

# Smoke on the Water

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*Road Map:* Intro – V1 – Ch – V2 – Ch – V3 (vocal only) – Ch \*2 – Tag Ending

Intro: *E G A E G B-A E G A G E* 6x \*

(V1)

*Gm*

**We all came out to Montreux**

*F Gm*

**On the Lake Geneva shoreline**

*Gm*

**To make records with a mobile**

*F Gm*

**We didn't have much time**

*Gm*

**Frank Zappa and the Mothers**

*F Gm*

**Were at the best place around**

*Gm*

**But some stupid with a flare gun**

*F Gm*

**Burned the place to the ground**

(Ch)

*C G# Gm*

**Smoke on the water, and fire in the sky**

*C G#*

**Smoke on the water**

EGA EGB-A EGA GE 2x

(V2)

Gm

**They burned down the gambling house**

F Gm

**It died with an awful sound**

Gm

**A funky Claude was running in and out**

F Gm

**Pulling kids outa the ground**

Gm

**When it all was over**

F Gm

**We had to find another place**

Gm

**But Swiss time was running out**

F Gm

**It seemed that we would lose the race**

C

G# Gm

**Smoke on the water, and fire in the sky**

C G#

**Smoke on the water**

EGA EGB-A EGA GE 2x

(solo)

EGA EGB-A EGA GE 2x

(V3)

Gm

**We ended up at the Grand Hotel**

F Gm

**It was empty cold and bare**

*Gm*

**But with the Rolling truck Stones thing just outside**

*F*

*Gm*

**Making our music there**

*Gm*

**With a few red lights, a few old beds**

*F*

*Gm*

**We made a place to sweat**

*Gm*

**No matter what we get out of this**

*F*

*Gm*

**I know, I know we'll never forget**

*C*

*G#*

*Gm*

**Smoke on the water, and fire in the sky**

*C*

*G#*

**Smoke on the water**

*E G A E G B-A E G A G E 6x*