

Deep Purple

Improvised solo by Doug McKenzie

This is a transcription of a live played improvisation. Look at my youtube channel (jazz2511) to see the original annotated video, or on my website <http://www.bushgrafts.com>.

Swing! ♩ = ♩³♩

F 6 F#dim

4 Gm7 C7 FMaj 7

Perfect 4ths voicings follow melody-

7 Eb7 Am7/D D7 D7 Em7 Fdim D7/F#

10 Gm11 Bbm7 Am7

13

Abdim

Gm7₆

C7

C7alt

RH tremolo

'Ladybird' turnaround - Fmaj7/AbMaj7/DbMaj7/GbMaj7-

16

F 69add9

AbMaj 7

DbMaj 7

Gbmaj 7

F

10ths in triplets -Left hand plays octave & Right plays 10th-

19

Gbdim

Gm7

Am7

Bb

Bdim

C7

Trill on melody note and upper neighbour-

F 6

More perfect 4ths follow melody

22- LH plays bottom note-

Eb7

D7sus

LeftH plays little counter melody-

25

D7

Gm11

Bbm7

28 Am7 Abdim Gm7

Slide off black to white notes

31 C7 FMaj 7/C AbMaj 7 DbMaj 7 Gbmaj 7

Another 'Ladybird' turnaround-

34 F F#dim Dim chord inversions - LH plays bottom note-

36 Gm7 C7

38 FMaj 7 Eb7

Play melody notes twice as 16th notes instead of once as 8th notes-

40

Am D7

Same idea as 2 note tremolo above - this time a tremolo in RH with LH counter melody-

Little RH figure involving a triad-

42

Gm7 Gm11 Gbm11 Fm11 Em11 Ebm11 Dm11 Am

Series of 11th voicings follow melody down chromatically-

45

F dim Similar figure repeated over each new chord- Gm7

47

C7 C7+ FMaj 7 F#dim

49

Gm7 C7 Dim scale again on C7- F6

Simple figure on notes of F6-

51 F#dim Gm7

6

53 C7 F

Tatum-like run - RH descends, then LH ascends-

3

6

55 Eb7 D7sus

Two note RH tremolo

3

3

57 D7(b9) Gm11

Very light staccato touch-

3

59 Bbm7 Am7

3

3

3

61 $A\flat dim$ $Gm7$

More RH tremolo - but this time the Left Hand plays a walking bass line but in treble register-

LH and RH in unison an octave apart-

63 $C7$ $Am7$ $A\flat Maj7$

Strong 12/8 feel briefly-

65 $D\flat Maj7$ $C7$ $G\flat7$ $F Maj7$

Melody notes with 4th voicing - approached with similar voicing above.-

67 $F\sharp dim$ $Gm7$

Easy to finger descending run on $F\sharp dim$ chord - start on 2nd finger-

69 $C7$ $F Maj7$

RH descends - then LH briefly ascends - then RH again chromatical y

On Eb7 2 notes (Eb&Db) alternate with A7 (A&G) in triplet rhythm-

D7

Similar figure on D7 (D&C) and its tritone Ab7 (Ab&Gb)-

Eb7

71

Gm7

Bbm

74

Am7

Abdim

76

On Gm7, block chords with LH chromatic approaches up inversions of GM9 chord-

Gm7

78

C7

Gb7

F69add9

Ab69add9

79

Db69add9

Gb⁶9

F 6

81

Musical notation for measures 81-82. Measure 81 features a Db69add9 chord in the treble and a Gb69 chord in the bass. Measure 82 features an F6 chord in the treble and an F6 chord in the bass. The notation includes various chord voicings and a triplet in the bass of measure 82.

Gbdim

Gm7

83

Musical notation for measures 83-84. Measure 83 features a Gbdim chord in the treble and a Gbdim chord in the bass. Measure 84 features a Gm7 chord in the treble and a Gm7 chord in the bass. The notation includes various chord voicings and a triplet in the bass of measure 84.

C7

FMaj 7

More 4th structures-

85

Musical notation for measures 85-86. Measure 85 features a C7 chord in the treble and a C7 chord in the bass. Measure 86 features a FMaj 7 chord in the treble and a FMaj 7 chord in the bass. The notation includes various chord voicings and a triplet in the bass of measure 86.

Eb7

D7

87

Musical notation for measures 87-88. Measure 87 features an Eb7 chord in the treble and an Eb7 chord in the bass. Measure 88 features a D7 chord in the treble and a D7 chord in the bass. The notation includes various chord voicings and triplets in both staves of measure 87.

D7

Gm

89

Musical notation for measures 89-90. Measure 89 features a D7 chord in the treble and a D7 chord in the bass. Measure 90 features a Gm chord in the treble and a Gm chord in the bass. The notation includes various chord voicings and triplets in both staves of measure 89.

8va - RH plays very lightly in extreme treble area of piano - LH plays simple

91 **Bbm7** (8va) **Am7**

Using a grace note under each chord tone-

93 **Abdim** **Gm7**

95 **C7** **F6** **F#dim**

Another half/whole dim run on C7-

97 **Gm7** **C7b9b9** **F69add9**

99 **F#dim** On F#dim, chord is inverted - LH links each with chromatic passing tones-

32 32 3

100 Gm C7

A pedal tone (C) on 'ands' in Left Hand-

102 FMaj 7/C Eb7

104 D7sus Chord Chord Root /Chord Chord Root/ in triplet rhythm-

D7 D7(#11) D7 D7aug D13

106 Gm7b9 BbmMaj 7

More RH tremolos - this time LH plays melody-

108 Am7 Abdim

110

Gm7

G7

112

F^{Maj} 7

Gm7

C7

RH plays chords - LH plays melodic phrase below-

114

F⁶

F^{Maj} 7

F^{#dim}

RH plays chords - LH plays melodic phrase below-

116

Gm7

C7alt

118

F^{Maj} 7

Eb7

120

D7sus D7 D7alt

122

Gm7 Bbm7

124

Am7 D7

126

Gm7 C7 C7+ F6

Tremolo