smoke on the water *C Eb riff X2*

They burned down the gamblin' house,
It died with an awful sound
and Funky Claude was running in and out
Pulling kids out the ground
When it all was over
We had to find another place
But Swiss time was running out
It seemed that we would lose the race *Chorus*

Solo on verse & chorus + riff X2

We ended up at the Grand *Hotel*
It was empty cold and bare
with the Rolling Stones truck just outside
Making our music there
With a few red lights and a few old beds
We make a place to sweat
No matter what we get out of this
I know, I know we'll never forget *Chorus*

*Riff * 4 (two and a half) organ based crazy ending*