

You Can't Always Get What You Want  
The Rolling Stones  
Time: 4/4  
Tempo: 85  
Key: C  
MIDI: 0.8:52

Instrumental intro, choir in original, 3 drum ticks, then starts:

C	F	*
1234	1234	play 6x
D	F	C
1234	1234	12

Intro continues, AC guitar and Fr Horn in original

C	F	
1234	1234	play 4x

Verse 1:

C F  
 I saw her today at the reception  
 C F  
 A glass of wine in her hand  
 C F  
 I knew she would meet her connection  
 C F  
 At her feet was her footloose man

Chorus:

	C				F
No,	you	can't	always	get	what
					you
					want
	C				F
You	can't	always	get	what	you
					want
	C				F
You	can't	always	get	what	you
					want
	D				F
But	if	you	try	sometime,	you
					just
					might
					find
	C				F
					C
					F
You	get	what	you	need	2344
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					1234

Verse 2:

C F  
We went down to the demonstration  
C F  
To get our fair share of abuse

C F  
Singing, "We're gonna vent our frustration  
C F  
If we don't we'll blow a 50-amp fuse"  
Sing it to me now...

Chorus:

C F  
No, you can't always get what you want  
C F  
You can't always get what you want  
C F  
You can't always get what you want  
D F  
But if you try sometime, you just might find  
C F C F  
You get what you need 2344 1234 1234 1234

Verse 3:

C F  
I went down to the Chelsea drugstore  
C F  
To get your prescription filled  
C F  
I was standing in line with Mr. Jimmy  
C F  
And man, did he look pretty ill  
C F  
We decided that we would have a soda  
C F  
My favorite flavor, cherry red  
C F  
I sing this song to Mr. Jimmy  
C F  
and he said one word to me, and that was "dead"

Chorus:

C F  
No, you can't always get what you want  
C F  
You can't always get what you want  
C F  
You can't always get what you want  
D F  
But if you try sometime, you just might find  
C F C F

You get what you need 2344 1234 1234 1234

Bridge - 17M:

D7sus C F D7sus F C F C F  
1234 1234 1234 1234 1234 1234 1234 1234 1234  
C F D F Bb6  
1234 1234 1234 12 34

C F  
You get what you need--yeah, oh baby!

C F  
Oh yeah!

Verse 4:

C F  
I saw her today at the reception  
C F  
In her glass was a bleeding man  
C F  
She was practiced at the art of deception  
C F  
Well I could tell by her blood-stained hands

Chorus:

C F  
You can't always get what you want  
C F  
You can't always get what you want  
C F  
You can't always get what you want  
D F  
But if you try sometimes, you just might find, you just might  
find  
C F C F  
You get what you need

C F  
You can't always get what you want  
C F  
You can't always get what you want  
C F  
You can't always get what you want  
D  
But if you try sometimes, you just might find,  
F  
you just might find that

C                  F          C          F  
You get what you need    ahhhhhhah    yeah

Improvise out:

C          F  
1234    1234

End on C