

A Thousand Years

Sting

Intro

Chord progression for the Intro:

- Measures 1-4: E^b5, A^bM, A^b, A^b5
- Measures 5-8: E^b5, A^bM, F^m7/E^b, A^b5
- Measures 9-12: E^bm/G^b, A^bM, F^m7
- Measures 13-16: E^b5/D^b, A^bm/C^b, B^b7sus
- Measure 17: E^b

Verse

Eb5	Abm	Ab	Ab5	
Eb5	Abm	Fm7/Eb	Ab5	
Ebm/Gb	Abm	Fm7		
Eb5/Db	Abm/Cb	Bb7sus		
Ebm	Eb5			

A thousand years, a thousand more
 A thousand times a million doors to eternity
 I may have lived a thousand lives, a thousand times
 An endless turning stairway climbs To a tower of souls
 If it takes another thousand years, a thousand wars
 The towers rise to numberless floors in space
 I could shed another million tears, a million breaths
 A million names but only one truth to face

Verse

Eb5	Abm	Ab	Ab5	
Eb5	Abm	Fm7/Eb	Ab5	
Ebm/Gb	Abm	Fm7		
Eb5/Db	Abm/Cb	Bb7sus		

A million roads, a million fears
A million suns, ten million years of uncertainty
I could speak a million lies, a million songs
A million rights, a million wrongs in this balance of time
But if there was a single truth, a single light
A single thought, a singular touch of grace
Then following this single point, this single flame
This single haunted memory of your face

Chorus

Eb	Abm	Fm7/Eb		
Eb	Abm	Fm7		
Gb/Db	Cb9	Bb7sus		
Ebm	Eb/Db	Cbmaj7		

I still love you,
I still want you
A thousand times the mysteries unfold themselves
Like galaxies in my head

Verse

Eb5	Abm	Ab5/Eb	Ab/5	
Eb5	Abm	Fm7/Eb	Ab	
Ebm/Gb	Abm	Fm7		
Eb5/Db	Abm/B	Bb7sus		

I may be numberless, I may be innocent
I may know many things, I may be ignorant
Or I could ride with kings and conquer many lands
Or win this world at cards and let it slip my hands
I could be cannon food, destroyed a thousand times
Reborn as fortune's child to judge another's crimes
Or wear this pilgrim's cloak, or be a common thief
I've kept this single faith I have but one belief

Chorus

Eb	Abm	Fm7/Eb		
Eb/Gb	Abm	Fm7		
Gb/Db	Cb9	Bb7sus		

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Outro

Abm/Cb	Abm	Gb/Bb	Bbm7	
Ebm9	Ebm7		Ebm9	

On and on the mysteries unwind themselves
Eternities still unsaid
'Till you love me